

APPENDIX 1

**JESSAMINE COUNTY SCHOOLS
STUDENT-ATHLETE CODE OF ETHICS**

1. I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care, and encouragement for my team and coaches by following this Student-Athlete Code of Ethics.
2. I will model good sportsmanship in a way that casts a positive light on our team, school, and community.
3. I will seek help when I need it or when I'm struggling academically.
4. I acknowledge that decisions about playing time are the sole responsibility of the coach and that any discussions about playing time are to be directed to my head coach.
5. I am aware that nothing worthwhile is accomplished without hard work and a sincere desire to succeed. This means making a commitment to attend all practices and games, and being willing to sacrifice one's own desires for the good of the team.
6. I will respect my teammates and opponents, coaches, fans, and officials regardless of race, sex, creed, or ability.
7. I will respect all equipment and facilities and be responsible for all issued equipment. I will return all equipment at the end of the season.
8. I will be a positive role model for others and will represent my family, school and community by following the student code of conduct at all times.
9. I will refrain from the use of alcohol, tobacco, and illegal drugs, anabolic steroids or any illegal substance that could alter my natural physical development and/or performance.
10. I will not participate in any discussions or actions that might impact team morale or cohesiveness including threatening or criticizing coaches, athletes, officials, or school administration at anytime.
11. I will refrain from the use of profanity, vulgarity and other offensive language and gestures.
12. I will not participate in any form of hazing.

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By signing this document, I agree to follow the Jessamine County Schools Student-Athlete Code of Ethics.

Parent's Signature

Date

Athlete's Signature

School

Date

Athlete's Printed Name