



WINter spRINGS High School
Department of Athletics
Code of Conduct
Eligibility for Interscholastic Athletics

1. Students are responsible for knowing their individual eligibility status and maintaining their GPA requirements from semester to semester.
2. Students will be required to maintain good attendance in all classes as defined in the School District Attendance Policy. Head Coaches should remain in contact with discipline office.
3. Students are prohibited from the use, possession, or sale of drugs or alcohol either in or out of school. The SCPS Citizenship Policy will be followed by Athletic Department and School Administration. Refer to student code of conduct for more specific information.
4. Students who have been assigned out-of-school suspension are prohibited from participating in games or practices during their suspension. Students who are serving in-school suspension are allowed to practice but are unable to compete in athletic contests during that time.
5. Students who are failing and/or not putting forth appropriate academic effort can lose opportunity from participating in interscholastic athletics.
6. A student may be suspended by the coach, the school or the FHSAA from participation for improper or unsportsmanlike conduct or disrespectful behavior including but not limited to obscene language and/or gestures and insubordination. Hazing, intimidation, and harassment of fellow athletes can also result in suspension. If student athlete is ejected from a FHSAA contest he/she is responsible for the subsequent fines. Failure to pay their fine will result in being placed on debt list resulting in a block from graduation or transcripts being issued for withdraw.
7. Student-athletes who act in an improper or inappropriate manner may be subject to game suspension, disciplinary action or dismissal from team. Subsequent discipline will be decided by head coach of the sport and may include athletic director, assistant principal, and principal of school.
8. Any equipment or materials issued to a student and not returned, or returned in a damaged condition, must be paid for before the student will be permitted to participate in any other interscholastic athletic activity. Failure to pay will result in being placed on student debt list resulting in a block from graduation or transcripts being issued for withdraw.
9. Athletes quitting a team must clear all responsibilities and obligations with the coach of that sport. Participation in the next sport cannot start until the previous sport season is completed.
10. Any FHSAA fines resulting from student athlete ejections are the responsibility of the student must be paid for before the student will be permitted to participate in any other interscholastic athletic activity. Failure to pay will result in being placed on student debt list resulting in a block from graduation or transcripts being issued for withdraw.

Student-Athlete Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent / Guardian Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____