



# 2005-2006 High School Athletic/Activity Participation

READ AND COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

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Last Name	First Name	M.I.	M/F	Grade	Birth Date
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="text"/>	
<b>SPORT OR ACTIVITY</b>	Current High School	Attended Other High Schools?		Student ID #	
A new form is required for each sport/activity					
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Residence Street Address	City, State	Zip Code	Home Phone #		
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Parent/Guardian Name	Work Phone #	Emergency Contact #			
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THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY ACTIVITY OFFICE. PLEASE DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE.

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Physical Date	Practice Eligibility Date	Semester GPA	Quarter GPA	Credits Earned	HSGQE Status	Classes Passed/Enrolled	Fee	Initials

**Eligibility rules changes will go into effect on July 1, 2005.**

**Changes are included on back of this form, in "Eligibility" section 8. For details please see [www.asaa.org](http://www.asaa.org), the ASD High School Activities Handbook, or your school's Activities Principal.**

I hereby consent to emergency treatment, hospitalization, or other medical treatment as may be necessary by a physician, qualified nurse, or hospital in the event of an injury or illness.

I hereby consent to participation for the above-named sport in ASAA and ASD interscholastic activities.

I hereby consent to travel to and from ASD activities via ASD-approved transportation.

I hereby consent to providing transportation to and from practices or events when ASD transportation is not available.

I hereby waive on behalf of myself and the above student any liability of the Anchorage School District or ASAA organizationally or for any of its officers, agents, or employees for injuries sustained in the interscholastic program.

I hereby accept financial responsibility of the above student in the event of an injury or illness.

I hereby accept legal responsibility for the above student in the event of an injury or illness.

I hereby state the above information on this form is true.

I hereby consent to abiding by the ASAA rules and regulations, the Anchorage School District rules and regulations, and the coach and school rules and regulations. The coach may add specific rules and regulations for his/her sport/activity. These rules and regulations may be presented verbally or in written form.

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Student Signature	Parent/Guardian Signature	Date

*HAZING PLEDGE: I promise to not be involved in any hazing/harassment incident, no matter how minor it may seem, and to do everything in my power to help my team/school achieve the goal of a hazing/harassment-free year. I understand that I may be suspended or expelled from my team and/or school for any incident in which I have participated or been an idle witness. I understand that by signing this agreement, I agree to abide by these policies for as long as I participate in activities/athletics in the Anchorage School District.*

**We acknowledge that we have read and understand all aspects of this form including the conditions of student participation and eligibility on the reverse side.**

## CONDITIONS OF STUDENT PARTICIPATION

Participation in middle and high school athletics is a privilege. **All students are expected to comply with local, state, and federal laws and the rules and regulations of the Anchorage School District.** Students will be subject to denial of the ability to participate if they: do not meet eligibility requirements, engage in behavior that is detrimental to the well being of the team or school, **are in violation of the tobacco rule, are in violation of the drug and alcohol rule, or commit criminal acts as defined in the ASD Statement of Students' Rights and Responsibilities. In all cases the Superintendent or his designee retains the right to review and revise any disciplinary action.**

### A. ELIGIBILITY RULES

1. Athletes must meet all eligibility requirements of the Anchorage School District and the Alaska School Activities Association (ASAA). See [www.asaa.org](http://www.asaa.org) for current rules.

2. Violation of the eligibility rules shall result in denial of participation.

### B. DENIAL OF PARTICIPATION

1. An athlete who is removed from a team for disciplinary reasons will not be eligible to practice or play another sport during the season of that sport.
2. An athlete who is suspended from the regular school program for any reason will not be eligible to practice or play any sport during the period of suspension.
3. Any sanction imposed under these Conditions of Participation is separate and distinct from any sanction which may be proposed for violation of any other school disciplinary requirement.
4. **During an appeal process the student shall not participate in the group's activities until the appeal process is completed.**

### C. DENIAL OF PARTICIPATION FROM TEAM ACTIVITIES FOR SPECIFIC CIRCUMSTANCES

1. Equipment issued to an athlete is his/her responsibility for return or replacement. If the equipment is not returned, replaced or paid for, no letter shall be awarded nor shall the student be permitted to participate in any sport.
2. Denial from participating with the team for a period of time, to be determined by the coach, principal, or district administrators, may result from insubordination, obscene gestures/swearing, provocation, fighting, stealing/theft, hazing/initiation, or other disciplinary situations which may arise.
3. With administrative approval, the coach may establish additional participation rules.

### D. TOBACCO RULES (*cumulative throughout each school year*)

Students who violate the tobacco rules will be subject to the following sanctions:

1. **FIRST OFFENSE FOR POSSESSION OR USE** - Loss of practice and athletic participation for 10 school days. Completion of the appropriate Tobacco unit during the 10 days.
2. **SECOND OFFENSE FOR POSSESSION OR USE**- Loss of practice and athletic participation for 45 school days.

### E. DRUG/ALCOHOL RULES (*cumulative grades 7-12*)

The actual or attempted sale, use, or possession of tobacco, alcohol, inhalants, illegal drugs, substances designed to look like illegal drugs, substances purported to be illegal drugs, or drug paraphernalia shall subject the athlete to loss of practice and athletic participation.

