

EXTRACURRICULAR CODE OF CONDUCT

(NON-SCHOOL SPONSORED TIME)

Participation in extracurricular activities is considered a privilege and higher standards are expected from all participants as it pertains to grades, behavior in and out of school, attendance, work ethic, and commitment. Any behavior that is deemed unbecoming of an athlete or participant will be subject to punishment by the coach or sponsor of the activity. I will be held accountable for all of my actions.

It should be noted that the LISD student code of conduct and local school policies regarding appropriate behavior shall always be applied first and foremost when violations occur at a school, contest/event, traveling to and from a contest/event, or when the students represent themselves as a part of a school team, organization, or school group. The district standards are set as a minimum expectation, but campuses may choose to establish more stringent guidelines deemed, as necessary. Campus guidelines will prevail.

I. Use and/or possession of Alcohol will not be tolerated.

- 1st Offense: removed from competition for ONE contest for extracurricular activities with one event and/or performance per week or TWO contests for activities with multiple events per week. School staff counseling required.
- 2nd Offense: removed from competition for the next 45 school days. School staff counseling required. Reinstatement will require approval by coach/sponsor.*
- 3rd Offense: Student will no longer be permitted to participate in any extra-curricular activities for one school calendar year. Reinstatement will require approval by coach/sponsor.*

II. Use and/or possession of Drugs will not be tolerated.

- 1st Offense: removed from competition for TWO contests for extracurricular activities with one event and/or performances per week or FOUR contests for activities with multiple events per week. School staff counseling required
- 2nd Offense: removed from competition for the next 45 school days. School staff counseling required. Reinstatement will require approval by coach/sponsor.*
- 3rd Offense: Student will no longer be permitted to participate in any extracurricular activities for one school calendar year. Reinstatement will require approval by coach/sponsor.*

III. Use and/or possession of Tobacco will not be tolerated.

- 1st Offense: removed from competition for ONE contest for extracurricular activities and/or performance with one event per week or TWO contests for activities with multiple events weekly. School staff counseling required.
- 2nd Offense: removed from competition for the next 45 days. School staff counseling required. Reinstatement will require approval by coach/sponsor.
- 3rd Offense: Students will no longer be permitted to participate in any extracurricular activities for one school calendar year. Reinstatement will require approval by coach/sponsor.

IV. Hazing (as defined by board Policy FNCC Legal)

- 1st Offense: removed from competition for TWO contest for extracurricular activities and/or performance with one event per week and FOUR contests for activities with multiple weekly events. School staff counseling required.
- 2nd Offense: removed from competition for the next 45 days. School staff counseling required. Reinstatement will require approval by coach/sponsor.*
- 3rd Offense: Students will no longer be permitted to participate in any extracurricular activities for one school calendar year. Reinstatement will require approval by coach/sponsor.*

- V. Charged with a felony.
- Suspended from the non-curricular program until the case is adjudicated.

Adjudication and/or Conviction of a felony.

- Removed from the program indefinitely.
- VI. Any activity or conduct that the coach, director and principal deems harmful or detrimental to the reputation of the program can be subject to disciplinary action under the Extracurricular Code of Conduct (Non-School Sponsored Time).

*Once a participant has been removed from the program, the coach/sponsor and administrator shall review the case as to whether to allow the participant back into the program, after the 45 days or more, for a probationary period. Penalty can carry over from year to year until time is served.

I am selected to represent _____ School in an extracurricular program. I will contribute my best effort to the success of the program. I therefore agree to the expectations and consequences as they pertain to my behavior during non-school sponsored time, while a member of an extracurricular group.

I have received a copy of the Extracurricular Code of Conduct (Non-School Sponsored Time) and understand that I will be held accountable for my behavior and will be subject to the disciplinary consequences outlined in the Code.

Name of Student (Print)

Signature of Student

Signature of Parent

Date/School/Grade