

**CHAPTER 19**  
**HB 180 – FINAL VERSION**

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HOUSE BILL            ***180***

AN ACT                relative to the definitions of “student athlete” and “student sports” for the management of concussion and head injury.

SPONSORS:            Rep. Ladd, Graf 4; Rep. A. White, Graf 13; Rep. Schlachman, Rock 18; Sen. D'Allesandro, Dist 20; Sen. Carson, Dist 14; Sen. Reagan, Dist 17

COMMITTEE:          Education

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ANALYSIS

      This bill changes the definitions of “student athlete” and “student sports” for purposes of management of head injury and concussion.

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Explanation:          Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.  
                              Matter removed from current law appears [~~in brackets and struck through~~].  
                              Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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*In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Thirteen*

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*Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:*

1           19:1 Head Injury Policies for Student Sports; Definitions. Amend RSA 200:52, III-IV to read as  
2 follows:

3           III. “Student-athlete” means a student ***involved in any intramural sports program***  
4 ***conducted outside the regular teaching day or competitive student sports program between***  
5 ***schools*** in grades [~~9-12 involved in student sports~~] ***4-12***.

6           IV. “Student sports” means [~~athletic programs~~] ***intramural sports programs conducted***  
7 ***outside the regular teaching day for students in grades 4-12 or competitive athletic***  
8 ***programs between schools*** for students in grades [~~9-12~~] ***4-12***.

9           19:2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

10          Approved: May 16, 2013

11          Effective Date: July 15, 2013