## **RED LAND HIGH SCHOOL**

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#### 2024-2025

Dear Parent or Guardian:

All student-athletes must obtain a Comprehensive Initial Pre-participation Physical Exam (CIPPE) NO EARLIER than May 1, 2024, for the 2024-2025 school year either through their family physician or at the school offered physical exam. The PIAA physical form is the only paperwork accepted by West Shore School District.

Student-Athletes may attend physical examinations given by Red Cedar at Red Land High School (Nurse's Office), 3:00 P.M. on Friday, February 21, 2025.

Athletes can attend this physical, and must bring cash, check or a money order made payable to Red Cedar in the amount of \$25.00. Sections 1-5 of the physical packet must also be completed by the parent beforehand.

<u>ALL PHYSICAL PAPERWORK IS DUE TO RED LAND HIGH SCHOOL NO LATER THAN MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2025.</u> ANY PAPERWORK NOT TURNED IN PRIOR TO THE FIRST DAY OF PRACTICE WILL RESULT IN THE STUDENT-ATHLETE NOT BEING ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FIRST OFFICIAL PRACTICE/TRYOUT UNTIL ALL PAPERWORK IS SUBMITTED.

FULL PHYSICAL PACKET

## WEST SHORE SCHOOL DISTRICT

## Activity Fees • 2024-2025

## **Fall Sports**

Cluster A - \$45.00	Cluster B - \$95.00	
Cross Country	Marching Band/Guard	
Junior High Cross Country	Cheerleading	
Junior High Field Hockey	Field Hockey	
Freshman Football	Football	
Golf	Soccer (Boys & Girls)	
Tennis (Girls)	Volleyball (Girls)	

## **Winter Sports**

Cluster A - \$45.00	Cluster B - \$95.00		
Freshman Basketball (Boys & Girls)	Basketball (Boys & Girls)		
Junior High Basketball (Boys & Girls)	Swimming/Diving		
Freshman Wrestling	Wrestling		
Indoor Guard			

## **Spring Sports**

Cluster A - \$45.00	Cluster B - \$95.00
Tennis (Boys)	Baseball
Junior High Soccer (Boys & Girls)	Lacrosse (Boys & Girls)
Junior High Track (Boys & Girls)	Softball
Junior High Volleyball (Girls)	Track (Boys & Girls)
	Volleyball (Boys)

**Student Cap - \$190.00 Family Cap - \$380.00** 

ACTIVITY FEE IS APPLIED TO EACH ACTIVITY THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

## **Activity Fee**

Your child has expressed an interest in participating in an athletic program at Red Land High School. These are programs for those students desiring a level of competition beyond that provided in the physical education program. An activity fee is required for participation in athletics and student activities.

All Activity Fees have been adjusted to absorb the additional convenience fees that may be charged by paying online. The chart lists the fees paid per sport you can also click on the link provided for fees Activity Fee Forms. The fee will be assessed per sport and activity. There is a student cap of \$190.00 and a family cap of \$380.00. Fees **must be paid** and submitted within a minimum of one (1) week of the start of practice for the athlete's season. Please see below the ways to pay your student's Activity Fee.

## 1. Pay Online

Families who would like to pay student activity fees online, must create a LINQ Connect account to do so (if you have not already done so). To begin using LINQ, please follow this link: <a href="https://lingconnect.com">https://lingconnect.com</a> (this payment system is also utilized for the school lunch program).

Step by step instructions are listed on the West Shore School District website under this link: <a href="https://www.wssd.k12.pa.us/ActivityFee.aspx">https://www.wssd.k12.pa.us/ActivityFee.aspx</a>

## 2. Pay by Check or Money Order

Families who prefer **not to utilize** the online system can submit a check or money order made payable to West Shore School District as follows:

West Shore School District Attention: Athletic/Student Activity Fee 507 Fishing Creek Road PO Box 803 New Cumberland, PA 17070

## 3. Pay by Cash

Families who prefer to pay by cash can submit the cash to the high school athletic office or the district administration building.

## 4. Waiver Option

Families who wish to apply for an Activity Fee Waiver can find the Activity Fee Waiver Form at this link: Activity Fee Waiver Form or can obtain one from the high school athletic office.

The spring sports season begins Monday, March 3, 2025. Individual coaches will let their players know at what time and place to pick up any required equipment. The individual coaches will let the athletes know where practice is and when it starts.

## **Sports Offered at Red Land High School** (SPRING)

## **Spring Sports:**

Baseball Softball Boys Tennis Boys Track and Field Girls Track and Field Boys Lacrosse Girls Lacrosse Boys Volleyball	Head Coach Head Coach Head Coach Head Coach Head Coach Head Coach Head Coach Head Coach	Nate Ebbert Madelyn Yannetti Randy Bixler Larry Kell Tyson Rohrs Dave Heisey Amber Updegraff John Kulick	(Grades 9-12) (Grades 9-12) (Grades 9-12) (Grades 9-12) (Grades 9-12) (Grades 9-12) (Grades 9-12) (Grades 9-12)	nebbert@wssd.k12.pa.us myannetti@wssd.k12.pa.us bbixler@wssd.k12.pa.us lkell@wssd.k12.pa.us trohrs@wssd.k12.pa.us coachheiso@gmail.com amber.m.updegraff@gmail.com john.kuick@temple.edu				
Junior High/Freshman Sports	Junior High/Freshman Sports							
Boys Soccer (Junior High) Girls Soccer (Junior High) Boys/Girls Track (Junior High) Girls Volleyball (Junior High)	Head Coach Head Coach Head Coach Head Coach	Jared Miller Jamie Miller TBD Katilyn Winebrenner	(Grades 7-8) (Grades 7-8) (Grades 7-8) (Grades 7-8)	jamiller@wssd.k12.pa.us jmiller@wssd.k12.pa.us kwinebrenner@wssd.k12.pa.us				
Athletic Trainer								
Athletic Trainer Athletic Trainer	Head Trainer Asst. Trainer	Lynn Brumbach Nikki Singiser		lbrumbach@wssd.k12.pa.us nsingiser@wssd.k12.pa.us				

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>All physical paperwork must be turned into the athletic trainer a minimum of one (1) week before the official PIAA practice for the season begins.

