



St. Francis of Assisi Catholic School Catholic School Activities League Rules and Expectations – Student Contract

All students who are members of any St. Francis of Assisi Catholic School sporting events understand that being part of this team is a tremendous commitment and dedication to the game and their team. Playing for the Vikings is a privilege and not a right. As St. Francis of Assisi Catholic School students, we understand and agree to follow the contract.

Player Responsibilities

1. I _____, hereby state that in the event of a scheduling conflict between an SFA sport and an outside organized sport / event, I must notify my coach of any conflict at the beginning of the season or a minimum of 2 weeks prior to the conflict, thus giving the coach time to work with the Athletic Director/s to find a floater/s to help my team out during my absence.
 - a. In the event that I choose to participate in the outside activity over my SFA sport, I may not start the next game, and/or my playing time may be affected depending on the coach's choice.
2. Any player joining a CSAL team must do so before the first scheduled game of the regular season. The only exception to this rule would be a student transferring from another school.
3. Attendance at all practices, team meetings, and games is mandatory. Injured players are still expected to come to practice and games, listen to coaches and encourage their teammates.
4. Only students who have attended school for half of the day (7:50-11:30 or 11:30-3:30) will be allowed to practice or participate in games.
5. In very rare situations, players may be excused from attending practices and games for emergencies, or if a player tells a coach via phone or verbally at the earliest possible time.
6. When a player misses practice, he/she will lose playing time in the next game. Players are to be on time to all practices and games, if this becomes a problem, they could lose playing time.
7. In the case of unexcused absences in which the coach was not informed in the manner described above, and/or the reason for the absence is not satisfactory, this may result in reduced playing time or other consequences as deemed appropriate.
8. Players are responsible for seeking understanding or resolution to a problem or question when they arise with coaches or teammates.
9. Players will stay eligible, understanding that if they are ineligible two weeks throughout the season they will be required to attend homework club for the remainder of that quarter.
10. The above standards do not preclude the authority of the principal to limit, suspend, or prohibit students from participation in practice or games for behavioral problems as they deem necessary.
11. Players will conduct their personal lives in a manner that brings honor to themselves, their team and school. This includes social media and other school activities.
12. Any athlete ejected from a game for unsportsmanlike activity will be suspended for the next game.

Eligibility

Students will be ineligible:

- Receiving a failing grade "F" - Ineligibility lasts one week (Monday to Monday); that also includes Monday night games as well. Students are still allowed to practice with team and attend games. However, students are NOT allowed to play or suit up.
 - Students will have until 2:00 p.m. every Monday, during the grade check period, to raise their grade to a passing one. If it isn't passing by then, they are ineligible for that week.
 - If you receive two consecutive "F's" in the same quarter, you will be required to attend Homework Club until the end of the quarter.
 - If you have concerns that you are going to be ineligible, **please check PowerSchool** and see what needs to be turned in BEFORE grade checks on Monday.

- After 5th demerit - Students who are ineligible will have a maximum suspension of one game.
- ISS or OSS Policy
 - If a student receives an ISS or OSS, they are not allowed to either practice or participate in any CSAL athletic event for one week.

Game Day Protocol

1. All games are deemed mandatory. If a player must miss, they need to clear it with a coach beforehand.
2. Parents will make sure that if a student is going to be late to school, leave in the middle, or not attend for any reason they need to contact the school before 8:30 a.m. that day, or the student athlete will not be able to participate in practice or games that day.
3. Players that are released early from school are expected to get what they will miss from teachers.

Uniforms

1. Are to be kept clean and washed after every game.
 - a. Uniforms should be washed in cold water and on the gentle cycle the hang them to dry.
 - b. DO NOT PUT IN THE DRYER PLEASE.
2. The uniform is given to the player only; therefore no one else should be wearing it.
 - a. If the uniform is damaged or lost, the player/parents will be responsible to pay for a replacement.
3. When the season is over, uniforms must be returned.
 - a. If the uniform is not turned in or is ruined from improper care, there will be a \$50 charge to replace that uniform.

I understand that in order for me to participate on a St. Francis of Assisi Catholic School team in football, volleyball, basketball, track, cheerleading, cross country or wrestling, I agree to the above rules and any rules as outlined by SFA school.

Student's Signature

Date

Student's Name (Please Print)

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