

# STUDENT ATHLETE CODE OF CONDUCT



The actions of a student-athlete are a reflection of themselves, their team, their school, and their community. A student's involvement in school sport provides opportunities and experiences that are important to the development of a well-rounded student. However, student-athletes must remember that their participation in school sport is a privilege, not a right.

## STUDENT ATHLETES SHALL:

1. **TREAT EVERYONE WITH RESPECT**
  - a. Treat teammates, coaches, opponents, event organizers and spectators with respect
  - b. Respect and accept, with dignity, the decisions of officials
  - c. Be generous in winning and graceful in losing
2. **EXERCISE SELF-CONTROL AT ALL TIMES**
  - a. There is no place in sport for drugs or alcohol, including tobacco
  - b. Refrain from using foul or profane language
  - c. Refrain from the use of physical force outside the rules of the game
  - d. I agree to abide by my school code of conduct
3. **PLAY FAIR**
  - a. Play within the rules and the spirit of the game at all times
4. **CITIZENSHIP**
  - a. Be a positive role model in the school and classroom
  - b. Be on time for, and attend all classes. Student athletes are in good standing with their classroom teachers. Having unexcused absences and unsatisfactory work habits could jeopardize this good standing and could then result in a player being removed from a team.
  - c. Leaving class earlier than directed by a coach on game day would negate the athlete from participating in that day's game, and further consequences at the coach's discretion.
5. **TRAVEL**
  - a. You are to travel to and from all athletic functions with your team. Transportation will be with your coach or parents of team members. Student athletes may **not** drive other student athletes, and the point of origin is your home.

Student name: _____
_____ Date: _____
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