

MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC GUIDELINES REVISIONS

BACKGROUND AND RATIONALE:

The High School Athletic Guidelines are utilized as an instrument for guiding the orderly operation of all Fayette County High School Athletic Programs. It is reviewed annually by the High School Athletic Directors and all coaches at the beginning of the school year.

The Middle School Athletic Guidelines are utilized as an instrument for guiding the orderly operation of all Fayette County Middle School Athletic Programs. It is reviewed annually by each sports representative with constituent coaches at the beginning of the school year. Revisions to this guide are made annually by the Middle School Athletic Council in cooperation with middle school principals.

The High School Guidelines address all aspects of high school athletic activity and provide specific policies in each sport according to the Kentucky High School Athletic Association (KHSAA) By-Laws.

The Middle School Guidelines address all aspects of middle school athletic activity and provide specific policies in each sport currently offered including cheerleading and dance. Fayette County Public Schools currently offer volleyball (girls only) football, girls' and boys' basketball, track & field, cheerleading and dance team in middle schools.

PROPOSAL:

Item	Amount	Funding Source	Recurring/ Nonrecurring	Measurable Expected Impact and Timeline
Printing revised Athletic Guidelines for Middle and High School Principals, Associate Principals, Athletic Directors, Coaches, and IAK Support Staff	N/A	N/A	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pending approval by the FCPS Board of Education, the revised High School Athletic Guidelines become effective beginning with the 2015-16 school year.• Pending approval by the FCPS Board of Education, the revised Middle School Athletic Guidelines become effective beginning with the start of the 2015-16 school year.

STAFF CONTACT:

Donald Adkins, District Athletics Director

POLICY REFERENCE:

09.312 Athletics
09.313 Insurance (Athletics)
09.314 Eligibility (Athletics)

RECOMMENDATION:

A motion is in order to:

"Approve changes to the Middle and High School Athletic Guidelines for the 2015-16 school year as recommended by staff."