

Program Planning Timeline for Unified Track & Field

Task	Deadline
Identify coach for Unified track & field team	September
Team Recruitment (Meet with Special Ed Department)	October - November
Hold an interest meeting for students and parents	October – November
Coach Training Session	November 15
Declare intent to participate in Special Olympics NC	December 15
Coach Training Session	January 14
Submit all student athlete paperwork to Athletic Director & complete online coach training requirements	January 31
Start of practice	February 13
Start of competition	February 27
Schools create team competition schedules and rosters	March 1
County and Conference Meets	March-April
NCHSAA State Championship meet qualifiers announced	May 10
NCHSAA State Championship	May 19-20