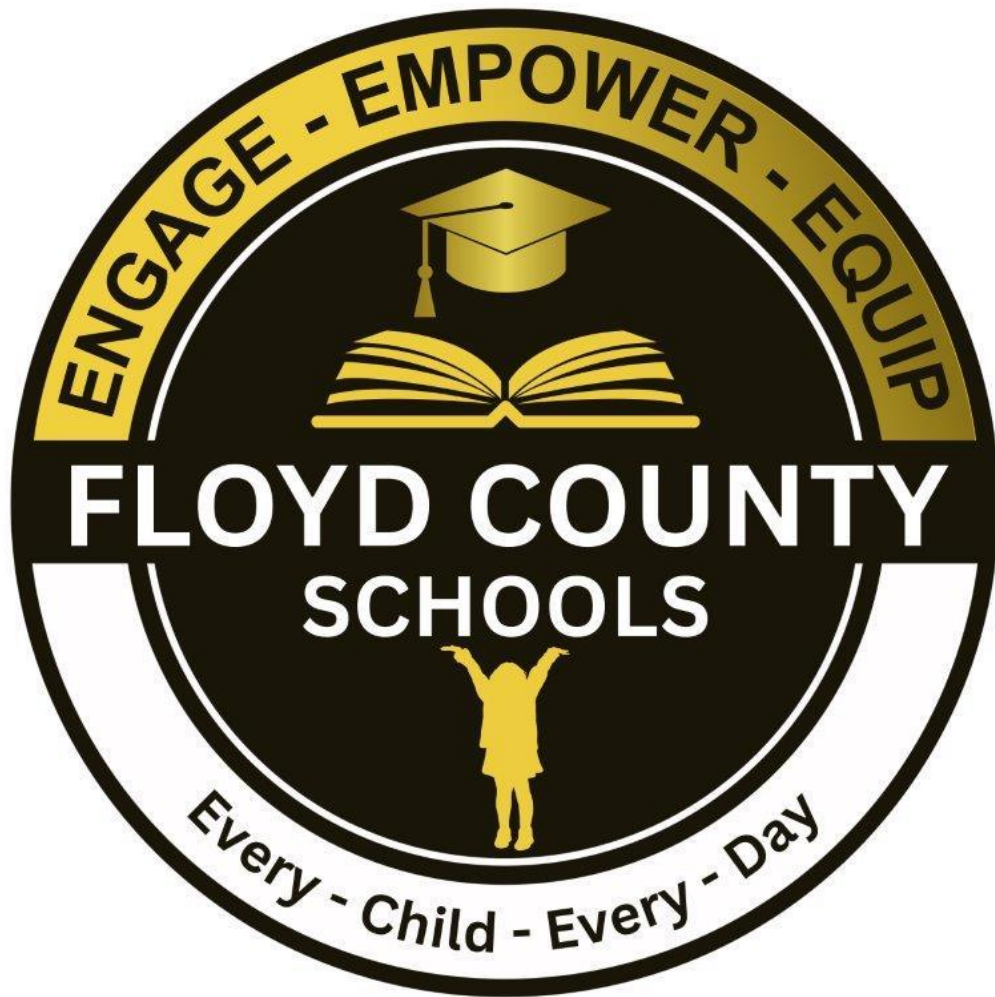


**2026-2027**

**Floyd County Board of Education  
Athletic Policy Handbook**



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# 2026-2027 School Calendar



## 26-27 FLOYD COUNTY SCHOOLS CALENDAR

- This calendar allows for 7 banked days & 10 NTI days

July 2026				
M	Tu	W	Th	F
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February 2027				
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March 2027				
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May 2027				
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June 2027				
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**No School for Students**  
 Sept. 7-Labor Day  
 Sept. 28-Oct. 2- Fall Break  
 Nov. 23-Nov. 27-Thanksgiving Break  
 December 21-Jan. 1-Winter Break  
 Jan. 18-MLK Jr. Day  
 March 29-April 2-Spring Break

**Professional Development  
(No School for Students)**  
 August 4  
 November 3  
 January 15  
 May 20

**Students**  
 First Day-August 5  
 Last Day-May 19  
**Staff**  
 Opening Day-August 3  
 Closing Day-May 21

- Calendar is subject to change based on Superintendent/BOE

## **Vision Statement**

The Floyd County Athletic programs will provide equitable opportunities for our students to participate in organized sports at a variety of levels. Our athletic programs will encourage and empower students to develop their leadership, sportsmanship, and interpersonal skills, and foster a positive attitude and healthy lifestyle in a setting that creates a sense of school community.

## **Mission Statement**

The Mission of Floyd County Athletics is to advance the overall vision of Floyd County Schools by providing athletic programs for all students that support the academic, physical, social, and personal development of student-athletes.

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## Administration

The Superintendent assisted by the District Director of Athletics shall administer the athletic policies and procedures as approved by the Floyd County Board of Education. The District Athletic Director shall be a member of the Title IX committee for each district high school.

**Superintendent's Right to Amend:** The Superintendent reserves the right to amend the athletic schedules as necessary during the school year. Notice of any such amendments will be posted on the District's Website and sent to school administration for their school publication/announcements.

## Section I      Philosophy & Ethics

### Philosophy

Floyd County Schools believes that an exemplary athletic program is an extension of the classroom. As such, athletics offers students an opportunity to develop and grow physically, intellectually, emotionally, and socially. The positive benefits that participation in athletics offers include, but are not limited to self-esteem, self-discipline, self-confidence, and the development of Team Spirit. Further, participants learn the values associated with competition and benefit from the experience of both winning and losing. For the participating athlete, these experiences provide an integral part of the foundation needed to be a productive citizen.

### Ethics

#### **Coaches' Code of Ethics**

(Floyd County Schools/National Federation of State High School Associations)

The function of a coach is to properly educate students through participation in interscholastic competition. The interscholastic program is designed to enhance academic achievement and should never interfere with opportunities for academic success. All student/athletes should be treated as though they were the coaches' own, and their welfare shall be the uppermost at all times. In recognition of this, the following guidelines for coaches have been adopted by the National Federation Interscholastic Coaches Association (NFICA) Board of Directors:

1. The coach must be aware that he or she has a tremendous influence, either good or bad, in the education of the student athlete and, thus, shall never place the value of winning above the value of instilling the highest desirable ideals of character.
2. The coach must constantly uphold the honor and dignity of the profession. In all personal contact with the student athlete, officials, athletic directors, school administrators, the state high school athletic association, the media, and the public, the coach shall strive to set an example of the highest ethical and moral conduct including the appropriate use of language and actions in all circumstances.
3. The coach shall take an active role in the prevention of drug, alcohol, and tobacco abuse, and under no circumstances should authorize their use.
4. The coach shall promote the entire interscholastic program of the school and direct his or her program in harmony with the total school program.
5. The coach shall be thoroughly acquainted with the contest rules and is responsible for their interpretation to team members. The spirit and letter of rules should be regarded as mutual agreements. The coach shall not try to seek an advantage by circumvention of the spirit or letter of the rules.

6. Coaches shall actively use their influence to enhance sportsmanship by their spectators, working closely with cheerleaders, pep club sponsors, booster clubs and administrators.
7. Contest officials shall have the respect and support of the coach. The coach shall not indulge in conduct that will incite players or spectators against the officials. Public criticism of officials or players is unethical.
8. Before and after contests, rival coaches should meet and exchange friendly greetings to set the correct tone for the event.
9. A coach shall not exert pressure on faculty members to give student athletes special consideration.
10. It is unethical for coaches to scout opponents by any means other than those adopted by the league and/or state high school athletic association.
11. District coaches and volunteers will adhere at all times to precautions and procedures that relate to heat related illness and injury.
12. All Coaches are expected to follow the communication policy set by the BOE between coaches and student athletes. (House Bill 181)

\* District coaches are expected to adhere to this code at all times as well as Floyd County Schools District Policies.

## Section II Requirements

### Job Description

Athletic Director, Head Coach, Assistant Coach

### Position Requirements - BOE Policy 03. 116 (Appendix A)

#### Athletic Director – (Appendix B)

- Full time certified employee.
- Member of the school faculty where serving.

#### Head Coach and Assistant Coach - High School - All Sports (Appendix C & D)

- Employee of the district must be full-time certified or classified. Consideration should be given to certified employees.
- Successful completion of KHSAA coaching requirements.
- If not certified, successful completion of Floyd County Schools Volunteer Training is required. Certification is for two (2) years.
- If not a full-time employee, an annual criminal record check under KRS 160.380 and KRS 161.1851 shall be required.
- Hiring of Coaches will be as outlined in KHSAA Bylaw 25 Section 2 and all other state and local policies:
- SEC. 2) HIRING AND EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS FOR COACHING POSITIONS AT THE HIGH SCHOOL LEVEL
  - a) Required Level 1 or 2 individuals (head and assistant) may be assigned as the head or assistant coach or assigned duties commensurate with those of someone designated as a coach in any sport or sport-activity.
  - b) KHSAA Member School Obligations in Hiring
    - (1) The Superintendent shall ensure that all assignments for coaching duties comply with all applicable state and local policies.
    - (2) The hiring process shall ensure that in considering those individuals seeking coaching duties, the most qualified individual shall be assigned.
    - (3) In considering qualifications, the qualifications desired for the position, the references, interviews, and experience of those seeking the duties, and the education background shall be considered.