## WEST SHORE SCHOOL DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL AND MIDDLE SCHOOL Physical Checklist



Submit checklist with completed packet materials. Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ School: Sport: Follow checklist per criteria listed below. **Physical Packet (Full)** ☐ Complete PIAA Physical Packet ☐ Section 1 – Personal and Emergency Information Section 2 – Certification of Parent/Guardian ☐ Section 3 – Understanding Risk of Concussion ☐ Section 4 – Understanding Risk of Cardiac Arrest ☐ Section 5 – Health History Section 6 – PIAA Comprehensive Initial Pre-Participation Physical Evaluation & Certification of Authorized Medical Examiner ALL PIAA PHYSICALS MUST BE DATED JUNE 1, 2024 OR LATER West Shore School District - Waiver of School Insurance, Acknowledgment of Risk & Consent to Participate, Authorization for Release of Medical Information Form Medical Release/Insurance Form Submit Completed Physical Packet to High School Athletic Trainer Submit Activity Fee Payment or a Request for Waiver of Activity Fee Form (Must be submitted within a minimum of one (1) week of the start of practice for activity) Submit West Shore School District Athletic Code of Conduct to High School Athletic Department

## FOR HOMESCHOOL, CYBER SCHOOL AND CHARTER SCHOOL STUDENTS ONLY

Submit Intent to Participate Form

Available on the District website <a href="www.wssd.k12.pa.us">www.wssd.k12.pa.us</a> on the Cedar Cliff and Red Land High School Athletics Department Web pages



## PIAA COMPREHENSIVE INITIAL PRE-PARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION



INITIAL EVALUATION: Prior to any student participating in Practices, Inter-School Practices, Scrimmages, and/or Contests, at any PIAA member school in any school year, the student is required to (1) complete a Comprehensive Initial Pre-Participation Physical Evaluation (CIPPE); and (2) have the appropriate person(s) complete the first six Sections of the CIPPE Form. Upon completion of Sections 1 and 2 by the parent/guardian; Sections 3, 4, and 5 by the student and parent/guardian; and Section 6 by an Authorized Medical Examiner (AME), those Sections must be turned in to the Principal, or the Principal's designee, of the student's school for retention by the school. The CIPPE may not be authorized earlier than May 1<sup>st</sup> and shall be effective, regardless of when performed during a school year, until the latter of the next April 30<sup>th</sup> or the conclusion of the spring sports season.

SUBSEQUENT SPORT(S) IN THE SAME SCHOOL YEAR: Following completion of a CIPPE, the same student seeking to participate in Practices, Inter-School Practices, Scrimmages, and/or Contests in subsequent sport(s) in the same school year, must complete Section 7 of this form and must turn in that Section to the Principal, or Principal's designee, of his or her school. The Principal, or the Principal's designee, will then determine whether Section 8 need be completed.

## SECTION 1: PERSONAL AND EMERGENCY INFORMATION

## PERSONAL INFORMATION Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Male/Female (circle one) Date of Student's Birth: \_\_\_/\_\_\_ Age of Student on Last Birthday: \_\_\_\_ Grade for Current School Year: \_\_\_\_ Current Physical Address \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Current Cellular Phone # ( ) Current Home Phone # ( Parent/Guardian E-mail Address:\_\_\_\_\_ Fall Sport(s): Spring Sport(s): **EMERGENCY INFORMATION** Parent's/Guardian's Name\_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact Telephone # ( )\_\_\_ Secondary Emergency Contact Person's Name Relationship Address \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact Telephone # ( )\_\_\_\_\_ Medical Insurance Carrier\_\_\_\_\_\_ Policy Number\_\_\_\_\_ Address Telephone # ( ) Family Physician's Name , MD or DO (circle one) Address \_\_\_\_\_\_Telephone # ( ) \_\_\_\_\_\_ Student's Allergies Student's Health Condition(s) of Which an Emergency Physician or Other Medical Personnel Should be Aware Student's Prescription Medications and conditions of which they are being prescribed \_\_\_\_\_

