



OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Item 6.1

PRESENT TO BOARD: SEPTEMBER 29, 2021

TO: SOUTH FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE  
DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES

FROM: THOMAS C. LEITZEL 

SUBJECT: POLICY 3.38 INTERCOLLEGIATE STUDENT-ATHLETE COMPENSATION AND RIGHTS DEVELOPMENT

In 2020, Senate Bill 646 (Chapter No. 2020-28, Laws of Florida) created section (s.) 1006.74, Florida Statutes (F.S.), and amended s. 468.453 F.S., to establish the compensatory rights of intercollegiate athletes and the related responsibilities for their postsecondary educational institutions.

Each college with intercollegiate athletics programs is required to update existing or prepare new policies and procedures to comply with the provisions. Institutions must:

- Ensure the requirements in s. 1006.74, F.S., and Rule 6A-14.0582, F.A.C., are posted or made available in the process of recruiting student athletes and signing letters of intent, agreements and contracts.
- Adopt policies or procedures regarding student athlete compensation. Minimally, the policies or procedures must include the process student athletes must follow to notify the institution of a contract for compensation for their NIL.
- Conduct financial literacy and life skills workshops for a minimum of five (5) hours at the beginning of student athletes' first and third academic years pursuant to s. 1006.74(2), F.S. All student athletes, including those who are not receiving compensation for their NIL, must complete the workshops.

This policy will enable the administration to establish administrative procedures to comply with the intercollegiate student-athlete compensation and rights legislation.

**SUGGESTED MOTION:**  
**Move to approve the new DBOT Policy 3.38 as presented.**

**SOUTH FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE  
DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES POLICIES**

**POLICY NO.** 3.38

**TITLE:** INTERCOLLEGIATE STUDENT-ATHLETE COMPENSATION AND RIGHTS  
DEVELOPMENT

**LEGAL AUTHORITY:** FLORIDA STATUTE 1001.64, 1001.65, 1006.74; STATE  
BOARD OF EDUCATION RULE 6A-14.0582

**OFFICE OF PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY:** PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

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The president is authorized to develop, establish, and implement procedures for intercollegiate student-athlete compensation and rights consistent with State Board of Education Rules.

**HISTORY:**  
**Issued by District Board of Trustees:**  
**Reviewed:**  
**Revised:**