- (4) If a coaching announcement is posted by the district, the determination of qualifications shall comply with that announcement.

**Head Coach / Assistant Coach - Middle and Elementary School – All Sports (Appendix C & D)**

- Successful completion of Floyd County Schools coaching seminar.
- Current CPT/First Aid Certification.
- If not certified, successful completion of Floyd County Schools Volunteer Training is required. Certification is for two (2) years.
- If not a full-time employee, an annual criminal records check shall be required.
- Successful completion of the KHSAA Sports Safety Course.
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- (4) If a coaching announcement is posted by the district, the determination of qualifications shall comply with that announcement.

**\*Cheerleading and Dance are considered sports by Floyd County Schools and are subject to these requirements.**

**Non-Paid Coaches/Volunteers**

A person desiring to be a Non-Paid Coach/Volunteer helping with any athletic teams in Floyd County Schools shall meet the following requirements.

1. Must be 21 years of age or older as outlined in KHSAA Bylaw 27 defined by KRS 17.165
2. Must have successful completion of annual criminal records check under KRS 160.380 at the BOE
3. Successful completion of the Floyd County Schools Volunteer Training (through Family Resource/Youth Service Centers) every school year.
4. Current CPR/First Aid Certification and Medication Training.
5. Successful completion of Floyd County Schools coaching seminar-certification is for one year.
6. Successful completion of the KHSAA safety course as required by HB 383 for high school coaches (every 2 years).
7. KHSAA Rules – online specific sports rules clinic is required annually.

**All District Athletic Directors, Coaches and Volunteers must sign receipt of:**

1. Job Description ([Appendix B, C, D](#))
2. Floyd County Schools Athletic Handbook (AD/Coach/Non-Paid Coach/Volunteer) ([Appendix G](#))

### **Student Athlete Code of Ethics**

Participation in athletics is a privilege, not a right. Floyd County Schools, the Kentucky High School Athletic Association and the National Federation of State High School Associations maintain standards in academics, behavior and making healthy choices.

Our Athletic Programs represent the school and school community. We emphasize dedication and commitment to the team and program, a desire for success and a “team first” attitude. Student athletes should act in a manner that is responsible and respectful toward your peers, opponents, coaches and spectators.

All Floyd County Schools student athletes shall:

1. Emphasize the proper ideals of sportsmanship, ethical conduct, and fair play.
2. Stress the values derived from playing the game fairly.
3. Work for the good of the team or program.
4. Show courtesy to their team, coaching staff, visiting teams and officials.
5. Respect the integrity and judgement of sports officials.
6. Achieve a thorough understanding and acceptance of the rules of the game and the standards of eligibility.
7. Exhibit leadership, use of initiative, and good judgement at all times.
8. Recognize the purpose of athletics is to promote physical, mental, moral, social and emotional well-being of the individual player.
9. Recognize that an athletic contest is only a game.
10. Conduct yourself, at all times, with honor and dignity.
11. Remember that school and learning come first.
12. Commit to give your highest effort in the classroom as well as on the playing court or field.
13. Stress the importance of self-discipline in both the classroom, the community and on and off the field or court.
14. Learn that dignity, self-worth, and self-esteem are achieved through hard work.
15. Create a positive school climate by working with the whole student population as a team to represent your school.
16. Students shall respect any equipment issued to them at the school level (i.e. uniforms, pads, etc.). Defacing of uniforms or other equipment could be considered destruction of school property.

**All District Student Athletes must sign receipt of:**

1. Floyd County Schools Athletic Handbook ([Appendix H](#))

### Parent – Spectators Code of Ethics

Spectators and parents alike must recognize that they represent the school and community. Therefore, they have an obligation to be a true fan who encourages through positive behaviors the practice of good sportsmanship. In addition, spectators are required to meet the following expectations.

1. Remember that school athletics are learning experiences for students and mistakes will be made. You would not taunt a student who makes a mistake in the classroom; why is an athlete an exception.
2. A ticket is a privilege to observe a contest, not a license to verbally assault others and be generally obnoxious.
3. Learn the rules of the game, so that you may understand and appreciate why certain situations take place.
4. Show respect for the opposing players, coaches, spectators and support groups-cheer, dance and band.
5. Respect the integrity and judgement of game officials. Do not question an official's call.
6. Recognize and show appreciation for the outstanding play by either team.
7. Refrain from the use of any controlled substances (alcohol, drugs, etc.) before, during games or after an event.
8. Refrain from cheers which downplay the opponent or use of profane or abusive language.

**All District Student-Athlete Parents will be required to sign:**

1. Floyd County Schools Athletic Handbook ([Appendix H](#))
2. Parent Athletic Code of Ethics ([Appendix I](#))

**All Spectators and Parents at all District Events will be held to standards above and those outlined in:**

- **Community Relations – Civility:** Floyd County Schools Policy 10.21 ([Appendix J](#))
  - a. **Community Relations – Incident Report** Floyd County Schools Policy 10.21 AP.21 ([Appendix K](#)) is to be used when reporting inappropriate behavior toward employees by visitors.

## Section III Student Eligibility

### Eligibility (Players)

All Floyd County High School Athletics will be governed by the policies and procedures as adopted by the Kentucky High School Athletic Association.

#### **Academics**

The eligibility of an athlete shall be determined by the standards set by KHSAA, the FCBE, and/or the local School Based Decision Making (SBDM) Council. Player eligibility sheets shall be completed weekly, per KHSAA Bylaw 5 Section 2.

- Any student athlete participating in Floyd County Elementary/Middle School Sports MUST maintain a 2.0 weekly Grade Point Average (GPA).
- The GPA shall be a calculation of core classes ELA (Reading, Writing), Math, Science and Social Studies.
- GPA determination shall be made weekly each FRIDAY.
- A student who does not meet the 2.0 GPA weekly standard, is ineligible for a minimum of one (1) week.
- GPA determination shall begin the first day of practice and continue through the final game of the season.
- Eligibility sheets shall be sent to the district athletic director, electronically, beginning the first Monday following the first full week of the school year. ([Appendix L](#))

#### **Attendance**

In order to participate, a student athlete MUST be present at school, practice and games.

- All Elementary/Middle/High School student athletes MUST be present at school on the day of and day after an athletic contest unless student provides an excused doctor's excuse.

#### **Insurance, Permission, and Physical Examination**

- All participants in athletics shall purchase insurance coverage that is acceptable according to Floyd County Schools/KHSAA.
- Proof of Insurance must be on file at the school and with the coach at all times.
- All participants shall have a physical examination on the appropriate form (Elementary ([Appendix N](#)) Middle ([Appendix O](#)) and High School ([Appendix P](#)) which also includes the signature of consent for participation by parent and athlete.
- A signed Floyd County Drug Testing Consent form ([Appendix Q](#))
- A signed receipt indicating athlete and parental understanding of the Floyd County Handbook ([Appendix G](#))

#### **Participation Rosters**

- All schools shall submit a participation roster for each sport prior to the first game of the season. Participation Rosters will be a completed check sheet of all required paperwork from each student-athlete on each roster:
  - Age Verification – Birth Certificate check (Age must be verified by the Age/Grade Verification Charts that correspond to KHSAA Age/Grade limits on page 19)
  - Initial GPA check
  - Athletic Physical on the correct form
  - Signed parental and player consent (form included in physical form documents)
  - Proof of Insurance
  - Signed Drug Testing consent forms
  - Signed Parental Athletic Code of Conduct
  - Signed Parent and Player receipt of handbook.

\*Coaches are responsible for gathering all forms and submitting to appropriate personnel.

## Ineligible Players – Parental Notification

### Discipline and Suspension

- Disciplinary action of athletic participants shall be determined according to the infraction of local school rules.
- An athlete suspended shall remain suspended from the squad until he or she is reinstated.
- If a student athlete is under penalty at one Floyd County School as a result of disciplinary or academic reasons that student will remain ineligible in that sport at all schools in the Floyd County School District in the event of a transfer.
- Coaches shall follow the policy of student rights and responsibilities and of local school rules and regulations.

### Ejections

- Athletes that are ejected from a district recognized athletic event must follow the KHSAA guidelines for ejections outlined in **KHSAA Bylaw 15: Practice of Sportsmanship**
- HIGH SCHOOL: All ejections must be reported to the Kentucky High School Athletic Association. Player/Coach may only return once suspension has been served and KHSAA has reinstated the player/coach.
- ELEMENTARY/MIDDLE: All ejections must be reported to Floyd County Schools District Athletic Director on the correct form ([Appendix R](#)). No ejected Player/Coach may return once suspension has been served and reinstatement has been sent to the school by the District Athletic Director in writing. ([Appendix R](#)).