Revised: March 24, 2024 BOD approved

#### Section 2: Certification of Parent/Guardian The student's parent/guardian must complete all parts of this form. **A.** I hereby give my consent for born on \_\_\_ who turned on his/her last birthday, a student of School and a resident of the \_\_\_ public school district, to participate in Practices, Inter-School Practices, Scrimmages, and/or Contests during the 20\_\_\_\_ \_ - 20\_\_\_\_ school year in the sport(s) as indicated by my signature(s) following the name of the said sport(s) approved below. Fall Signature of Parent Winter Signature of Parent Spring Signature of Parent **Sports** or Guardian or Guardian Sports **Sports** or Guardian Cross Basketball Baseball Country Bowling Boys' Field Lacrosse Competitive Hockey Girls' Spirit Squad Football Lacrosse Girls' Golf Softball Gymnastics Soccer Bovs' Rifle Tennis Girls' Swimming Track & Field **Tennis** and Diving (Outdoor) Girls' Track & Field Bovs' Volleyball (Indoor) Volleyball Water Wrestling Other Polo Other Other Understanding of eligibility rules: I hereby acknowledge that I am familiar with the requirements of PIAA concerning the eligibility of students at PIAA member schools to participate in Inter-School Practices, Scrimmages, and/or Contests involving PIAA member schools. Such requirements, which are posted on the PIAA Web site at www.piaa.org, include, but are not necessarily limited to age, amateur status, school attendance, health, transfer from one school to another, season and out-of-season rules and regulations, semesters of attendance, seasons of sports participation, and academic performance. Parent's/Guardian's Signature Disclosure of records needed to determine eligibility: To enable PIAA to determine whether the herein named student is eligible to participate in interscholastic athletics involving PIAA member schools, I hereby consent to the release to PIAA of any and all portions of school record files, beginning with the seventh grade, of the herein named student specifically including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, birth and age records, name and residence address of parent(s) or guardian(s), residence address of the student, health records, academic work completed, grades received, and attendance data. Parent's/Guardian's Signature Date / / Permission to use name, likeness, and athletic information: I consent to PIAA's use of the herein named student's name, likeness, and athletically related information in video broadcasts and re-broadcasts, webcasts and reports of Inter-School Practices, Scrimmages, and/or Contests, promotional literature of the Association, and other materials and releases related to interscholastic athletics. Parent's/Guardian's Signature Permission to administer emergency medical care: I consent for an emergency medical care provider to administer any emergency medical care deemed advisable to the welfare of the herein named student while the student is practicing for or participating in Inter-School Practices, Scrimmages, and/or Contests. Further, this authorization permits, if reasonable efforts to contact me have been unsuccessful, physicians to hospitalize, secure appropriate consultation, to order injections, anesthesia (local, general, or both) or surgery for the herein named student. I hereby agree to pay for physicians' and/or surgeons' fees, hospital charges, and related expenses for such emergency medical care. I further give permission to the school's athletic administration, coaches and medical staff to consult with the Authorized Medical Professional who executes Section 7 regarding a medical condition or injury to the herein named student. Date / / Parent's/Guardian's Signature \_\_\_ Confidentiality: The information on this CIPPE shall be treated as confidential by school personnel. It may be used by the school's athletic administration, coaches and medical staff to determine athletic eligibility, to identify medical conditions and injuries, and to promote safety and injury prevention. In the event of an emergency, the information contained in this CIPPE may be shared with emergency medical personnel. Information about an injury or medical

condition will not be shared with the public or media without written consent of the parent(s) or guardian(s).

Date

Parent's/Guardian's Signature

## SECTION 3: UNDERSTANDING OF RISK OF CONCUSSION AND TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY

#### What is a concussion?

A concussion is a brain injury that:

- Is caused by a bump, blow, or jolt to the head or body.
- Can change the way a student's brain normally works.
- Can occur during Practices and/or Contests in any sport.
- Can happen even if a student has not lost consciousness.
- Can be serious even if a student has just been "dinged" or "had their bell rung."

All concussions are serious. A concussion can affect a student's ability to do schoolwork and other activities (such as playing video games, working on a computer, studying, driving, or exercising). Most students with a concussion get better, but it is important to give the concussed student's brain time to heal.

## What are the symptoms of a concussion?

Concussions cannot be seen; however, in a potentially concussed student, **one or more** of the symptoms listed below may become apparent and/or that the student "doesn't feel right" soon after, a few days after, or even weeks after the injury.

- Headache or "pressure" in head
- Nausea or vomiting
- Balance problems or dizziness
- Double or blurry vision
- Bothered by light or noise

- Feeling sluggish, hazy, foggy, or groggy
- Difficulty paying attention
- Memory problems
- Confusion

## What should students do if they believe that they or someone else may have a concussion?

- Students feeling any of the symptoms set forth above should immediately tell their Coach and their parents. Also, if they notice any teammate evidencing such symptoms, they should immediately tell their Coach.
- The student should be evaluated. A licensed physician of medicine or osteopathic medicine (MD or DO), sufficiently familiar with current concussion management, should examine the student, determine whether the student has a concussion, and determine when the student is cleared to return to participate in interscholastic athletics.
- Concussed students should give themselves time to get better. If a student has sustained a concussion, the student's brain needs time to heal. While a concussed student's brain is still healing, that student is much more likely to have another concussion. Repeat concussions can increase the time it takes for an already concussed student to recover and may cause more damage to that student's brain. Such damage can have long term consequences. It is important that a concussed student rest and not return to play until the student receives permission from an MD or DO, sufficiently familiar with current concussion management, that the student is symptom-free.

**How can students prevent a concussion?** Every sport is different, but there are steps students can take to protect themselves.

• Use the proper sports equipment, including personal protective equipment. For equipment to properly protect a student, it must be:

The right equipment for the sport, position, or activity; Worn correctly and the correct size and fit; and Used every time the student Practices and/or competes.

- Follow the Coach's rules for safety and the rules of the sport.
- Practice good sportsmanship at all times.

If a student believes they may have a concussion: Don't hide it. Report it. Take time to recover.

