## MIAA Handbook July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2021

## RULE CHANGES PASSED FOR THE 7/1/19 - 6/30/21 HANDBOOK

| Rule #    | Change   |
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| 32.8      | Added a penalty for using an ineligible player during a scrimmage. The ineligible  |
|           | student-athlete would be ineligible for the first regular season contest once establishing   |
|           | eligibility.   |
| 35.1      | Allows all Fall Sports (except football) to begin on 2nd Monday preceding Labor  |
|           | Day. Maximum total of 13 practices prior to Labor Day – Implementation to start July 1,  |
|           | 2020.  |
| 41        | Student participation in out-of-season activities may be funded by booster clubs or  |
|           | organizations, if approved by the school administration.   |
| 57.3 & .4 | Form 200 can now only be used when transfer occurs between MIAA Member   |
|           | Schools. If the sending school alleges a recruiting violation on Form 200, a submission  |
|           | of additional proof in writing is required.  |
| 66        | Basketball – If the head coach is charged with a technical foul, coach will be allowed to  |
|           | use the coaching box and remain standing.  |
| 78.2.16   | Soccer – For tournament eligibility, no team may exceed 4 red or 15 total cards during   |
|           | the regular season.  |
| 81        | Tennis – Coaches must have available at all matches (regular season & tournament)  |
|           | completed tennis team ladder form & challenge match results form.  |
| 88        | MIAA can no longer act on Bona Fide Waivers during Post Season Play.   |
| 96        | Co-op Teams alignment will now be determined by the largest school's enrollment in the co-op, and not by adding the enrollment of all school members of the co-op. |
| 96        | Tournament alignments established every 4 years (this will end as of 2020-2021).   |
|           | Determined using grades 9-12 enrollment figures set on October 1.  |
| 96        | At the end of the current alignment cycle which is 2020-2021, Tournament alignments  |
|           | will be established every 2 years. Implementation to start with the 2021-2022 school   |
|           | year.  |
| 97        | The minimum number of schools to form a league, or a division within a league, is four.  |