

# NCAA Division II Football Recruiting Calendar

# June 1, 2020, through May 31, 2021

# (See NCAA Division II Bylaw 13.17.3 for Football Calendar Formula)

The dates in this calendar reflect the application of Bylaw 13.17.3 at the time of publication but are subject to change per NCAA Constitution 5.2.3.1 or if certain dates (e.g., National Letter of Intent signing dates) are altered.

(a) June 1, 2020, to the beginning of the prospective student-athlete's high school or two-year college football season (as determined by the first regularly scheduled practice immediately preceding the start of the regular season):

Quiet Period

(b) During the prospective student-athlete's high school or two-year college football season (as determined by the first regularly scheduled practice immediately preceding the start of the regular season):

**Evaluation Period** 

(c) November 1, 2020, through November 30, 2020 [except for (1) below]:

**Evaluation Period** 

(1) For two-year college prospective student-athletes, the conclusion of the prospective student-athlete's two-year college football season (i.e., the conclusion of the institution's last regularly scheduled contest rather than the conclusion of the institution's final postseason contest) through November 30:

Contact Period

(d) November 30, 2020, through March 8, 2021 [except for (1) and (2) below]:

Contact Period

(1) December 14 (7 a.m.) - 16 (7 a.m.), 2020, for all twoyear college prospective student-athletes who intend to enroll midyear: Dead Period

(2) January 11-13, 2021:

Dead Period

(3) February 1 (7 a.m.) - 3 (7 a.m.), 2021:

Dead Period

(e) March 9 through May 31, 2021 [except for (f) below]:

**Quiet Period** 

(f) April 15 through May 31, 2021:

**Evaluation Period** 

- (1) Four weeks (excluding Memorial Day and Sundays) selected at the discretion of the member institution and designated in writing in the office of the director of athletics.
- (g) Authorized coaching staff members may evaluate a high school football all-star game any time of the year, provided the game occurs within the state in which the member institution is located.





# 2020-21 RECRUITING CALENDAR

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#### QUIET PERIOD

A quiet period is that period of time when it is permissible to make in-person recruiting contacts only on the member institution's campus. No in-person, off-campus recruiting contacts or evaluations may be made during the quiet period.

#### **DEAD PERIOD**

A dead period is that period of time when it is not permissible to make in-person recruiting contacts or evaluations on or off the member institution's campus or to permit official or unofficial visits by prospective student-athletes to the institution's campus.

#### **EVALUATION PERIOD**

An evaluation period is that period of time when it is permissible for authorized athletics department staff members to be involved in off-campus activities designed to assess the academic qualifications and playing ability of prospective student-athletes. No in-person, off-campus recruiting contacts shall be made with the prospective student-athlete during an evaluation period.

# **CONTACT PERIOD**

A contact period is that period of time when it is permissible for authorized athletics department staff members to make in-person, off-campus recruiting contacts and evaluations.

# **KEY CALENDAR DATES**

## **CONTACT PERIOD**

To review additional key calendar dates, please go to **ncaa.org/recruiting**.

## DEAD PERIOD

The dead period is from 7 a.m. of the beginning date to 7 a.m. of the closing date.

- Dec. 14-16
- Feb. 1-3

## **EVALUATION PERIOD**

- During the recruit's high school or two-year college football season.
- Four weeks (excluding Memorial Day and Sundays) between April 15 and May 31 selected by the college.