



## **Benefits & Extra Benefits**

### Extra Benefits

Any gift, special arrangement, benefit, discount, money, access or expense allowance that is not available to the general student population or expressly authorized by NCAA legislation is considered an extra benefit. The receipt/acceptance of extra benefits is considered a violation of NCAA rules and will impact student-athlete eligibility. For example, if a store offers a student discount available to all college or all Georgia Tech students, you may accept the discount. However, if the discount is provided because you are a student-athlete, it is considered an extra benefit and will impact eligibility. When in doubt, contact the compliance office before accepting any benefits. Your eligibility depends on it!

### Automobiles & Parking

Automobiles in use by student-athletes may be monitored, including the make, model, registration, and on-campus parking status (e.g., parking pass). Please remember that the purchase, registration, or insurance of a car on behalf of a student-athlete by any individual other than a parent/legal guardian or other family member (e.g., booster, agent, runner, etc.) is prohibited and is considered an extra benefit. Additionally, any on-campus parking violations (e.g., parking tickets) are the responsibility of the student-athlete and should be paid in full prior to registration periods. If not paid prior to the registration period, the amount will be taken from any refund you may receive prior to disbursement.

### Awards, Apparel, and Equipment

During your time as a Georgia Tech student-athlete, you may receive awards, apparel, equipment, and participation gifts. These items may include letterman awards, gifts from conference tournaments, Georgia Tech workout/practice gear, championship rings, and equipment issued to you for practice and/or competition. Please note that these items are not to be sold, traded, bartered, or used in any type of transaction. Also, these items should not be provided to any other person to sell or trade on your behalf. Violations in this area will impact your eligibility and/or result in disciplinary action by the GTAA.

### Benefits & Extra Benefits Q&A

#### **The season is over, may I sell my Adidas gear from this past year (e.g. on Facebook Market)?**

No. You may not sell or trade any issued apparel or equipment for any item of value.

#### **May family members continue to give me birthday gifts?**

Yes. Any familial benefits remain permissible. Also, benefits received via a relationship that predates your participation in athletics (e.g., next door neighbor since birth) may continue provided they remain consistent in value and frequency (e.g., birthday present).