



## Official Visit Guidelines for Prospective Student-Athletes and Student Hosts

The University of Northern Iowa is committed to providing an informative and safe environment for prospective student-athletes while visiting UNI on official recruiting visits. The following guidelines have been established to ensure that prospective student-athletes and student-athletes who will be serving as campus hosts conduct themselves in a manner that is consistent with NCAA regulations and UNI guidelines.

1. It is the responsibility of the University of Northern Iowa to ensure the safety and well being of prospective student-athletes visiting campus. At the same time, it is incumbent upon prospective student-athletes and their student host to avoid any situations or activities that would jeopardize their safety or would be against NCAA regulations, UNI guidelines, University policies or local laws, rules and regulations.
2. All entertainment of prospective student-athletes is limited to a 30-mile radius of the University of Northern Iowa. It is the responsibility of the head coach and the student host to supervise all activities, structured and unstructured, of the prospect while visiting our campus for the purpose of recruitment.
3. Underage drinking (under 21) is illegal in the State of Iowa. Prospective student-athletes are not allowed to indulge in this activity. It is the student host's responsibility to discourage and report transgressions of this law.
4. If a prospective student athlete is of legal age (21) and may enter a local bar, it is the student host's responsibility to ensure that the prospective student-athlete is aware that alcohol abuse will **NOT** be tolerated. Prospects who are not yet 19 years old are prohibited from being in a bar after 11:00 p.m. The student host must understand that the host money **CANNOT** be used to provide alcohol to any prospect regardless of age.
5. The use of banned substances (illegal drugs) is prohibited during any official/unofficial visit to the University of Northern Iowa. It is the responsibility of the student host to discourage and report any violations of these guidelines.
6. Campus visits are to exclude other inappropriate behavior including, but not limited to, sexual activity, sexual harassment, and/or any type of visitation to strip clubs. It is the responsibility of the student host to discourage and report any violations of these guidelines.
7. Any gambling activities during the prospective student-athlete's official visit are prohibited. No visit to any establishment where gambling activities take place will be acceptable. It is the responsibility of the student host to discourage and report any violations of these guidelines.
8. An enrolled student-athlete may participate as the student host during a prospective student-athlete's official visit to the University of Northern Iowa. Non-qualifiers are not eligible to be student hosts. The student host may receive a maximum of \$30.00 per day to cover actual costs of entertaining prospects (and the prospect's parents, legal guardians or spouse), excluding the cost of meals and admission to UNI events. A maximum of \$60.00 can be given to the student host for the duration of the official visit. These funds may not be used for the purchase of souvenirs such as T-shirts or other institutional mementos. At no time may a prospective student-athlete receive cash from the student host.
9. A prospective student-athlete may not have contact with representatives of the University of Northern Iowa's athletics interests (boosters). It is the responsibility of the student host to ensure that such contact does not take place when they are entertaining prospective student-athletes. If an unplanned meeting occurs, only an exchange of greeting is permissible.
10. Prospective student-athletes will have a curfew of 12:30 a.m. unless they are participating in activities supervised or arranged by the UNI coaching staff.

These guidelines have been established to ensure that each prospective student-athlete's visit to the University of Northern Iowa is a quality one. Your compliance with these guidelines is absolutely necessary and greatly appreciated. Incidents contrary to these guidelines may result in a decision by the University to decline admission or grant financial aid to a prospective student-athlete and also may result in penalties to student-athletes up to and including dismissal from the team. The student host will forfeit one intercollegiate competition if these guidelines are not followed. I certify that I understand the above guidelines.

**I have accepted \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for student host money.**

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Name of Student Host

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Signature of Student Host

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Date

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Name of Prospect

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Signature of Prospect

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Head Coach

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