



Freedom High School

Department of Athletics

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SCHOLAR ATHLETE AWARD

The Freedom High School Scholar Athlete Award recognizes student-athletes that demonstrates excellence in the classroom while participating in interscholastic athletics. Beginning in 2023-24 school year, the Freedom High School Scholar Athlete Award will be a custom metal with a navy blue ribbon. The first time a student-athletes achieves the Scholar Athlete Award, they will receive the medal along with a Star Pin for the level of achievement. The Star(s) are pinned on the medal's ribbon. After the first award, student athletes will only be given a Star Pin indicating the level of achievement to be added to the ribbon. The student-athlete could earn up to 12 Stars while attending Freedom.

The Athletic Academic Award Medal and Stars may be worn with a student's cap and gown at graduation.

ACADEMIC AWARD LEVELS and Requirements

Scholar Athlete Award levels follow the NCS academic awards guidelines which is based on upweighted 4.0 GPA scale, not the weighted 5.0 scale. NCS certificates are presented w/ the Star. Student may purchase NCS academics Patches from the NCS website for lettermen jackets if they wish.

- **BRONZE STAR: Scholar Athlete Award** Non-Varsity student athletes with an unweighted GPA between 3.5 – 4.0. These athletes receive the North Coast Section Scholar Athlete Certificate.
- **SILVER STAR: Scholar Athlete Honor Roll.** Varsity student athletes achieving an unweighted GPA between 3.5 – 3.79. These athletes receive the North Coast Section Athlete Honor Roll Certificate.
- **GOLD STAR: Scholar Athletes Principal Honor Roll** Varsity student athletes achieving an unweighted GPA 3.8 – 4.0. These athletes receive the North Coast Section President's List Certificate.