

# Student Athlete Responsibilities

## Academics/Behavior

- Complete all assignments
- Work hard in the classroom
- Maintain a 2.5 GPA or higher in academics
- No referrals!

## Attendance

- Attend all classes on time
- Be at **all** practices and meets
- Be on time to all practices and meets
- Come with appropriate attire to practice and meets
- **ALL ABSENCES** will be cleared by Coach Spredemann. Please email or phone Coach Spredemann of absence(s).
- Be at school the day of the athletic event (See SMS Handbook for specific policy)

## Attitude

- Always have a positive attitude that is demonstrated with your actions. **No complaining!**
- Be prepared. Bring ALL your equipment (water bottle, warm-ups, shoes, etc.)
- Do your best. Put forth your best effort in training, eating, sleeping, and drinking
- Put your teammates before yourself
- Respect school colors and traditions

## Participation

- Complete all necessary forms (Physical, Parent Contact, Emergency, etc.)
- \$25 Athletic Fee paid before season begins.
- ISS/Suspensions-Athletes may not participate while suspended from school in practice, athletic events, or other related activities.
- All athletes must adhere to the rules and regulation in the students handbook that have been established by Sunset Middle School
- All athletes must adhere to the rules and regulation that have been set aside by the Williamson Middle School Athletic Association and any rules and regulation established by Williamson County Schools

- All athletes must meet the guidelines and regulations established by the individual sport
- Participation in athletics is a privilege afforded to students in attendance at their respective school. Such participation and/or privilege may be limited, suspended, or revoked at the direction of the coach, athletic director, or principal if the student's behavior is unbecoming of a representative of that school

**Respectful Communication Between Coach and Athlete**

- Communicate any problems in school or outside of school with the coaches
- Communicate any important doctor appointments with the coach well in advance
- If you don't understand something, ask the coach for further clarification
- If you need help in a subject for school ask the coaches

**You may be dismissed from the team if you:**

- Get a referral from any of your academic teachers
- Come to practice late more than 2 times without an excuse
- Come to practice without running shoes more than once
- Have had to contact your parents in person or via email about your behavior

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_