## FRUITA MIDDLE SCHOOL ATHLETICS

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## STUDENT ATHLETE / PARENT CONTRACT 7<sup>TH</sup> GRADE GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

STUDENT NAME	
(Please Print)	

Fruita Middle School is committed to providing all students with an opportunity to participate in team sports. Our goal is for the student-athlete to enhance their personal development through sportsmanship, character education, teamwork, leadership, and citizenship while achieving academically. As a student-athlete, you are expected to conduct yourself in a positive manner, conducive to the above goals.

As a student-athlete and representative of Fruita Middle School I will adhere to the following guidelines:

- I understand that I am not eligible to participate in any practices until I have completed and returned the *Parent Permission*Form and signed this contract. I understand that I will not be allowed to play in a game until I pay my \$70 athletic fee.
- I understand that being on time is important. **Practice will** start at 2:50 and end at 4:15, which means I should be dressed, stretched, and ready to go by 2:50. When traveling, buses will be leaving when they are scheduled to leave, we will not be waiting for players who are running late. Tardiness will result in consequences for myself and/or my teammates.
- I understand that my participation is a season-long commitment and that my presence is required at every practice and game in order for my team to be successful. If for some important reason, I cannot attend a practice or game, I will contact one of my coaches as soon as I know of a conflict, at the very latest, the morning before a practice or game. In order to play in a game, I must attend the practice prior to the game. A written excuse must be provided for all absences.
- I understand that I am personally responsible for any and all FMS equipment and uniforms checked out to me, and will return them in good condition within 3 days of the last contest, or I will pay \$50 for replacements.
- I understand that as member of the FMS volleyball team I am a representative of my school, teachers, coaches, parents, community, etc., and I should represent them in a positive manner. Whenever I am sitting in the stands, before or after my game, I will be sitting with my team behind our bench. Only players, managers, and coaches will be allowed to sit behind the bench during games. All players are expected to remain seated during the game and carry themselves in a respectful manner (example: do not yell at coaches, officials, or other players, applaud politely, and stay in your seat). Please put phones away and watch and learn from teammates during the game.
- I understand that if I do not sign-out with a coach prior to leaving with my parents from an away game, I will not be eligible to participate in the next game. No exceptions. This is a district policy.
- I understand that if my behavior during the school day is inappropriate and requires disciplinary action, I can expect consequences for myself and/or my teammates at practices and/or games.
- I understand that a violation of any of the above guidelines may result in disciplinary action for myself and/or my teammates. Disciplinary action may consist of extra running, loss of playing time, game suspension, dismissal from team, or administrative action.

By signing below, I understand the	at I / my student-athlete wil	l be responsible for adhering to the	e guidelines listed above.
Student-Athlete Signature	Date	Parent Signature	Date

## \*RETURN THIS PAPER