

San Mateo - Foster City School District
Abbott Middle School
2018-2019
Student Athlete Responsibility Contract

In order to participate in the SMFC After-School Athletic Program, a student must meet and maintain the following criteria throughout the duration of the activity:

1. A signed Parental Consent and Release to Participate
2. At least a 2.0 GPA (Education Code Standard)
3. Appropriate and becoming conduct as defined in the school handbook, coaching team standards, the athletic program, and district guidelines. Any student athlete who chooses not to abide by these guidelines will forfeit their athletic eligibility for the current season. This joint decision is permanent and irreversible once eligibility is forfeited.

These guidelines are basic expectations that all SMFC students are required to follow, however, student athletes are expected to do more. They are expected to rise above and beyond in many expectations due to their special place in representing the students, school, and community of their school.

Participation in student athletics is a privilege, which comes with the added responsibility of many hours of commitment to team meetings, practices, and games.

This commitment is second however to the academic component of the student athlete. Academics must be maintained at all times, and student athletes should strive to rise above the average in the classroom as well as on the playing field.

Removal from the activity may occur for one or more of the following reasons:

1. Disciplinary issues in the educational setting (a Referral.)
2. Behavioral issues within the educational or athletic setting.
3. Failure to meet academic standards as defined above.
4. Failure to complete academic check sheets as assigned.
5. Failure to complete team requirements (including, but not limited to: missing practices without acceptable and/or prior notice/reasons; defiant behavior; poor sportsmanship; breaking of team or league rules).
6. Active participation in athletics when having a medical excuse from P.E.
7. Any participation in athletics on a day when absent from school.

As a student-athlete and representative of my school, I understand and accept the guidelines and will abide by them to the best of my abilities at all times. I understand that if at any point during the activity I choose not to follow these guidelines that I will be dismissed from the activity and forfeit my eligibility as a student athlete.

Student-Athlete Name _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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Code of Conduct for Student-Athletes and Parents

As a student athlete or concerned parent involved with Middle School Athletics, it is our duty to emphasize the ideals of sportsmanship, ethical conduct, and fair play. Athletes and parents are expected to respect the integrity and judgment of officials and coaches, and common courtesy to visiting guests and visiting players. Parents and student-athletes should always remember that they are an extension of and representative of their respective middle school at all times, and should conduct themselves with class and poise when visiting other sites as well.

The following guidelines should serve as a code of established behavior for student-athletes and parents.

1. I will treat the coach, teammates, opposing players and coaches, officials, parents, and administrators with respect and dignity.
2. I will carry myself with poise and use only positive language.
3. I will follow all school rules and policies as defined by school regulations in the school handbook, and I understand that participation in school athletics is an extension of school and my education.
4. I will pledge allegiance to the team and the coach who is the instructional authority for my team. I will actively discourage fans, students, or parents from undermining the coach's authority.
5. I will support the team by attending all scheduled practices and games unless unforeseen circumstances arise. In the event I cannot make a practice or game, I will communicate with the coach to inform her/him of the situation.
6. I will actively work to openly communicate with my teammates or coach in the event of a problem related to the team. I will work with everyone involved to resolve the situation.
7. I will strive to maintain or raise my grades and behavior, while realizing that school work and education take priority over athletics. I will not allow my grades to decline at the expense of practice or game time. I will complete all grade checks as requested by the athletic program and maintain my academic focus.
8. Your signature signifies your willingness to respect, emphasize, and abide by this code of conduct.

Student-Athlete Name _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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District Uniform Use Agreement

I, _____ will take reasonable and responsible care for my after school athletics uniform. I will wear it only as directed by the Coach and Athletic Director and will

Not wear it to P.E., class, or on surfaces that could damage the uniform.

I understand that if I lose, damage, or destroy the uniform through lack of care, misuse, or neglect (including poor washing technique), that I will furnish the entire replacement cost of the uniform. This may include jersey cost, art charge, screening charge, and other special order costs when uniforms are not purchased in bulk.

I understand the replacement cost for the uniform is at least \$75.00.

At the end of the season I will turn in the uniform in a timely matter as directed, fully cleansed and in good condition.

Student-Athlete Name _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Name _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____