### Practice – Elementary, Middle School

- Students ruled ineligible by the KHSAA or by the Floyd County Public Schools **shall not practice** nor participate with their teams.
- Students who are ineligible shall not be issued school equipment.
- Students who are ineligible shall not be on the team's sidelines/bench area until eligibility is restored.
- Students declared ineligible weekly at the school level because of academics **shall not practice** with their teams until they become eligible by the next weekly grade check.

### Parental Notification

- School Administration are responsible for notifying parents of their student-athletes ineligibility.
- Notification shall state the reason(s) the student-athlete is ineligible.

### Transfer Rule

- If a student in grades K – 8 transfers from one school to another Floyd County Conference school, an eligibility determination will be made according to KHSAA bylaw 6 – Transfer Rule by the District Athletic Director.
- A student's home school was established with their enrollment on August 10, 2022 and began the student's eligibility period moving forward.
- Parents/Guardian requesting a transfer with the Floyd County Conference schools shall complete the Student Transfer Eligibility Determination Form ([Appendix S](#)) attach three pieces of evidence if there is a change in residence (electric bill, 911 address, lease, rent receipt, land deed, or another utility bill) and submit all documentation to the District Athletic Director.
- The District Athletic Director shall make a recommendation of eligibility to the superintendent, who will make the final determination.
- The parent/guardian may appeal the determination of eligibility to the District Superintendent and shall be governed by BOE policy 09.4281

### Sports Offered:

- Students that attend a Floyd County School where a sport recognized for competition at the Middle School Level and is not offered at their home school may:
  - Participate in that sport at a school in their attendance area
  - Attendance areas are defined and recognized by the Floyd County Transportation Department and set forth by the Floyd County Board of Education.
  - Attendance Areas are as follows:
    - BETSY LAYNE HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AREA: Students attending Betsy Layne Elementary and Stumbo Elementary may participate together.
    - FLOYD CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AREA: Students attending Duff-Allen Central Elementary, May Valley Elementary and South Floyd Elementary may participate together.
    - PRESTONSBURG HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AREA: Student attending Adams Middle School and Allen Elementary School may participate together.

*\*Situations that are not covered in this Athletic Handbook will be governed by the current school year's Bylaws and Rules of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association Handbook.*

*The policy listed above will stay with the addition of the following statement.*

IN THE ABSENCE OF AN OFFERED SPORT WITHIN YOUR IDENTIFIED ATTENDANCE BOUNDARY:

*If no school within your identified feeder pattern above offers a sport, a student may participate on a team outside of their attendance area at the elementary/middle school level ONLY.*

- *Parents of students participating on teams outside of their identified feeder pattern must sign that they have reviewed KHSAA Bylaw 4 and 16 and understand that participation outside their identified attendance area (feeder system and connected school) may affect their students high school career up to and including ineligibility once that student enrolls in grade nine (9).*

**\*APPENDIX T** Parent Acknowledgement Form- must be completed PRIOR to beginning practice.

## Section IV Sports

### Middle School Basketball

1. Schools will be allowed two (2) scrimmage games prior to their first season game. There shall be NO scrimmages played after season start date.
2. Participation in the Floyd County Conference shall consist of:
  - a. Each member school playing all other member schools in **one home and one away game**.
  - b. All Floyd County Conference games should attempt to be played at the beginning of the athletic season.
  - c. Barring any type of natural disaster, sickness – A school cancelling a game must contact/inform the District AD of cancellation and reason. If the game is re-scheduled and the same team cancels for a second time – that team will forfeit that game.
  - d. \*Schools can appeal this decision to the District Athletic Director.
3. The Middle School Basketball Conference Tournament will be seeded by wins/losses during the conference season. Forfeits, teams dropping out of conference play, etc. will be determined by the District Athletic Director with consensus of all Middle School Athletic Directors.
4. Member schools may play a total of twenty-five (25) games. The Conference Tournament will not count toward total game count.
5. Students may participate as follows:
  - a. Students in 6<sup>th</sup> grade and below can play on the C-team.
  - b. Students in 7<sup>th</sup> grade and below can play on the B-team.
  - c. Students in 8<sup>th</sup> grade and below can play on the A-grade team.
6. Length of games will be as follows:
  - a. C-Team Games: 4 Quarters: 5:00 (Five Minutes) each quarter.
  - b. B-Team Games: 4 Quarters: 6:00 (Six Minutes) each quarter.
  - c. A-Team Games: 4 Quarters: 6:00 (Six Minutes) each quarter.
7. All game officials shall be registered with KHSAA.
8. The District Athletic Director shall work with the District assigning secretary, athletic directors and coaches of each school to select officials for the county tournament.
9. National Federation of High Schools (NFHS) Running Clock Rule shall be in effect:
  - a. Running clock begins at a 20 (twenty) point differential in score between teams in the second half.
10. A Floyd County Conference Tournament will be held for A, B, and C-Teams.
11. Tournament host will provide the following at each level:
  - a. Winner's Trophy
  - b. 15 Winner Medallions
  - c. Runners Up Trophy
  - d. 15 Runners-Up Medallions

## Elementary School Basketball

1. Schools will be allowed two (2) scrimmage games prior to their first season game. There shall be NO scrimmages played after season start date.
2. Participation in the Floyd County Conference shall consist of:
  - a. Each member school playing all other member schools in **one home and one away game**.
  - b. All Floyd County Conference games should attempt to be played at the beginning of the athletic season.
  - c. Barring any type of natural disaster, sickness – A school cancelling a game must contact/inform the District AD of cancellation and reason. If the game is re-scheduled and the same team cancels for a second time – that team will forfeit that game.
  - d. \*Schools can appeal this decision to the District Athletic Director.
3. The Elementary School Basketball Conference Tournament will be seeded by wins/losses during the conference season. Forfeits, teams dropping out of conference play, etc. will be determined by the District Athletic Director with consensus of all Middle School Athletic Directors.
4. All Elementary games will attempt to be started by 5:30 in order to get students home at a reasonable time.
5. Member schools may play a total of eighteen (18) games. The Conference Tournament will not count toward total game count.
6. Students may participate as follows:
  - a. Students in 5<sup>th</sup> grade and below (3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>) can play on the A-team.
  - b. Students in 4<sup>th</sup> grade and below (3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>) can play on the B-team.
  - c. Student in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade can play on C-Team (may pull 2<sup>nd</sup> grade up if not enough 3<sup>rd</sup> graders).
    - Students can play up, but cannot play down.
7. Length of games will be as follows:
  - a. A-Team Games: 2 Halves: 20:00 (twenty Minutes) each running clock until the last two minutes of each half.
  - b. B-Team Games: 2 Halves: 12:00 (twelve) minute running clock until the last two minutes of each half.
  - c. C-Team Games: 1 Twenty minute running clock, no stops except for time outs.
8. All game officials shall be registered with KHSAA.
9. The District Athletic Director shall work with the District assigning secretary, athletic directors and coaches of each school to select officials for the county tournament.
10. National Federation of High Schools (NFHS) Running Clock Rule shall be in effect:
  - a. Running clock begins at a 20 (twenty) point differential in score between teams in the second half.
11. A Floyd County Conference Tournament will be held at the 5<sup>th</sup> (A Team) and 4<sup>th</sup> (B Team) grade levels.
12. Tournament host will provide the following at each level:
  - a. Winner's Trophy
  - b. 15 Winner Medallions
  - c. Runners Up Trophy
  - d. 15 Runners-Up Medallions
13. The basketball size will be the same as required by NFHS for girl's high school basketball.
14. Free throw line may be moved in to 14 (fourteen) feet and foot faults will be called in 5<sup>th</sup> grade only.
15. No pressing in A-team game until the last 2:00 (two) minutes of the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> halves.
16. No pressing at all in the B-Team or C-Team games at any time.
17. Elementary may play no more than two games on school nights and no more than three games in one week (Sunday-Saturday).

## Middle School Volleyball

1. Schools will be allowed two (2) scrimmages prior to their first season game. There shall be NO scrimmages played after season start date.
2. Participation in the Floyd County Conference shall consist of:
  - a. Each member school playing all other member schools in one (1) home and one away contest.
  - b. All Floyd County Conference games should attempt to be played at the beginning of the athletic season.
  - c. Barring any type of natural disaster, sickness – A school cancelling a game must contact/inform the District AD of cancellation and reason. If the game is re-scheduled and the same team cancels for a second time – that team will forfeit that game.
  - d. \*Schools can appeal this decision to the District Athletic Director.
3. The Middle School Volleyball Conference Tournament will be seeded by wins/losses during the conference season. Forfeits, teams dropping out of conference play, etc. will be determined by the District Athletic Director with consensus of all School Athletic Directors.
4. Member schools may play a total of 25 games. The Conference Tournament will not count toward total game count.
5. Both teams shall receive equal warm-up time prior to the start of a match.
6. Foot Faults will be called.
7. Each school will attempt to provide 1 Adult Line Judge for each game (18 years of age or over).
8. Students may participate as follows:
  - a. Students in 8<sup>th</sup> grade and below may participate on the A-team.
  - b. Students in 7<sup>th</sup> grade and below may participate on the B-team.
  - c. Students in 6<sup>th</sup> grade and below may participate on the C-team.
9. Games will be as follows:
  - a. A, B, and C-team games shall be best of Two (s) of three (3) games.
  - b. A-Team and B-Team games will go as follows:
    - i. The first two (2) sets to 21 points, must win by 2 points or first team to 25.
    - ii. If a third set is needed, the first team to 15 points, must win by 2 points or first team to 20.
  - c. C-Team games will go as follows:
    - i. The first two (2) sets to 18 points, must win by 2 points or first team to 20.
    - ii. If a third set is need, the first team to 12 points, win by 2 points, or the first team to 15.
10. All game officials shall be registered with KHSAA.
11. The District Athletic Director shall work with and the athletic directors and coaches of each school to select officials for the county tournament
12. A Floyd County Conference Tournament will be held for A, B, and C-Teams.
13. Tournament host will provide the following:
  - a. Winner's Trophy
  - b. 15 Winner Medallions
  - c. Runners-Up Trophy
  - d. 15 Runners-up Medallions

## Elementary School Volleyball

1. Schools will be allowed two (2) scrimmages prior to their first season game. There shall be NO scrimmages played after season start date.
2. Participation in the Floyd County Conference shall consist of:
  - a. Each member school playing all other member schools in one (1) home and one away contest.
  - b. All Floyd County Conference games should attempt to be played at the beginning of the athletic season.
  - c. Barring any type of natural disaster, sickness – A school cancelling a game must contact/inform the District AD of cancellation and reason. If the game is re-scheduled and the same team cancels for a second time – that team will forfeit that game.
  - d. \*Schools can appeal this decision to the District Athletic Director.
3. The Elementary School Volleyball Conference Tournament will be seeded by wins/losses during the conference season. Forfeits, teams dropping out of conference play, etc. will be determined by the District Athletic Director with consensus of all School Athletic Directors.
4. Member schools may play a total of 18 games. The Conference Tournament will not count toward total game count.
5. Both teams shall receive equal warm-up time prior to the start of a match.
6. Foot Faults will be called.
7. Each school will attempt to provide 1 Adult Line Judge for each game (18 years of age or over).
8. Students may participate as follows:
  - a. Students in 5<sup>th</sup> grade and below (3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>) may participate on the A-team.
  - b. Students in 4<sup>th</sup> grade and below (3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>) may participate on the B-team.
9. Games will be as follows:
  - a. A and B-team games shall be best of Two (s) of three (3) games.
  - b. A and B-Team games will go as follows:
    - i. The first two (2) sets to 15 points, must win by 2 points or first team to 18.
    - ii. If a third set is needed, the first team to 12 points, must win by 2 points or first team to 15.
10. All game officials shall be registered with KHSAA.
11. The District Athletic Director shall work with and the athletic directors and coaches of each school to select officials for the county tournament
12. A Floyd County Conference Tournament will be held at the A and B team levels.
13. Tournament host will provide the following:
  - a. Winner's Trophy
  - b. 15 Winner Medallions
  - c. Runners-Up Trophy
  - d. 15 Runners-up Medallions
14. K-5 base/serving line shall be 3 feet inside the current volleyball court end line.
15. A youth volleyball (7.5-8.0 oz.) shall be used for elementary games.

## Middle/Elementary Football

1. Practice shall follow KHSAA Drill Level progression and must be recorded and documented ([Appendix U-KHSAA Form FB122](#))
2. Heat Index must be recorded and documented daily using a Wet Bulb Globe Thermometer (WBGT) ([Appendix V-KHSAA GE20](#))
3. Schools will have Ten (10) regular season games with a maximum of two (2) pre-season scrimmages. There shall be NO scrimmages played after season start date.
  - a. \*Seasons for teams competing in a recognized conference shall be extended until the play-off for that conference is completed for that participating team.
4. Participation in the Floyd County Conference shall consist of each member school playing all other member schools in one (1) contest.
5. The Middle School Conference Tournament shall be seeded by wins/losses during the conference season. Forfeits, teams dropping out of conference play, etc. will be determined by the District Athletic Director with consensus of all School Athletic Directors.
  - a. Barring any type of natural disaster, sickness – A school cancelling a game must contact/inform the District AD of cancellation and reason. If the game is re-scheduled and the same team cancels for a second time – that team will forfeit that game.
  - b. Students may participate as outlined in the Age/Grade chart for restriction for student participation in football.
  - c. Players will be allowed to play up 1 (one) level higher in competition. Such action shall require the approval of the coach, the school principal as well as written permission from the parent/guardian of the player ([Appendix W must be completed and signed](#)).
  - d. No player shall be allowed to move down a level of competition.
6. Length of games will be as follows:
  - a. A Team Games: 4 quarters: 8:00 (eight minutes) each quarter
  - b. B Team Games: 4 Quarters: 8:00 (eight minutes) each quarter
  - c. All Games are to have a 10:00 minute half-time period
  - d. A Team and B Team games will enforce the play clock.
  - e. The clock shall be started and stopped according to National Federation of State High School Rules.
7. **C Team Rules will be as follows:**
  - a. All Conference Games shall be played on Saturdays or a day of the week that does not interfere with middle or high school play.
  - b. The games will be rotated among the district schools that participate in football.
  - c. C - Team games may be played during the week against out-of-district teams.
  - d. C Team Length of games shall be:
    - i. 4 Quarters: 6:00 (six minutes) each quarter.
    - ii. All games are to have a 10:00 minute half-time period.
  - e. No lining up over top of the center.
  - f. No blitzing allowed.
8. All game officials shall be registered with KHSAA.
9. The District Athletic Director shall work with and the athletic directors and coaches of each school to select officials for the county tournament
10. Floyd County Tournaments will be held at the A Team, B Team, and C Team levels. At the A and B team levels, teams are seeded based on season in-county play. The county tournament will consist of 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place teams playing in the county tournament. If for some reason there is a three way tie, all teams will compete.

11. Tournament host will provide the following for each level:

- a. Winner's Trophy
- b. 25 Winner Medallions
- c. Runners-Up Trophy
- d. 25 Runners-up Medallions

12. Helmets will be KHSAA compliant.

### **Middle School Baseball / Softball**

1. Schools will be allowed two (2) scrimmages prior to their first season game. There shall be NO scrimmages played after season start date.
2. Participation in the Floyd County Conference shall consist of:
  - a. Each member school playing all other member schools in one (1) home and one (1) away game.
  - b. All Floyd County Conference games should attempt to be played at the beginning of the athletic season.
  - c. Barring any type of natural disaster, sickness – A school cancelling a game must contact/inform the District AD of cancellation and reason. If the game is re-scheduled and the same team cancels for a second time – that team will forfeit that game.
  - d. \*Schools can appeal this decision to the District Athletic Director.
3. The Middle School Conference Tournament will be seeded by wins/losses during the conference season. Forfeits, teams dropping out of conference play, etc. will be determined by the District Athletic Director with consensus of all School Athletic Directors.
4. Member schools may play a total of 25 (twenty-five) games. The Conference Tournament will not count toward total game count.
5. Games will be as follows:
  - a. Baseball games will be 6 innings.
  - b. Softball games will be 6 innings.
  - c. Teams may play 5 inning Doubleheaders if necessary.
  - d. Mercy Rule is 15 or more run lead after 3 innings or a minimum of 10 run lead after 4 innings.
  - e. The length of B Team games in both Softball and Baseball will be determined by participating schools, but shall be no more than 5 innings.
  - f. If schools are playing both an A and B team game a time limit is to be set of 2 hours for the A team game. At the end of the two hours teams are to complete the inning they are in and then call a winner.
  - g. When playing B team games, if any less than 5 innings are played, then games will be played at 5 runs per inning or 3 outs.
6. The NFHS Rules shall govern the game play, players, and equipment used-helmets must be KHSAA compliant.
7. All game officials shall be registered with KHSAA-Games may utilize one (1) official but both participating teams must agree.
8. The District Athletic Director shall work with and the athletic directors and coaches of each school to select officials for the county tournament
9. A Floyd County Conference Tournament will be held at the A Team level for both baseball and softball.
10. Tournament host will provide the following for each level:
  - a. Winner's Trophy
  - b. 20 Winner Medallions
  - c. Runners-Up Trophy
  - d. 20 Runners-up Medallions
11. KHSAA recommended Middle School Pitch Count shall govern baseball. Teams will provide pitch count sheets electronically to the District Athletic Director. All pitch count forms to date, need to be uploaded prior to the start of the Floyd County Conference Tournament. ([Appendix X-KHSAA Form BA101](#))