I hereby acknowledge that I am familiar with the nature and risk of concussion and traum participating in interscholastic athletics, including the risks associated with continuing to compete traumatic brain injury.			
Student's Signature	Date_	/	
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Parent's/Guardian's Signature	Date		_/

## SECTION 4: UNDERSTANDING OF SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST SYMPTOMS AND WARNING SIGNS

#### What is sudden cardiac arrest?

Sudden cardiac arrest (SCA) occurs when the heart suddenly and unexpectedly stops beating. When this happens blood stops flowing to the brain and other vital organs. SCA is NOT a heart attack. A heart attack may cause SCA, but they are not the same. A heart attack is caused by a blockage that stops the flow of blood to the heart. SCA is a malfunction in the heart's electrical system, causing the heart to suddenly stop beating.

#### How common is sudden cardiac arrest in the United States?

There are about 350,000 cardiac arrests that occur outside of hospitals each year. More than 10,000 individuals under the age of 25 die of SCA each year. SCA is the number one killer of student athletes and the leading cause of death on school campuses.

## Are there warning signs?

Although SCA happens unexpectedly, some people may have signs or symptoms, such as

- Dizziness or lightheadedness when exercising;
- Fainting or passing out during or after exercising;
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing with exercise, that is not asthma related;
- Racing, skipped beats or fluttering heartbeat (palpitations)
- Fatigue (extreme or recent onset of tiredness)
- Weakness:
- Chest pains/pressure or tightness during or after exercise.

These symptoms can be unclear and confusing in athletes. Some may ignore the signs or think they are normal results off physical exhaustion. If the conditions that cause SCA are diagnosed and treated before a life-threatening event, sudden cardiac death can be prevented in many young athletes.

## What are the risks of practicing or playing after experiencing these symptoms?

There are significant risks associated with continuing to practice or play after experiencing these symptoms. The symptoms might mean something is wrong and the athlete should be checked before returning to play. When the heart stops due to cardiac arrest, so does the blood that flows to the brain and other vital organs. Death or permanent brain damage can occur in just a few minutes. Most people who experience a SCA die from it; survival rates are below 10%.

## Act 73 – Peyton's Law - Electrocardiogram testing for student athletes

The Act is intended to help keep student-athletes safe while practicing or playing by providing education about SCA and by requiring notification to parents that you can request, at your expense, an electrocardiogram (EKG or ECG) as part of the physical examination to help uncover hidden heart issues that can lead to SCA.

## Why do heart conditions that put youth at risk go undetected?

- Up to 90 percent of underlying heart issues are missed when using only the history and physical exam;
- . Most heart conditions that can lead to SCA are not detectable by listening to the heart with a stethoscope during a routine physical; and
- Often, youth don't report or recognize symptoms of a potential heart condition.

#### What is an electrocardiogram (EKG or ECG)?

An ECG/EKG is a quick, painless and noninvasive test that measures and records a moment in time of the heart's electrical activity. Small electrode patches are attached to the skin of your chest, arms and legs by a technician. An ECG/EKG provides information about the structure, function, rate and rhythm of the heart.

## Why add an ECG/EKG to the physical examination?

Adding an ECG/EKG to the history and physical exam can suggest further testing or help identify up to two-thirds of heart conditions that can lead to SCA. An ECG/EKG can be ordered by your physician for screening for cardiovascular disease or for a variety of symptoms such as chest pain, palpitations, dizziness, fainting, or family history of heart disease.

- ECG/EKG screenings should be considered every 1-2 years because young hearts grow and change.
- ECG/EKG screenings may increase sensitivity for detection of undiagnosed cardiac disease but may not prevent SCA.
- ECG/EKG screenings with abnormal findings should be evaluated by trained physicians.
- If the ECG/EKG screening has abnormal findings, additional testing may need to be done (with associated cost and risk) before a diagnosis can be made, and may prevent the student from participating in sports for a short period of time until the testing is completed and more specific recommendations can be made.
- The ECG/EKG can have false positive findings, suggesting an abnormality that does not really exist (false positive findings occur less when ECG/EKGs are read by a medical practitioner proficient in ECG/EKG interpretation of children, adolescents and young athletes).
- ECGs/EKGs result in fewer false positives than simply using the current history and physical exam.

The American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association guidelines do not recommend an ECG or EKG in asymptomatic patients but do support local programs in which ECG or EKG can be applied with high-quality resources.

Removal from play/return to play

Any student-athlete who has signs or symptoms of SCA must be removed from play (which includes all athletic activity). The symptoms can happen before, during, or after activity.

Before returning to play, the athlete must be evaluated and cleared. Clearance to return to play must be in writing. The evaluation must be performed by a licensed physician, certified registered nurse practitioner, or cardiologist (heart doctor). The licensed physician or certified registered nurse practitioner may consult any other licensed or certified medical professionals.

I have reviewed this form and understand the symptoms and warning signs of SCA. I have also read the information about the electrocardiogram testing and how it may help to detect hidden heart issues.

		Date//
Signature of Student-Athlete	Print Student-Athlete's Name	
		Date//
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Print Parent/Guardian's Name	

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Stud	Student's SignatureDate//								

Date / /

I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge all of the information herein is true and complete.

