

APPENDIX C

ATHLETIC CODE - STUDENTS

Grades 4-8

It is a privilege to participate in athletics; it is a privilege to represent a school. At all times, whether in school, around town or on an athletic event trip, the athlete should conduct himself or herself in a manner which will bring credit to themselves, the team and the school.

Eligibility to compete on a school team will be determined by the Athletic Director using moodle. Eligibility will depend on academic effort, attitude and code of conduct (behavior) both in school and at school functions. Continued eligibility will be reviewed on a weekly basis (Mondays). A 75% is the lowest grade allowed. The athletic director will investigate and notify the parents via email, if email is not available parents will be contacted through telephone call. This will result in the student-athlete being placed on a 7 school day probationary period. The student-athlete may practice and play during this probationary period.

They will have 7 school days to bring their grade above a 75%. If they do not, they are ineligible. This ineligibility continues until their grade is above a 75%. When their grade is above a 75%, they may resume practice/play. Parents will be contacted by the AD via email when suspension occurs.

If a student-athlete falls below a 75%. in any other class during this probationary period, their 7-day period starts for that class. However, the original 7-day probationary period would still be in effect until they raise their grade or they will become ineligible.

Eligibility to compete on a school team is also determined by the ATHLETIC CODE OF CONDUCT (behavior) in school and at school functions. Student-athletes are expected to follow the Athletic Code of Conduct (located at the end of this document). If this were to become an issue, a student could become ineligible due to their poor behavior. If a student were to earn a detention he/she would be automatically suspended. The length of the suspension will be determined by the athletic director and administration based on the severity of the detention. Examples include fighting, bullying, inappropriate language, defiant or disrespectful behavior, harassment or anything else deemed a behavioral issue by the AD or Administrator. There is no probationary period for behavior issues. The student-athlete will automatically be placed on a suspension. The number of games to be suspended will be determined by the Athletic Director and the Administrator.

To achieve the results desired in our athletic program, the following training and conduct regulations will be in effect for all athletes at All Saints Catholic School:

1. No smoking or possession of tobacco products (chewing tobacco, cigarettes) in or out of season.
2. No drinking or possession of alcoholic beverages in or out of season.
3. No use or possession of drugs.
4. In order to participate in a game or practice, an athlete must be in school the entire day of said game or practice with the exception of medical appointments or funerals.

5. The following penalties will be put into effect when training and conduct regulations are violated:

*First Violation - Minimum penalty will be suspension from the next game; any addition to this minimum penalty will be at the discretion of the coach or principal.

*Second Violation- Minimum penalty will be suspension from the current sport for the balance of the season.

6. All athletes shall have a signed physical card as well as signed code of conduct on file prior to the first practice. Physicals are required for all sports that sponsored by All Saints Catholic School and Antigo Middle School.

Volunteer coaches are responsible for team members. Students are responsible for their conduct as outlined in the student handbook when with volunteer coaches. Volunteer coaches are also expected/required to complete any necessary paperwork prior to the commencement of practice, including parent driver forms and Virtus training.

Uniforms

Each athlete will be informed of the time and place that team uniforms will be distributed. We ask that parents/guardian pay special attention to all laundering and drying instructions distributed with the uniforms.

At the close of the sport season, the athlete will be given a final date and place for returning his/her uniform. Should the uniform be damaged or lost, the athlete will be responsible for paying current replacement cost. If an athlete has not turned in his/her uniform by the final date, the parent/guardian will be contacted and a replacement cost will be levied.

SPORTS "USERS FEE"

A sport fee of \$25.00 per student/per sport and a family maximum of \$50.00 per sport (including football) must be paid before the student can participate in the first practice. All fees and permission slips will be sent to the school office and accounted for by the Athletic Director. It is the responsibility of the coach to obtain the completed list of eligible students. The sports fee will help defray the cost of hiring officials, uniforms, equipment, the sports banquet, etc.

ANTIGO MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS

Any ASCS student athlete participating in a sport at the Antigo Middle School will be expected to follow the ASCS athletic code

ATHLETIC CODE AGREEMENT GRADES 4 - 8

Please sign and return this page to the school office.

As a participant of an All Saints Catholic School Athletic team, I hereby agree to abide by the rules and regulations stated in the Athletic Code and the Athletic Code of Conduct located in the Parent/Student Handbook (Appendix C).

I agree to assume full responsibility for all equipment issued to me, and to pay for any and all equipment that I may lose, misplace, or damage through carelessness or intent.

A signed, current physical card will be on file prior to the start of practice for all sports.

Athlete's Signature: _____ Date: _____

I, as parent, have read the policies and rules set forth for athletic participation at All Saints Catholic School, and give my son/daughter permission to participate under those conditions. I also understand medical insurance is not provided by the school for students participating in athletics or being transported to and from a sports event. It is recommended that students secure some type of all-inclusive insurance coverage (Medical and personal property, stolen or damaged)

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Each student will need to return this signed form before they will be allowed to participate in any athletic events.

Please list below any special needs, physical challenges, or medical conditions your child has:
