

ATHLETIC ELIGIBILITY CONTRACT

To participate in St. Francis Xavier School sports the following Athletic Eligibility Contract must be signed by each team member. As a member of a St. Francis Xavier School athletic team, I agree to fulfill the following requirements:

REQUIREMENTS TO PRACTICE OR PLAY:

1. Students may participate on their own grade level team only; for example, 5th & 6th graders may not play on a 7th & 8th grade team.
2. A student may have no more than one subject area grade average of 60-69%; no subject area grade averages below 60%; no more than one Special subject area grade average of "N". Students who have any subject area grade average of 60-69% plus a Special area grade average of "N" shall be ineligible to try out, practice, or play.
3. A team member may rejoin a team based upon the administration's and teacher's assessment of his/her effort and grades.
4. ****Diocesan regulations require all team members to provide a physical evaluation. Forms available through Ms. Corrado, on the SFX webpage, and in the front office.**

CONDUCT REQUIREMENTS TO TRY OUT, PRACTICE, OR PLAY:

All athletes must demonstrate a cooperative attitude and a good effort to play as a member of the team, as determined by the coach. Parents will be notified when the athlete's attitude or team effort is lacking. A suspension automatically disqualifies a student from further participation on his/her current team. The student may try out for subsequent sports teams.

1. Athletes must maintain acceptable grades in conduct at all times; therefore, "5's" on mid-quarter progress reports or quarterly report cards make a team member ineligible to try out or remain on the team.
2. A "4" in conduct will be examined on an individual basis. Two or more "4's" or any "5's" on mid-quarter progress reports or quarterly report cards make students ineligible to try out or remain on the team.
3. Administrators and the Athletic Director will determine athletes' status on an individual basis.

MONITOR SCHEDULE: Requirements are monitored at progress report and report card times.

DETENTIONS:

1. No more than two per season.
2. Based upon the number and/or reason for detentions, the school administration and athletic director will determine the student's team member status.
3. The student will not participate at, or attend, the next scheduled game for each behavioral detention or two non-behavioral detentions.

ATTENDANCE:

1. The athlete must attend all practices and games. Should circumstances arise beyond the control of a parent or guardian, a written excuse is required from the parent or guardian.
2. Absences due to illness will be handled on an individual basis.

SPORTSMANSHIP:

1. I agree to conduct myself as a Christian athlete exhibiting a high level of good sportsmanship at all times.
2. The severity of any infraction (judged by Administration & Athletic Dir.) determines the status of the athlete.
3. I, the parent or guardian, will volunteer a minimum of one hour per sport season to the St. Francis Xavier Booster Club.

I understand that failure to meet any of these requirements disqualifies me from participation in the St. Francis Xavier School Sports Program.

(Student's Signature)

(Homeroom)

(Date)

(Parent's or Guardian's Signature)

(Date)

(Coach's Signature)

(Date)