Parent's/Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION 6: PIAA COMPREHENSIVE INITIAL PRE-PARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION AND CERTIFICATION OF AUTHORIZED MEDICAL EXAMINER

Must be completed and signed by the Authorized Medical Examiner (AME) performing the herein named student's comprehensive initial pre-participation physical evaluation (CIPPE) and turned in to the Principal, or the Principal's designee, of the student's school. \_\_\_\_\_ Age\_\_\_\_ Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_School Sport(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Enrolled in \_\_\_ Weight % Body Fat (optional) Brachial Artery BP / ( / , / ) RP If either the brachial artery blood pressure (BP) or resting pulse (RP) is above the following levels, further evaluation by the student's primary care physician is recommended. Age 10-12: BP: >126/82, RP: >104; Age 13-15: BP: >136/86, RP >100; Age 16-25: BP: >142/92, RP >96. Corrected: YES NO (circle one) Vision: R 20/\_\_\_\_ L 20/\_\_\_\_ Pupils: Equal\_\_\_\_ Unequal\_\_\_\_ MEDICAL NORMAL ABNORMAL FINDINGS Appearance Eyes/Ears/Nose/Throat Hearing Lymph Nodes ☐ Heart murmur ☐ Femoral pulses to exclude aortic coarctation Cardiovascular ☐ Physical stigmata of Marfan syndrome Cardiopulmonary Lungs Abdomen Genitourinary (males only) Neurological Skin MUSCULOSKELETAL NORMAL **ABNORMAL FINDINGS** Neck Back Shoulder/Arm Elbow/Forearm Wrist/Hand/Fingers Hip/Thigh Knee Leg/Ankle Foot/Toes I hereby certify that I have reviewed the HEALTH HISTORY, performed a comprehensive initial pre-participation physical evaluation of the herein named student, and, on the basis of such evaluation and the student's HEALTH HISTORY, certify that, except as specified below, the student is physically fit to participate in Practices, Inter-School Practices, Scrimmages, and/or Contests in the sport(s) consented to by the student's parent/guardian in Section 2 of the PIAA Comprehensive Initial Pre-Participation Physical Evaluation form: □ CLEARED with recommendation(s) for further evaluation or treatment for: NOT CLEARED for the following types of sports (please check those that apply): ☐ COLLISION ☐ CONTACT ☐ NON-CONTACT ☐ STRENUOUS ☐ MODERATELY STRENUOUS ■ Non-strenuous Due to Recommendation(s)/Referral(s) License # AME's Name (print/type) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone ( Address\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_MD, DO, PAC, CRNP, or SNP (circle one) Certification Date of CIPPE \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

AME's Signature \_\_\_\_

## **West Shore School District Wavier Of School Insurance**

I, the undersigned, being a parent or guardia	an of,	hereby
	t that the above-named student is covered by r	
_	e kept in force throughout the school year:	
Therefore, I do not wish to subscribe to the	e plan available through the District by private	carrier.
I hereby waive any claim against the Scho	ool District for injuries incurred by the above-	-named
student while participating in a school-spon	nsored activity.	
Signed:	Date:	
Signed:(Parent/ Guardian)	<u> </u>	
Acknowledgement of R	Risk and Consent to Participate	
understand that this risk includes severe injudisability, or death, and that these injurious unavoidable accidents. I/We assume these	tion in athletics involves a risk of injury. uries possibly involving paralysis, permanent res may occur, in some instances, as the rese risks and give consent to participate in a the undersigned athlete and parent/guardian.	nental sult of
Signed:	Date:	
(Athlete)	<del></del>	
Signed:	Date:	
Signed:(Parent/Guardian)		
Authorization for Re	elease of Medical Information	
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Physician, any Physician serving a WSSD their discretion, to disclose all medical and relating to any sports injury, including likelihood and timing of recovery, and recovery and safely to the WSSD appointed Physi Coach(s) and Athletic Director. It is my un	Physician(s) and Nurse(s), Student Athlete's In Student Athlete and Certified Athletic Trained individual identifiable Protected Health Information but not limited to diagnosis, treatment, proformed production concerning ability to play competician(s) and Nurse(s), Certified Athletic Trainderstanding that the purpose of disclosure abinjury is for the purpose of rehabilitation, trained safely.	er(s), at rmation ognosis, etitively iner(s), oout the
Signed:(Parent/Guardian)	Date:	
(Parent/Guardian)		

## **Medical Release/Insurance Form**

Please Print: To be completed and signed by student's parent or guardian.

School	School Year	Current Grade
Student's Name	Date of Birth	
Student Address		
Parent/Guardian's Name(s)		
Address (if different from student)		
Parent/Guardian's Phone #s 1. ( )	3. (	_)
Please list in order of preference for calls. 2. ()	4. (	_)
Person to contact in an emergency if unable to reach p	parent/guardian:	
Contact Name	Phone # (	_)
Family Physician	Phone # (	_)
Medical Insurance		
Name of Company	Policy #	
Name of Employing Company		
Company Address		
Medical Record		
Complete all lines even if only with the words "None" of	r "Not Applicable"	
Allergies to Medication		
Other Allergies		
Serious Illnesses		
Current Medication(s)		
Other Health Problems		
Date of Last Tetanus Shot		
Parental Consent		
I hereby give consent for my child, and declare that we have either school insurance or my child's participation in said school activity. I hereby employees of all responsibility and liability, for loss or in	y release the West Shore School Distric	
Parent/Guardian's Signature	Date	
I consent for a qualified physician to perform any methis applicant while he/she is participating in school-s to hospitalize, secure appropriate consultation, to ordapplicant. The undersigned does hereby assume and a hospital charges for such services.	upervised events. Further, this authoriza er injections, anesthesia (local, general	ation permits said physician, or both) or surgery for this
Parent/Guardian's Signature	Date	
Relationship to Student		

## WEST SHORE SCHOOL DISTRICT

## ATHLETIC AND STUDENT ACTIVITY CODE OF CONDUCT

# Memorandum of Understanding For Athletes and Students Participating In Interscholastic Athletics and Student Activities

The undersigned have read and understand the "Code of Conduct for West Shore School District Students Participating in the Interscholastic Athletic and Student Activities Program" as provided in the West Shore School District Athletic and Student Activities Manual. Further, we have read and understand the rules and regulations provided by the coach/director for this sport(s)/student activity. We understand the Athletic and Student Activity Code of Conduct applies throughout the school year and for conduct that occurs on and off school property. The below affixed signature(s) denote our agreement to abide by the Athletic and Student Activity Code of Conduct and promote decorum which serves as a positive role model in our community and beyond.

