

Akiba Academy

General Athletic Policies

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This form provides basic information about our athletic program. We use our program to educate, but do so through rigorous competition and commitment to excellence. Our decision about playing time, practice, and other matters are directly related to this competitive mission. Our main goals as coaches are to instill discipline, promote physical fitness, and to create greater teamwork.

Participation Requirements:

- Athlete must attend - and be on time to - every practice session and game.
- Athlete must receive advance permission from coach to be excused from practice or game. Excused absences are illness, family emergency, or legitimate academic need.
- Athlete will wear school uniforms to all games. Boys are required to wear a kippah throughout the school day and during all sporting events.
- There will be a \$125.00 participation fee per athlete per sport.
- Athlete must submit a completed and signed Athletics Participation Form.
- Athlete must submit a completed and signed Preparticipation Physical Evaluation--Medical History form.
- Athlete is required to have a physical evaluation and submit completed and signed Preparticipation Physical Evaluation--Physical Examination form.

Athletes will not be allowed to participate in practice or games until participation fees have been paid and required forms have been submitted.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Students in grades 5 through 8 are eligible to participate in our athletic program.
- If a student is failing any class, or is more than 2 letter grade levels below the student's average, the student will be placed on academic probation. The student will not be permitted to attend practice or games for a two week period. After the two week period, if student's grades have improved, the Director of General Studies will inform the student and coach that he/she may return to athletics.

Code of Conduct:

- Display good sportsmanship at every game and practice.
- Respect coaches, other players, officials, and spectators at all times.
- Respect all teachers and adults at all times.
- All coaches and teachers are to be addressed as "Sir or Ma'am", whichever is appropriate.
- Work hard and commit to improvement.
- Parents will make an appointment with the coach to discuss any issues.
- Last but not least HAVE FUN!!!

Other information:

- All notifications such as games schedules, time/day changes for practice or games, or messages from coach will be posted on the Akiba website.
- Transportation will be provided when available. On occasion, parents will be asked to assist with these efforts. When transportation is provided, parents are allowed to pick athletes up from the game site. The coach must be notified before departure.
- Failure to return uniform will result in student's report card being withheld.

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In order to ensure that this educational experience in our athletic program is positive, we feel that it is important that you read and abide by the general athletic policies and guidelines herein.

We are looking forward to a great year, and hope you will come out and support the Cougars!

Respectfully,

Chris Walker, Head Boy's Coach

I have read and understood the athletic policies and guidelines and agree to comply with them.

Student Name

Payment:

Initial below:

Student Signature

_____ I agree to pay the \$125.00 participation fee on or before the Parents and Athletes meeting.

Parent Name

Parent Signature