## Middle School Golf

1. A Golf Team will consist of a minimum 4 members per team competing regularly.
2. Heat Index must be recorded and documented daily using a Wet Bulb Globe Thermometer (WBGT) ([Appendix V-KHSAA GE20](#))
3. Grades 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> may play up on the middle school golf team.
4. There should be no more than two (2) practice matches before season start date.
5. A season may consist of a maximum of 15 matches. The Floyd County Conference Tournament does not count toward total number of matches played.
6. A match will consist of a minimum of 5 holes completed and a maximum of 9 holes.
7. Stroke allotment per hole will be double par.
8. A Floyd County Conference Tournament will be held for Golf.
9. Tournament host will have an adult stationed at each hole to ensure scoring is recorded correctly.
10. Tournament host will provide the following for each level:
  - a. Winner's Trophy
  - b. 10 Winner Medallions
  - c. Runners-Up Trophy
  - d. 10 Runners-up Medallions
  - e. Top Male Golfer
  - f. Top Female Golfer

## Archery

1. Archery will be governed by KHSAA/NASP Rules.
2. Practice may begin on October 16 – KHSAA High School may begin practice October 15.
3. There will be no limit on competitions.
4. Coaches will be required to adhere to Floyd County Schools coaching requirements needed to coach.
5. Archery coaches will be required to have Basic Archery Instructor (BAI) training through the Region Coordinator for Archery in the Schools Program.
6. Students must have all required documentation to participate.
7. There will be no limits of team members.
8. Floyd County District Tournament will be held at the end of February, before the state archery tournament.
9. Host of the County District Tournament will be set on a rotating basis – same as host for Elementary and Middle School sports.
10. Tournament Host will provide the following for a District/County Tournament & State Qualifying Tournaments:
  - a. Overall Male Winner
  - b. Overall Female Winner
  - Team Awards:
  - c. Elementary:
    - 1<sup>st</sup> Place
    - 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
    - 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
  - d. Middle:
    - 1<sup>st</sup> Place
    - 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
    - 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
  - e. High:
    - 1<sup>st</sup> Place
    - 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
    - 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
  - f. Individual Males:
    - Elementary 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>
    - Middle 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>
    - High 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>
  - g. Individual Females:
    - Elementary 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>
    - Middle 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>
    - High 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>
11. Season will end with the completion of State Archery or after District completion if no team or team member advances to State (KHSAA or NASP State Tournaments).

## Soccer

1. Schools may play 18 games during the season. This includes regular season games and tournaments with the exception of post-season play.
2. Two scrimmage games may be played prior to the beginning of the season (March 18).
3. Season will end on the Saturday before the last day of school.
4. Games will be 2 – 30 minutes halves with a 10-minute half time.
5. Students must have all required documentation to participate.
6. The National Federation of High School Association rules book will govern games, players, and equipment

## Cheer and Dance

1. Practice may begin July 10
2. Tryouts must follow KHSAA and FCS Rules
3. Coaches will be required to adhere to Floyd County Schools coaching requirements needed to coach.
4. Cheer Teams may have a maximum of 30 Cheerleaders
5. Dance Teams must have a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 30 Dancers
6. Floyd County Schools will hold a Cheer-Dance Competition the week prior to the Boys Basketball Tournament.
6. KAPOS Judges will be utilized to judge the competition.
7. Host site will be the same as listed in the host rotation.
8. **CHEER:**
  - a. The following groups will be judged in competition:
    1. Elementary Grades K-3<sup>rd</sup>
    2. Elementary Grades 4 & 5
    3. Middle School Grades 6-8
  - b. Students may cheer up, but may not cheer down a grade level.
  - c. Competition Cheer will be a Game Day Routine consisting of: Situational Sidelines, Crowd Leading, Band Chant, Fight Song, Overall Impression. The UCA- Universal Cheer Association Scoresheet will be utilized. [APPENDIX Y](#)
  - d. Cheer Routines must be 2 minute 15 seconds or less (2:15).
  - e. Winners in each category will receive:
    1. Elementary K-3 Team Winner
    2. Elementary K-3 Team Runner – Up
    3. Elementary K-3 Team Winner Medallions – Max 30
    4. Elementary K-3 Team Runner Up Medallions – Max 30
    5. Elementary 4-5 Team Winner
    6. Elementary 4-5 Team Runner – Up
    7. Elementary 4-5 Team Winner Medallions – Max 30
    8. Elementary 4-5 Team Runner Up Medallions – Max 30
    9. Middle School Team Winner
    10. Middle School Team Runner – Up
    11. Middle School Team Winner Medallions – Max 30
    12. Middle School Team Runner - Up Medallions – Max 30

8. **DANCE:**

a. The following groups will be judged in competition:

1. Elementary Grades K-3<sup>rd</sup>
2. Elementary Grades 4 & 5
3. Middle School Grades 6-8

b. Students may dance up, but may not dance down a grade level.

c. Competition DANCE will be rotated each year by genre:

1. 2026-27: Hip Hop will be judged
2. 2027-28: POM will be judged
3. 2028-29: JAZZ will be judged

\*Each category description and rules and regulations are in [APPENDIX Z](#) as outlined in the Kentucky Dance Coach Organization

d. The UDA- Universal Dance Association Scoresheet will be utilized. [APPENDIX AA](#)

e. Dance Routines must be 2 minute 15 seconds or less (2:15).

f. Winners in each category will receive:

1. Elementary K-3 Team Winner
2. Elementary K-3 Team Runner – Up
3. Elementary K-3 Team Winner Medallions – Max 30
4. Elementary K-3 Team Runner Up Medallions – Max 30
5. Elementary 4-5 Team Winner
6. Elementary 4-5 Team Runner – Up
7. Elementary 4-5 Team Winner Medallions – Max 30
8. Elementary 4-5 Team Runner Up Medallions – Max 30
9. Middle School Team Winner
10. Middle School Team Runner – Up
11. Middle School Team Winner Medallions – Max 30
12. Middle School Team Runner - Up Medallions – Max 30

## Elementary School--Middle School – High School Cheerleading / Dance Team

1. Students trying out must be given all rules /regulations before tryouts begin.
2. If tryouts are conducted, it shall be the responsibility of the team coach to organize and conduct the tryouts. The sponsor/cheer coach shall be responsible for the method or procedure of how team members are selected-it is recommended that KAPOS judges be used for tryouts.
3. Tryouts shall be held after school hours.
4. Tryouts shall be announced and publicized at least two weeks in advance to all students, including feeder schools, and must be open to both boys and girls.
5. Prior to tryouts, the sponsor shall ensure that all students meet FCS and KHSAA eligibility requirements as approved by the district in this document.
6. The Cheerleading and Dance Season ends with the last postseason basketball game unless a squad is participating in a KHSAA competition.
7. If a school decides to have two cheer squads: one in-game cheer squad and one competition cheer squad – then a separate try out should be held for each squad.

## Guidelines for the Use of a Consultant (All Schools)

1. A consultant is a private individual, not employed directly by the Floyd County Board of Education, who works for an identified length of time with a cheer or dance team.
2. A consultant working with students in any Floyd County School facility shall successfully complete the volunteer training program and crime check.
3. The Cheer/Dance Coach shall be in attendance whenever the consultant is working with their team.
4. Individual team members may attend a studio or gym but those arrangements are strictly between the member's parent/guardians and the business owner.
5. No team member shall be penalized in any way for not attending a studio/gym.

## **Section V    General**

### Practice Sessions/Games

1. No regular season practice sessions or games are permitted in any Floyd County public school on legal holidays. (i.e., Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, or Martin Luther King Jr. Day) without prior approval from the Principal. No elementary or middle school team shall practice on Sunday without prior approval of the principal and/or superintendent.
2. If an emergency arises and a tournament must be concluded on a Sunday or a holiday, permission may be granted by the Superintendent.
3. Regional, state tournaments or competitions that must take place on Sunday due to travel may be permitted: permission shall be requested from the Superintendent.
4. No player shall be penalized for missing practice during family vacation or other family emergencies IF the absence is communicated in advance with the coach/principal for the sport involved. Communication is the key.
5. Schools should make a reasonable attempt to avoid scheduling games on Wednesday's.

## Out-of-Season Conditioning Program

1. Students involved in a conditioning program shall have a Physical form, proof of insurance, a signed drug testing consent form and parent consent form signed (included on the physical form)
2. A conditioning program shall be allowed. This conditioning program shall be open to all students, male and female. A coach shall be present at all times during a conditioning program.
3. Weight training is not considered organized practice.
4. Out-of-season conditioning programs shall not interfere with an athlete's participation in a regular in-season sport without a release from the coach of the in-season sport. Athletes of an in-season sport shall have an equal opportunity to try out for the next season's sport (e.g., fall sports to winter sports, winter sports to spring sports).

## Pep Rallies

Pep rallies be at the discretion of the school principal and shall be in Title IX compliant.

