



Athletic Info – Quick Facts



Total Number of College and University Institutions and baseball participants:

<u>Division</u>	<u># of Institutions</u>	<u>Participants</u>
Division 1	274	8,439
Division 2	224	6,889
Division 3	319	9,825
NAIA	320	9,600
NJCAA		
Division 1	185	5,550
Division 2	114	3,420
Division 3	85	2,550
California	87	2,175

*On average there are 114,000 high school seniors competing for 13,000 available slots
In essence 1 in every 10 high school players receive the opportunity to play college baseball*

Scholarship Opportunities

<u>Division</u>	<u># of schools offering scholarships</u>	<u>Maximum scholarships allowed</u>
Division 1	287	11.7
Division 2	246	9
Division 3	Not allowed to offer athletic scholarships	
NAIA		12
NJCAA Div. 1	184	24
NJCAA Div. 2	129	24

Just because schools are allowed to have a maximum number of scholarships does not mean that all schools can offer those numbers.

Most baseball schools do not offer full scholarships; instead the scholarships are divided among a couple of players.

- Student/Athletes are eligible to become “prospective student/athletes” as soon as they enter high school. However Schools may not contact you directly until July 1st of your Junior year.
- Student Athletes must register with the NCAA Clearinghouse upon completing their Junior year of high school. All forms must be completed and submitted in order to be considered for a scholarship.
- Programs are allowed a maximum of 35 players on their roster. In the 2008-09 season only 30 players on a college roster may receive an athletic scholarship. In 2009-10 that number decreases to 27.
- Beginning in the 2008-09 season, programs must also offer a minimum 25% scholarship (athletic, academic and grant) to any student athlete that enrolls in a school and is offered a scholarship