Participant's Name			
Season(s) (circle all that apply)	Fall	Winter	Spring
Sport(s)/Student Activity			
Participant's Signature			
Parent/Guardian Signature			
Date			
Coach's/Director's Signature Fall _			
Coach's/Director's Signature Winte	er		
Coach's/Director's Signature Spring	σ		

## CODE OF CONDUCT

## **FOR**

# WEST SHORE SCHOOL DISTRICT STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN THE INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC AND STUDENT ACTIVITES PROGRAM

Athletic and Student Activities are an extension of the educational experience that the District offers. Therefore, student participation is voluntary and is a privilege, not a right. Those who choose or are selected to participate must be aware of this and abide by the code of conduct for the West Shore School District athletic and student activities program; each participant will receive an Athletic and Student Activities Code of Conduct, be required to sign the <a href="#">Athletic and Student Activities Code of Conduct Memorandum of Understanding</a> and is expected to operate within the framework of the code and regulations.

This code of conduct is designed to further describe expectations as outlined in the District's Athletic and Student Activities Philosophy and Objectives statement of the Athletic and Student Activities Manual and appropriate Board policies. The Athletic and Student Activities Code of Conduct and the Athletic and Student Activities Code of Conduct Memorandum of Understanding will be distributed the first day of practice during the season.

#### I. Definitions

The following definitions shall apply:

<u>Athletic/Student Activity Suspension</u> – exclusion for a given period of time from competitions, events, and any other functions (trips, banquets, etc.) related to the activity excluding practice. Inclusion or exclusion from practice will be made on a case-by-case basis by the review committee. A suspension will not necessarily be limited to the season during which the infraction occurred but may be imposed during subsequent seasons. Where applicable, a suspended athlete's/student's name may be removed from award consideration and from similar recognitions.

<u>Review Committee</u> – body to conduct informal hearings, comprised of two building administrators, the Director of Human Resources or Director of Secondary Education and the building athletic director.

**Substantiated** – found to have committed a stated offense based on an investigation of an event.

<u>Athletic/Student Activity Expulsion</u> – loss of participation privileges in the District's athletic/student activity program.

<u>Season</u> – the interval commencing with the approved PIAA starting date of practice or the first day of practice, whichever is later, and terminating with the final competitive event for the sport/student activity.

<u>Probation</u> – imposed for school related offenses that result in students being ineligible to participate in extra-curricular activities until such probation is formally lifted by the Board or administration.

<u>Hazing</u> – any activity that recklessly, intentionally or unintentionally endangers the mental health, physical health or safety of a student for the purpose of initiation or membership in or affiliation with any organization including but not limited to a sport or extracurricular activity recognized by the Board of School Directors.

Endangering the physical health includes but is not limited to any contact of a physical nature such as whipping, beating, branding, forced calisthenics, exposure to the elements, forced consumption of any food, alcoholic beverage, drug or controlled substance, or other forced activity that could adversely affect the physical health or safety of the individual.

Endangering the mental health includes, but is not limited, to any activity that would subject an individual to unusual mental stress, such as sleep deprivation, prolonged exclusion from social contact, forced conduct which might result in extreme embarrassment, or any other activity, which could adversely affect the mental health or dignity of the individual. Any activity if made part of an initiation, shall be presumed to be hazing, even if a student willingly participates.

#### II. General Rules

- A. An athlete/student who quits a team/activity during the sport/activity season shall not be permitted to participate in another sport/activity during the sport/activity season unless the coaches/directors of all teams/activity involved agree. The athletic director will make the final determination.
- B. The rules listed below are to be read both in addition to and in conjunction with the District's discipline policy. The actions listed below represent serious violations of the Athletic and Student Activity Code of Conduct and may result in the consequences as listed with each action in addition to any penalties imposed pursuant to the District's discipline code. Offenses are cumulative for the year except in the case of #1, which is cumulative for the student's discipline as provided for in other District policies.
  - 1. Possessing, using, delivering, or selling alcohol, or any controlled substance as defined by the Controlled Substance, Drug, Device, and Cosmetic Act while on school property or at a school sponsored activity or while on the way to or from a school sponsored activity or in uniform regardless of location. The term possession includes but is not limited to having previously ingested alcohol, a controlled substance or drug while on the way to school or school sponsored activity.

## Consequence:

- a) Immediate suspension from the team/student activity for a minimum of forty-five (45) calendar days. Violators will be referred to the school's Student Assistance Team (SAT) for possible assessment recommendation. An athlete/student may not participate in the sport/student activity until the assessment has been completed and until any assessment recommendations have been followed.
- b) If the athlete/student is at a school event, ten (10) days out-of-school suspension as per District School Board Policy 218 and may include expulsion from school.
- c) In addition to the penalties set forth in (b) above, a second offense will result in <u>athletic/student activity expulsion</u>, and the student will be prohibited from participating on any school team.
- 2. Action as stated in #1 above occurring offsite and not on the way to or from any school sponsored activity during the athletic/student activity season of which the student participates.