1. Students who violate the drug/alcohol rules under school jurisdiction will be subject to:
  - a. **FIRST OFFENSE FOR POSSESSION OR USE** - Suspension or expulsion in accordance with Anchorage School District regulations. Loss of practice and athletic participation during the suspension or expulsion, or for 10 school days, whichever is greater. Completion of the appropriate Drug/Alcohol unit before resuming eligibility.
  - b. **SECOND OFFENSE FOR POSSESSION OR USE, OR FIRST OFFENSE FOR SELLING, DISTRIBUTING, OR ATTEMPTING TO SELL** - Suspension or expulsion in accordance with Anchorage School District regulations - Loss of practice and athletic participation during the suspension or expulsion.
2. Students who violate the drug/alcohol rules while not under school jurisdiction will be subject to:
  - a. **FIRST OFFENSE FOR POSSESSION OR USE** - Loss of practice and athletic participation for 10 school days. Completion of the appropriate Drug/Alcohol unit during the 10 days.
  - b. **SECOND OFFENSE FOR POSSESSION OR USE, OR FIRST OFFENSE FOR SELLING, DISTRIBUTING, OR ATTEMPTING TO SELL** - Loss of practice and athletic participation for 45 school days.
  - c. **THIRD OFFENSE FOR POSSESSION OR USE, OR SECOND OFFENSE FOR SELLING, DISTRIBUTING OR ATTEMPTING TO SELL** - Loss of eligibility for the duration of Anchorage School District attendance.

### F. CRIMINAL ACTS

Students who commit criminal acts as defined in the ASD Statement of Students' Rights and Responsibilities will be removed from the team for the remainder of the season.

1. The school will conduct an investigation independent of the police.
2. The student may appeal the finding of the investigation to the school principal.

## ELIGIBILITY

### IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE:

1. A physician's clearance to play must be on file at the school. This clearance is good for one year but must not expire during the season of the sport in which the student is participating.
2. A parent's consent for emergency treatment must be signed and on file.
3. The parent/legal guardian must sign and file a release of the district and assumption of the financial responsibility in the event of injury.
4. All of the above records as well as grade eligibility must be in order and forms must be on file in the Activity Office before the student is eligible to participate in any athletic program.
5. Attendance Rule: Athletic participants must be in regular attendance at school and classes in which enrolled. An athlete with an unexcused absence for one or more classes or in attendance for less than half of the school day whether or not the absence is excused, cannot practice or play on that day without principal permission.
6. Practice Rule: Athletic participants must have 10 days of practice before they are eligible to compete in a game unless a waiver has been granted because of participating in a contiguous activity. Waivers will not be granted for participating in gymnastics, football, hockey or wrestling.
7. Middle School: To be eligible to participate in the middle level interscholastic activities program a student must be currently enrolled as an official student of the school in good standing.
8. High School: To be eligible to participate in interscholastic activities:
  - a. Beginning with the first semester of the 2005-06 school year, all freshmen, sophomores and juniors must be enrolled in a minimum of 5 semester units of credit or the equivalent. Seniors who are on track to graduate and who have passed all parts of the HSGQE must take at least 4 semester units of credit; otherwise, they must be enrolled in 5 semester units.
  - b. Beginning with the first semester of the 2005-06 school year, all students must maintain at least a 2.0 GPA during the current semester. Students who do not maintain an overall 2.0 GPA may regain eligibility by achieving and maintaining a 2.0 GPA. Grade point averages will be evaluated at the end of the quarter using the grades earned during the nine-week grading period.
  - c. Beginning with the first semester of the 2005-06 school year, a student who is expelled from one school will not be eligible in another school during the duration of the expulsion.
  - d. **Beginning with the first semester of the 2005-06 school year, a non-varsity student athlete who in mid-season transfers enrollment with a corresponding change of residence of parents (or other person with whom the student has resided for a period of time approved by the state high school association) shall be eligible at the new school as soon as properly certified. A varsity student athlete who in mid-season transfers enrollment with a corresponding change of residence of parents may complete the season at the original school of enrollment but will be ineligible to complete the season at the new school of enrollment.**
  - e. Any student athlete who transfers enrollment without a corresponding move by his/her parents must attend the new school for 18 weeks from the date of enrollment in order to establish athletic eligibility.
  - f. Beginning with the second semester of the 2005-06 school year, freshmen, sophomores and juniors must have passed at least 5 semester credit units or the equivalent with at least an overall 2.0 GPA during the previous semester. Students who do not meet this requirement may regain eligibility during the current semester by achieving and maintaining an overall 2.0 GPA at the end of the quarter using the grades earned during the nine-week grading period. Second-semester seniors who are on track to graduate and have passed all parts of HSGQE must have passed at least 4 semester units of credit the previous semester; otherwise, they must have passed at least 5 semester units. Seniors who do not meet the GPA requirement may regain eligibility during the current semester by achieving and maintaining an overall 2.0 GPA at the end of the quarter using the grades earned during the nine-week grading period.

**\*This is not a complete list of all eligibility rules and regulations. If you have questions, please contact your activities principal. Additional rules go into effect beginning in summer 2006.**