## Signs and Noisemakers at Athletic Events

1. The following signs are permitted at Floyd County Schools Athletic Events:
  - a) Signs that display the school's name.
  - b) Signs that display the school's colors.
  - c) Signs that display the school's nickname or mascot
2. All artificial noisemakers such as bells, megaphones (unless being used by cheerleaders) and whistles (need to match KHSAA regulations) are banned from athletic events.
3. Inappropriate signs will be taken down/removed immediately.

## Scheduling of Athletic Events

1. No member school of the Floyd County Elementary/Middle School Athletic Conference shall participate in more than three (3) contests per week. \*This shall not include rescheduled events or tournaments. The athletic week shall begin on Sunday and end on the following Saturday.
2. All schedules for athletic events shall have approval of the school principal.
3. Practice or Games on days school is not in session due to inclement weather shall occur at the discretion of the principal of each school after consultation with the Transportation Director and the Superintendent.
4. The Floyd County Tournaments shall be hosted on a rotating basis. (See chart on page 20).
5. Elementary/Middle School may play a single game or match during state assessments, provided the game starts no later than 6:00pm.
6. No athletic contest shall take place during the instructional day.

## Ticket Prices for Regular Season Home Games

Admission prices to athletic events sponsored by any Floyd County School.

Tickets to athletic contests for which admission is charged shall be sold until the end of half-time of the varsity contest.

All Floyd County employees and retired employees are admitted free with badges.

### **High School \* Middle School \* Elementary School**

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|----------------------------------|--------|
| • Adult                          | \$5.00 |
| • Seniors (minimum age 55 years) | \$3.00 |
| • Floyd County Students          | Free   |

- All tickets will be sold at gate unless otherwise posted at the school.
- Season passes may be sold at 80% cost of full ticket prices. (For example, a team has 10 home games. The fan will pay the cost of 8 games.)
- Any student/child 10 or under must be accompanied by an adult (18 or over) to games.

### Invitational Tournaments/Post Season Tournaments

The following ticket prices are subject to change:

- a) Invitational Tournaments
- b) Bowl Games
- c) Floyd County Schools Conference Tournaments
- d) KHSAA Post Season Tournaments

## Corresponding Grade/Age Chart for Middle/Elementary School Football

The age correlates with KHSAA Bylaw 3 - Age.

<b>A - Team Football</b>	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	15 years old after August 1st
	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	14 years old after August 1st
<b>B – Team Football</b>	6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	13 years old after August 1st
	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	12 years old after August 1st
<b>C – Team Football</b>	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	11 years old after August 1st
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	10 years old after August 1st

- Students may play up 1 (one) level with waiver documentation ([Appendix W](#))
- Age is current with school year enrolled

Grade and age chart for Non-football athletic activities. The age correlates with KHSAA Bylaw 3 - Age.

8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	15 years old after August 1st
7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	14 years old after August 1st
6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	13 years old after August 1st
5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	12 years old after August 1st
4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	11 years old after August 1st
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	10 years old after August 1st
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	9 years old after August 1st
1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	8 years old after August 1st
Kindergarten	7 years old after August 1st

- Age is current with school year enrolled

## FLOYD COUNTY SCHOOLS 2026-2027

### Athletic Conference Timeline

SPORT	Season Starting Date (Practice)	Season Starting Date (Play)	Season End Date	County Tournament	# of Games
Girls Basketball	July 13	August 10	October 7	October 12-16	25
MS Football	July 13	August 8	October 2	* October 10	10
Elem. Football	July 13	August 8	September 19	September 22 & 24	10
K-5 Basketball (Boys/Girls)	October 5	October 19	December 4	* B-Team Dec. 7-10 * A-Team Dec. 11-18	18
Boys Basketball	September 29	October 20	January 16	Week of January 19	25
Volleyball	January 5	January 19	March 13	Week of March 16	25
K-5 Volleyball	January 5	January 19	March 6	Week of March 9	18
Baseball Softball	February 16	March 16	May 8	Week of May 11	25
Soccer	February 16	March 16	May 8	None	18
Golf	July 10	July 21	September 5	September 8	15
Archery	Oct 15	N/A	N/A	District – TBD	N/A

\* Middle School Football County Tournament will be on Saturday, October 10, unless one of the three teams are in the championship of the EKMC. If this were to arise then we will play 10/14. If there is a three way county tie for seeding we will play 10/14 and 10/17.

Elementary and Middle School Tournament Host

School Year	Middle School	K-5
2026-27	Adams Middle School	Allen Elementary
2027-28	Allen Elementary	John M. Stumbo Elem.
2028-29	DACE	Betsy Layne Elementary
2029-30	South Floyd Elementary	May Valley Elementary
2030-31	John M. Stumbo Elementary	Prestonsburg Elementary
2031-2032	Betsy Layne Elementary	DACE
2025-26	May Valley Elementary	South Floyd Elementary

**Elementary School  
Official Fee Rates**

SPORT	A Team	B Team	C Team
Football	N/A	N/A	\$50.00
Basketball	\$40.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Volleyball	\$20.00	\$20.00	N/A

\*If one (1) official is utilized in any game – both teams must agree and the official will receive a rate of one (1) + point five (.5) for each game officiated (EXCLUDING ELEMENTARY VOLLEYBALL).

**Middle School  
Official Fee Rates  
*Effective 2025-26 Season***

SPORT	A Team	B Team	C Team
Football	\$60.00	\$60.00	N/A
Basketball	\$50.00	\$40.00	\$40.00
Volleyball	\$40.00	\$30.00	\$20.00
Baseball	Varsity \$60.00 (6 innings)	JV \$10.00 per inning	
Softball	Varsity \$60.00 (6 innings)	JV \$10.00 per inning	
Soccer	Varsity \$40.00	JV \$30.00	

\*If one (1) official is utilized in any game – both teams must agree and the official will receive a rate of one (1) + point five (.5) for each game officiated.

**Assigning Secretary Fee Rates**

- \$100.00 per sport – per season

## Section VI APPENDIX

### APPENDIX A: Floyd County Schools Policy 03.1161 – Athletic Directors, Coaches, and Assistant Coaches

Any middle or high school coach (head or assistant, paid or unpaid) shall successfully complete all training required by the District, the Kentucky Board of Education, the Kentucky High School Athletic Association, and state law and regulation. This shall include safety and first aid training and providing the school documentation of successful completion of a C.P.R. course that includes the use of an automatic defibrillator and first aid training, conducted by an instructor or program approved by a college or university, the American Red Cross, American Heart Association, or other bona fide accrediting agency. Initial certification shall use in-person instruction with certification updated as required by the approving agency.<sup>3</sup>

Nonfaculty coaches and nonfaculty assistants shall complete District training that includes information on the physical and emotional development of students of the age with which they will be working, the District's and school's discipline policies, procedures for dealing with discipline problems, and safety and first aid training. Follow-up training shall be provided annually.<sup>2</sup>

#### SELECTION OF ATHLETIC DIRECTORS, HEAD COACHES AND ASSISTANT COACHES

The Principal shall select the athletic director, where appropriate, and coach for each sport and the Superintendent shall complete the hiring action. However, under [KRS 156.070](#) and related regulations, non-teaching personnel may be selected to serve as coaches.

#### REQUIREMENTS

##### Athletic Director

- Full time certified employee.
- Member of the school faculty where serving.

##### Head Coach and Assistant Coach — All High School Sports

- Employee of the district must be full-time certified or classified. Consideration should be given to certified employees.
- Successful completion of KHSAA coaching requirements.
- If not certified, successful completion of Floyd County Schools Volunteer Training is required. Certification is for two (2) years.
- If not a full time employee, an annual criminal records check under [KRS 160.380](#) and [KRS 161.1851](#) shall be required.

##### Head Coach and Assistant Coach — All Middle and Elementary School Sports

- Successful completion of Floyd County Schools coaching seminar.
- Current CPR/First Aid Certification.
- If not certified, successful completion of Floyd County Schools Volunteer Training is required. Certification is for two (2) years.
- If not a full time employee, an annual criminal records check shall be required.
- Successful completion of the KHSAA Sports Safety Course

\*Cheerleading and dance are considered sports by the Floyd County Schools and are subject to these requirements.

REFERENCES:

[<sup>1</sup>KRS 160.380](#)

[<sup>2</sup>KRS 161.185](#)

[702 KAR 007:065](#)

Kentucky High School Athletic Association (KHSAA)

[KRS 156.070](#); [KRS 160.445](#); [KRS 161.044](#); [KRS 161.180](#)

[OAG 73-206](#); [OAG 76-555](#)

**RELATED POLICIES:**

03.2141; 03.5; 09.221; 09.31; 09.3 11

**APPENDIX B: FCS Athletic Director Job Description**

**TITLE:** **ATHLETIC DIRECTOR**

**QUALIFICATIONS:** As required by the Kentucky High School Athletic Association, SBDM Council, and the Floyd County Board of Education.

**REPORTS TO:** Principal

**JOB GOAL:** To oversee organization of all athletic programs at the school and to provide leadership, resources, and educational knowledge and skills to the students participating in athletic programs.

**TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:** Salary and terms of employment to be arranged with the Board.

**EVALUATION:** Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with provisions of the Floyd County School System's plan for evaluating co-curricular personnel.

**PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:**

1. Provides leadership for instilling sportsmanship and fair play
2. Monitors athlete attendance/behavior/academic status (specifically student grades)
3. Schedules games in consultation with head coach
4. Develops and monitors athletic program budgets in conjunction with head coach
5. Ensures school compliance with all KHSAA bylaws and local board policies
6. Assists coaches in ordering needed equipment and uniforms and maintenance of equipment and uniforms
7. Prepares contracts for games in accordance with KHSAA regulations
8. Prepare tickets, gate receipt boxes and audit forms for all revenue producing contests
9. Ensures officials are paid before athletic contests begin
10. Serves as a resource to the principal, school coaches and the school council in developing and implementing team rules and guidelines
11. Assumes responsibility for arranging team transportation and ensures that the district policy regarding student transportation is followed
12. Monitors coaches during practice and events to ensure that all coaches display appropriate and professional conduct
13. Attends required athletic meetings (district, regional, and state)

**I hereby acknowledge I have received and reviewed a copy of my job description.**

**Employee Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

## APPENDIX C: FCS Head Athletic Coach Job Description

<b>TITLE:</b>	<b>HEAD ATHLETIC COACH — ALL LEVELS</b>
<b>QUALIFICATIONS:</b>	As required by the Kentucky High School Athletic Association and/or the Floyd County Board of Education.
<b>REPORTS TO:</b>	Principal
<b>JOB GOAL:</b>	To provide leadership, resources, and educational knowledge and skills to the students participating in athletic programs.
<b>TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:</b>	Salary set by the Floyd County Board of Education. Employment is for one year only and requires principal recommendation each year. In the case of a coaching vacancy consultation with the school-based council must occur.
<b>EVALUATION:</b>	Performance of this job will be evaluated annually in accordance with provisions of the Floyd County Board of Education Evaluation Plan.

### PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Complies with all KHSAA bylaws and/or policies of the Floyd County Board of Education
2. Provides data as required for Title IX compliance reporting and other district reports as needed
3. Develops team program budget
4. Make travel arrangements and appropriate bus requests
5. Ensures completion of health exam by athletes
6. Monitors athlete attendance/behavior/academic status
7. Maintains first-aid/CPR certification
8. Completes appropriate accident reports immediately following accidents/injuries to student/athletes
9. Ensures athlete is cleared by M.D. in order to return to practice
10. Completes required administrative reports by designated date(s)
11. Instructs team members concerning changes in rules
12. Teaches fundamentals of the sport as outlined by the head coach of that sport
13. Strives to improve skills by attending clinics and using resources made available
14. Supervising players before and after practice
15. Works to instills sportsmanship and fair play
16. Works with principal and athletic director on ordering needed equipment and uniforms and maintenance of equipment and uniforms
17. Conducts practice sessions to develop the individual and team skills to assist the students in performing at their maximum potential
18. Assumes leadership role in developing team rules and guidelines

**I hereby acknowledge I have received and reviewed a copy of my job description.**

**Employee Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**APPENDIX D: FCS Assistant Athletic Coach Job Description**

**TITLE:** ASSISTANT ATHLETIC COACH - ALL LEVELS

**QUALIFICATIONS:** As required by the Kentucky High School Athletic Association and/or the Floyd County Board of Education.

**REPORTS TO:** Principal

**JOB GOAL:** To provide leadership, resources, and educational knowledge and skills to the students participating in athletic programs.

**TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:** Salary set by the Floyd County Board of Education. Employment is for one year only and requires principal recommendation each year. In the case of a coaching vacancy consultation with the school-based council must occur.

**EVALUATION:** Performance of this job will be evaluated annually in accordance with provisions of the Floyd County Board of Education Evaluation Plan.

**PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:**

1. Assists the Head Coach in all administrative duties as determined by the Head Coach
2. Complies with all KHSAA bylaws and policies of the Floyd County Board of Education
3. Understands the proper administrative line of command and refers all student and parents
4. Instructs team members concerning changes in rules
5. Teaches fundamentals of the sport as outlined by the head coach of that sport
6. Strives to improve skills by attending clinics and using resources made available by the head coach
7. Assists in supervising players before and after practice
8. Assists with development of team program budget
9. Works to instill sportsmanship and fair play.
10. Works with principal and athletic director on ordering needed equipment and uniforms and maintenance of equipment and uniforms
11. Conducts practice sessions to develop the individual and team skills to assist the students in performing at their maximum potential
12. Works with athletic director and principal in developing team rules and guidelines.

**I hereby acknowledge I have received and reviewed a copy of my job description.**

**Employee Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**APPENDIX: G Athletic Handbook**



**Floyd County Public Schools  
Athletic Handbook**

**ATHLETIC DIRECTOR — COACH — NON-PAID COACH/VOLUNTEER**

As an Athletic Director, Coach or Volunteer of Floyd County Schools, I hereby agree that I have received, read, and will comply with the Floyd County Schools Athletic Handbook.

I further agree that I will abide by the rules and guidelines outlined in the FCS Athletic Handbook and understand that I must follow these rules at all times.

I also acknowledge that I have received training in the rules and regulations of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association (KHSAA) and agree to abide by them.

It is my responsibility to provide a copy of the FCS Athletic Handbook to each member of all teams at my school and their parents and collect their signed receipt.

I understand that violations of the rules and regulations or policies and procedures of the Floyd County Board of Education shall be subject to discipline that may include, but is not limited to, termination.

**Print Name of AD/Coach/Volunteer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of AD/Coach/Volunteer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Athletic Team:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

## APPENDIX: H Athletic Handbook



## Floyd County Public Schools Athletic Handbook

### Student Athlete

As a student athlete in Floyd County Schools, I hereby agree that I have received, read, and will comply with the Floyd County Schools Athletic Handbook.

I further agree that I will abide by the rules and guidelines outlined in the FCS Athletic Handbook and understand that I must follow them at all times.

The FCS Athletic Handbook is to be used as a reference tool for general information, I understand that I should seek out either my Head Coach, Athletic Director or Principal with questions on specific issues.

### Parent/Guardian

As the parent or legal guardian of the student athlete below, I agree that I have received, read and will comply with the Floyd County Schools Athletic Handbook.

**Print Name of Student Athlete:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Student Athlete:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print Name of Parent/Legal Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Parent/Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Athletic Team:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

## APPENDIX: I Parent Athletic Code of Conduct



### FLOYD COUNTY PARENT ATHLETIC CODE OF CONDUCT

1. I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care, and encouragement for my child's participation in sports by following this Parent Code of Conduct.
2. I promise to help my child enjoy the sports experience by doing whatever I can; such as being a respectable fan; and following all school policies.
3. I realize that my child's playing time is determined by his/her awareness of the game, his/her ability, his/her maturity and the coaches' evaluations.
4. I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, opponents, coaches and officials at every game, practice, or other sporting events, regardless of race, sex, creed, or ability.
5. I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my child ahead of my personal desire to win and remember that the game is for the student/athletes and not the adults.
6. I will conduct myself in such a manner as to bring positive feedback to our athletes, our school and our community. I will refrain from undermining or spreading ill will by passing on gossip, rumors, and innuendo which could destroy team morale and cohesiveness.
7. I will support the 24-Hour Rule: Parents are not permitted to discuss athletic concerns with the coach for at least 24 hours after an issue arises at a game, practice, or other instance. I will schedule an appointment with the administration and the coach if an issue arises. \*It is never acceptable for a parent to attempt to discuss playing time of their child or any other player.
8. I shall refrain from making inappropriate, disparaging or negative posts on Social Media regarding Floyd County Schools Athletes, their families, staff, coaches or volunteers, that when viewed in a reasonable light, could be construed to have a negative impact on Floyd County Schools, or that would offend any student-athlete or their family, participating in Floyd County Schools Athletics. Social networking sites including but not limited to (i.e. Facebook, Snapchat, Instagram), Blogs, Discussion forums, Media Sharing services (i.e. YouTube), Micro Blogging (i.e. Twitter) (collectively ("Social Media")).

**APPENDIX: I**



**FLOYD COUNTY PARENT ATHLETIC CODE OF CONDUCT**

**CONDUCT SUBJECT TO DISCIPLINE**

*Examples of words or actions which will constitute a violation of the code include, but are not limited to the following:*

1. Making physical contact with any player, coach, official, school representative, or spectator.
2. Taunting or threatening any player, coach, official, school representative, or spectator.
3. Using profane and/or vulgar language or mannerisms.
4. Going into the locker/dressing room area or obstructing their access to or exit from the locker room or going onto the playing area.
5. Throwing of any object onto the playing area or at another individual.
6. Defacing or damaging property belonging to any team, association, or campus.
7. Instigating any person(s) to become involved in any of the above-listed activities.
8. Being involved in any activity that would warrant the summoning of law enforcement officials.
9. And any other conduct that is not in compliance with Floyd County Athletic and School procedures.