## Consequence:

- a) Immediate suspension from the team/student activity for fifteen (15) calendar days and referral to the school's SAT. Should the offense occur when the SAT is not functioning, the principal and/or athletic director and coach/director will make a referral to a licensed provider appropriate to the offense for an assessment and recommendation. Failure to complete an assessment will result in continued suspension from the team/student activity until the assessment is conducted.
- b) Second offense results in athletic/school activity <u>suspension for the</u> remainder of the season.
- c) A subsequent offense will result in athletic/student activity expulsion.
- 3. Action as stated in #1 above occurring offsite and not on the way to or from a school sponsored activity during off-season.

## Consequence:

- a) Suspension from the team/student activity for fifteen (15) calendar days beginning on the first day of the season.
- b) Second offense results in athletic/student activity <u>suspension</u> from the team/student activity.
- c) A subsequent offense will result in athletic/student activity expulsion.
- 4. Possessing or using tobacco in any form, whether on or off school property (Off property only applies if the athlete/student was in uniform).

#### Consequence:

- a) If at school event, in-school suspension as per District code and other penalties as allowed by District School Board Policy 222.
- b) One contest athletic/student activity suspension.
- c) Second offense results in athletic/student activity suspension from the team/student activity for ten (10) calendar days. A subsequent offense will result in additional suspensions or expulsion from the team/student activity for the remainder of the season.
- 5. Intentional damage (vandalism), theft, or degradation of school or person's property from any location on school property or off school property during any school sponsored event or related to any school sponsored activity.

## Consequence:

- a) See District discipline policy for possible penalties including administrative probation, suspension or expulsion depending on the severity of the offense and other penalties, including referral to law enforcement authorities as allowed by District School Board Policy.
- b) Immediate athletic/student activity suspension from the team/student activity for up to seven (7) calendar days, depending on severity of the incident, payment of restitution or return of property.

6. Failure to return equipment.

Consequence:

- a) Suspension from all program participation until equipment is returned or paid for.
- 7. Acts that constitute a violation of the Pennsylvania Criminal Code, whether or not delineated as part of the student code of conduct.

Consequence:

- a) Immediate athletic/student activity suspension from the team/student activity for the remainder of the season or the school year depending upon the severity of the offense.
- b) The athlete/student must petition to have the athletic/student activity suspension lifted after the period of suspension.
- 8. Failure to carry out the directions or rules and regulations established by the coach/director. (Such rules and regulations must be distributed in writing to all athletes/students and be approved by the principal and/or athletic director).

Consequence:

- a) As established by each coach/director.
- 9. Any improper conduct, which either violates District policy or constitutes behavior inappropriate for a District student representative.

Consequence:

- a) As established by each coach/director, may include suspension from the team/student activity or expulsion depending on the nature of the violation.
- b) As established by the District discipline code.
- 10. Use of Anabolic Steroids. The use of anabolic steroids is prohibited.

Consequence:

a) A violation of this policy or District School Board Policy 227 shall result in immediate suspension from the team/student activity for the remainder of the season and may result in expulsion from athletics/student activities.

## **Procedural Guidelines for Code of Conduct**

- (1) If an infraction is reported, the coach/director shall notify the athletic director or administration of the alleged conduct or violation. Either the administrator or the coach/director at the direction of the administrator shall investigate, to determine if a violation of the code has occurred.
- (2) If, after investigation, a violation of the code can be substantiated, the coach/director, after consultation with the administration and athletic director, shall impose the appropriate consequence by giving written notice to the athlete/student, the athlete's/student's parents or guardian, the athletic director, and the building administrator. Imposition of disciplinary consequences by the athletic director is in addition to any disciplinary penalty imposed by the building administration pursuant to District policy.
- (3) The athlete/student or parent/guardian may appeal the coach's/director's decision to the administration who will convene a Review Committee to hear the appeal and render a decision. Such decision will be made within ten (10) business days of the appeal. During the ten (10) business days, the initial disciplinary action imposed will remain in effect. Appeal of the discipline penalties imposed by the building administrator under District policy is governed by the school code.
- (4) If the parent/guardian or athlete/student is not satisfied with the decision of the Review Committee, a hearing may be requested within five (5) business days of the decision. The appeal shall be in writing and directed to the Superintendent of Schools or designee. The Superintendent or designee has complete discretion whether or not to hear the appeal. If the Superintendent or designee decides to hear the appeal, such hearing shall be conducted within ten (10) business days of the date of the appeal. If such hearing is granted, the initial disciplinary action will remain in effect. The appeal hearing shall be informal and the decision of the Superintendent or his/her designee shall be final.
- (5) Once an athletic/student activity suspension or athletic/student activity expulsion has been imposed, the athlete/student will not be permitted to participate in any competitions, events or other functions unless the recommendation for suspension/expulsion is reversed after appeal.
- (6) An expulsion includes forfeiture of any school related awards for that season.
- (7) Nothing in the code shall preclude any building principal, in consultation with the athletic director, from suspending or excluding an athlete/student from an athletic team/student activity for any violation of the disciplinary rules of the West Shore School District.
- (8) Athletic and Student Activity Code of Conduct and District School Board Policy infractions and discipline imposed are not limited to the season in which the infraction occurred.

