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[Taekwondo is a Varsity Letter Sport in MCPS](#)



On February 8th at the MCPS Public School Board meeting ([video](#)) after months of meetings and reworking the proposal TKD gained Varsity Letter status in Missoula County Public School. Students from Hellgate, Big Sky, Sentinel and Seeley have the opportunity to receive a Letter as recognition for their achievement in TKD.

We worked hard to achieve this for our students and future Taekwondoists with the primary motivation being to give all of our student athletes the opportunity for positive recognition among their peers.

In addition to the MCPS standard requirements related to grades, code of conduct and obtaining a physical... the TKD specific requirements are:

1. A student must be a USA TKD member.
2. A student must attain a 2nd Geup Red Belt or higher and compete as such.
3. A student must maintain (and document) an average of 5 hours per week of instruction, condition and practice for 50 weeks of the year.
4. A student must compete in at least 1 MTA sanctioned

