

Athletes Code of Conduct

Athletes will not be involved with alcohol, illegal drugs or tobacco. Any involvement with alcohol, illegal drugs or tobacco will result in immediate dismissal from the team.

Athletes using vulgar or profane language, fighting, or engaging in destructive behavior will face discipline.

Athletes will be expected to attend all practices on time unless excused by the coach.

Athletes will follow the “dress-for-success” policy in the student handbook.

Grades

A “C-” or better, in EACH CLASS is required to turnout and remain on the team. There are consequences for not keeping grades up during a sport. Each athlete will have a “Grade Check” once a week. If grades are under a “C-” in individual classes, the following will take place:

1st week: A warning will be given

2nd week: There will be a “2” game suspension

3rd week: Suspension in that sport until the season is over

If an athlete is ineligible to participate in three league games as a result of grades, then that athlete will miss the rest of that sport’s season.

Absences

There are two types of absences: EXCUSED and UNEXCUSED

EXCUSED absences include: illness or injury

Please note, however, that these absences are only considered excused if the coach is contacted before practice. Prior notification can be made in the following ways:

- *face to face with the coach

- *a note handed to the coach

- *An email to the coach

- *Phone call to the coach

If the coach is unavailable, please leave a message for him on his voicemail. Do not ask a friend to tell the coach that you can’t make it to practice.

Players who are injured, or ill, must check with the coach to find out if they should watch practice, run, help out with drills, or go home.

UNEXCUSED absences include:

- *All other absences that do not fit the above category or excused absences.

- *An excused absence that is NOT communicated to the coach prior to the absence.

Tardies

TWO unexcused absences OR tardies, will result in:

- *ineligible to participate in the next two games