## **Division I Academic Standards**

**Division I schools** require you to meet academic standards. To be eligible to practice, compete and receive an athletics scholarship in your first year of full-time enrollment, you must meet the following requirements:



1. Earn 16 NCAA-approved core-course credits in the following areas:

ENGLISH

MATH (Algebra I or higher)

SCIENCE (Including one year of lab, if offered) EXTRA (English, math or science)

SOCIAL SCIENCE OTHER

Any area listed to the left or courses listed in additional discipline (world language, comparative religion or philosophy)

4 years

3 years

2 years

1 year

2 years

4 years

 Complete your 16 NCAA-approved core-course credits in eight academic semesters or four consecutive academic years from the start of ninth grade. If you graduate from high school early, you still must meet core-course requirements.

3. Complete 10 of your 16 NCAA-approved core-course credits, including seven in English, math or science, before the start of your seventh semester.
Once you begin your seventh semester, any course needed to meet the 10/7 requirement cannot be replaced or repeated.

4. Earn a minimum 2.3 core-course GPA.

5. Ask your high school counselor to upload your final official transcript with proof of graduation to your Eligibility Center account.

## **EARLY ACADEMIC QUALIFIER**

If you meet <u>specific criteria</u> after six semesters of high school, you may be deemed an early academic qualifier for Division I and may practice, compete and receive an athletics scholarship during your first year of full-time enrollment.

#### **QUALIFIER**

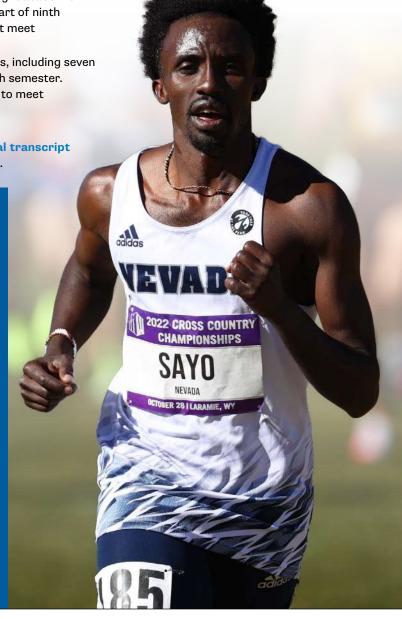
You may practice, compete and receive an athletics scholarship during your first year of full-time enrollment.

## **ACADEMIC REDSHIRT**

You may practice during your first regular academic term and receive an athletics scholarship during your first year of full-time enrollment but may NOT compete during your first year of full-time enrollment. You must pass either eight quarter or nine semester hours to practice in the next term.

## **NONQUALIFIER**

You will not be able to practice, compete or receive an athletics scholarship during your first year of full-time enrollment.



**REGISTER** 

GRADE

**PLAN** 

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**STUDY** 

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**GRADUATE** 

- » If you haven't yet, **register** for a free Profile Page account at **eligibilitycenter.org** for information on NCAA initial-eligibility requirements.
- » Find your high school's list of NCAA-approved core courses at eligibilitycenter.org/
- » If you're being actively recruited by an NCAA school and have a Profile Page account, transition it to the required certification account.
- » Monitor the task list in your NCAA Eligibility Center account for next steps.
- » At the end of the school year, ask your high school counselor from each school you attend to upload an official transcript to your Eligibility Center account.
- » If you fall behind academically, ask your high school counselor for help finding approved courses you can take.
- » Ensure your sports participation information is correct in your Eligibility Center account.
- » Check with your high school counselor to make sure you're on track to complete the required number of NCAA-approved core courses and graduate on time with your class.
- » Share your NCAA ID with NCAA schools recruiting you so each school can place you on its institutional request list.
- » At the end of the school year, ask your high school counselor from each school you attend to upload an official transcript to your Eligibility Center account.
- » Request your final amateurism certification beginning April 1 (fall enrollees) or Oct. 1 (winter/spring enrollees) in your Eligibility Center account at eligibilitycenter.org.
- » Apply and be accepted to the NCAA school you plan to attend.
- » Complete your final NCAA-approved core courses as you prepare for graduation.
- » After you graduate, ask your high school counselor to upload your final official transcript with proof of graduation to your Eligibility Center account.





#### **CONTACT THE NCAA ELIGIBILITY CENTER**

9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Eastern time



International (including Quebec): on.ncaa.com/IntlContact







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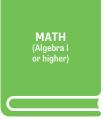
## Division II Academic Standards

**Division II schools** require you to meet academic standards. To be eligible to practice, compete and receive an athletics scholarship in your first year of full-time enrollment, you must meet the following requirements:



1. Earn 16 NCAA-approved core-course credits in the following areas:











OTHER
Any area listed to the left or courses listed in additional discourse (world language, comparative religion or philosophy)

3 years

2 years

2 years

3 years

2 years

4 years

- 2. Earn a minimum 2.2 core-course GPA.
- Ask your high school counselor to upload your final official transcript with proof of graduation to your Eligibility Center account.

## **EARLY ACADEMIC QUALIFIER**

If you meet <u>specific criteria</u> after six semesters of high school, you may be deemed an early academic qualifier for Division II and may practice, compete and receive an athletics scholarship during your first year of full-time enrollment.

## **QUALIFIER**

You may practice, compete and receive an athletics scholarship during your first year of full-time enrollment.

## **PARTIAL QUALIFIER**

You may practice and receive an athletics scholarship but may NOT compete during your first year of full-time enrollment.



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