**CONSEQUENCES FOR VIOLATION OF PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT**

**1st Offense Violation:** Parents will be issued a minimum three (3) game suspension for their behavior. Although not required, school officials can issue a longer suspension based upon the seriousness of the infraction.

**2nd Offense Violation:** Parents will be suspended for one (1) calendar year from all athletic events from the date of the incident.

**All Parents and/or Guardians MUST sign off on the Parent Code of Conduct for their child to be eligible to participate in sports.**

**By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the Floyd County Schools Parent Athletic Code of Conduct:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Name – Printed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## **APPENDIX: J Civility Policy**

### **COMMUNITY RELATIONS**

**10.21**

#### **Civility**

##### **BOARD INTENT**

The Board invites parental and community member involvement and recognizes that the vast majority of input received will be of a constructive and civil nature. This policy is designed to address those rare instances where that is not the case.

While it is not the Board's intent to deny an individual's right to freedom of expression, it has the responsibility to maintain, to the extent possible and reasonable, safe, harassment-free schools, school activities, and workplaces for students and staff and to minimize disruptions to the District's programs.

##### **PREPARATION OF EMPLOYEES**

The Superintendent/designee shall implement intervention and response training to notify employees of this policy and their corresponding responsibilities and to prepare them to deal with incidents of incivility.

##### **BEHAVIOR STANDARDS**

Persons coming onto District property shall be under the jurisdiction of the site administrator or designee.

District employees shall be courteous and helpful in interacting and responding to parents, visitors, and members of the public. In turn, individuals who come onto District property or contact employees on school or District business are expected to behave accordingly. Specifically, actions that are discouraged and may warrant further action include, but are not limited to:

1. Cursing and use of obscenities,
2. Disrupting or threatening to disrupt school or office operations,
3. Acting in an unsafe manner that could threaten the health or safety of others,
4. Verbal or written statements or gestures indicating intent to harm an individual or property, and
5. Physical attacks intended to harm an individual or substantially damage property.

Employees who fail to observe these standards in their own behavior shall be subject to appropriate disciplinary measures, up to and including dismissal.

##### **EMPLOYEE OPTIONS**

In cases involving physical attack of an employee or imminent threat of harm, the first priority shall be for employees to take immediate action to protect themselves and others. In absence of an imminent threat, employees shall attempt to calmly and politely inform the individual of the provisions of this policy and/or provide him/her with a copy. However, if the individual continues to behave in a discourteous and uncivil manner, the employee may respond as needed, to include, but not be limited to, the following options:

**Civility**

**EMPLOYEE OPTIONS (CONTINUED)**

1. Hang up on a caller;
2. End a meeting;
3. Ask the individual to leave the school;
4. Call the site administrator or designee for assistance; and/or
5. Call the police.

Employees shall submit to their immediate supervisor, as soon as possible, a written incident report for all such occurrences. The Superintendent/designee, on advice from the Board Attorney, shall determine whether an incident indicates the need for a restraining order or pursuit of other legal options on behalf of the District. Individual employees are free to pursue other legal courses of action.

**SCHOOL SPONSORED EVENTS INCLUDING ATHLETIC EVENTS**

This civility policy applies to participants, parents, and spectators (including student spectators) during all school sponsored events, including extracurricular activities and athletic practices and competitions. Violators may be banned from participation or attendance at future events and may face criminal charges. The site administrator/supervisor during any event has the authority to eject from the event venue any person who violates the above Behavior Standards. Contest officials in events sanctioned by the Kentucky High School Athletic Association have the authority to exclude student participants and adult non-participants from an event venue and to suspend competition until order is restored.

Parents and spectators should observe a cooling-off period of twenty-four (24) hours after any practice or competition before addressing complaints or criticisms with coaching staff, except in circumstances where prompt communication is reasonably believed necessary for the health or safety of a student participant. Parents should schedule meetings with coaching staff to discuss concerns, rather than discuss individual concerns immediately before or after practices or competitions when coaches are required to supervise student participants.

**REFERENCES:**

[KRS 161.190](#)  
[KRS 503.110](#); [KRS 518.090](#)

**RELATED POLICIES:**

03.1325; 03.2325  
09.425; 10.2; 10.5

Adopted/Amended: 7/25/2022  
Order #: 20091

**APPENDIX: K Incident Report**

**COMMUNITY RELATIONS**

**10.21 AP.21**

**Incident Report**

**(Inappropriate Behavior toward Employees by Visitors)**

**Complete and submit this report to your immediate supervisor as soon as possible after the incident.**

DATE OF INCIDENT \_\_\_\_\_

EMPLOYEE'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

POSITION/TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

WHERE DID INCIDENT OCCUR? (Check)

- School site     School grounds     School-sponsored event     Central Office     Private residence
- Public site (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIBE/IDENTIFY INDIVIDUAL: \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIBE INDIVIDUAL'S ACTIONS. (Check the boxes that best categorize the actions and then describe those actions with specifics. Attach a separate sheet if necessary.)

- Cursing/using obscenities
- Disrupting or threatening to disrupt school or office operations
- Acting in an unsafe manner (a manner that could have threatened the health and safety of others)
- Making a verbal statement, a phone call, or a gesture indicating intent to harm you or to damage school property
- Sending a written statement indicating intent to harm you or to damage school property
- Physically attacking you with the intent to harm you or to damage school property
- Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Specifics: \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIBE YOUR RESPONSE. (Check the boxes that best categorize your response and then describe that response with specifics. Attach a separate sheet if necessary.)

- Informed person(s) of provisions of and/or gave person(s) a copy of Policy 10.21
- Hung up the phone on the person(s)
- Asked person(s) to leave office/school/event
- Called site administrator/designee for assistance
- Called law enforcement officials
- Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Specifics: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Employee's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Immediate Supervisor's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

DATE REPORT SUBMITTED TO SUPERINTENDENT/DESIGNEE: \_\_\_\_\_

Review/Revised:10/10/2000



# APPENDIX: N Elementary Physical Form



## FLOYD COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

442 KY RT 550  
EASTERN, KY 41622

Athletic Participation/Physical Examination Form  
Parental and Student Consent and Release for  
Elementary School Level (students enrolled in grades K-5 participating  
in competition for elementary grades  
\*Adapted from KHSAA MSO1 Form

The student and parents/guardian must read this statement carefully and sign where required. By signing this form, all parties agree that they have accurately completed all sections of the form and have read and agree to the terms of this form as detailed. This form must be completed before the student participates (hereinafter including try out for, practice and/or compete) in interscholastic athletics. This form should be kept in a secure location until the student has exhausted eligibility, enrolled in high school and reached the age of sixteen (16). Any use of additional optional supplemental forms such as the PPEO1 to gather medical information from both the family and the medical community is to be kept separate from this form and maintained in compliance with state and federal privacy laws.

### ELEMENTARY ATHLETE INFORMATION (This part must be completed by the student and family)

Name (Last, First, Initial) \_\_\_\_\_ School Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address (Street, City, State, Zip): \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Place (County, State): \_\_\_\_\_

I am planning to participate in the following (check all YOU might try to play):

- |                                       |                                      |                                   |                                   |  |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Archery      | <input type="checkbox"/> Bowling     | <input type="checkbox"/> Esports  | <input type="checkbox"/> Soccer   | <input type="checkbox"/> Track and Field |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Baseball     | <input type="checkbox"/> Competitive | <input type="checkbox"/> Football | <input type="checkbox"/> Softball | <input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Basketball   | <input type="checkbox"/> Cross       | <input type="checkbox"/> Golf     | <input type="checkbox"/> Swimming | <input type="checkbox"/> Wrestling       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bass Fishing | <input type="checkbox"/> Dance       | <input type="checkbox"/> Lacrosse | <input type="checkbox"/> Tennis   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other           |

### EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Relation to Student \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Address, including City, State and Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### OPTIONAL INSURANCE INFORMATION (only for purpose of emergency treatment)

Insurance Carrier \_\_\_\_\_ Policy Number! ID Number \_\_\_\_\_ Group Number \_\_\_\_\_ Plan \_\_\_\_\_

### CONSENT INFORMATION TO PARTICIPATE, ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK, ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY RULES, LIABILITY WAIVER AND CONSENT AND RELEASE

As parent/legal guardian, I agree to allow my child to participate in interscholastic athletics. The student and parent/legal guardian recognize that participation in interscholastic athletics involves some inherent risks for potentially severe injuries, including but not limited to death, serious neck, head and spinal injuries, which may result in complete or partial paralysis, brain damage, serious injury to internal organs, serious injury to bones, joints, ligaments, muscles, tendons, and other aspects of the muscular-skeletal system, and serious injury or impairment to other aspects of the body, or effects to the general health and well-being of the child. Because of these inherent risks, the student and parent/legal guardian recognize the importance of the student following coaches' instructions regarding playing

techniques, training and other team rules. By signing this form, the student and parent/legal guardian acknowledge that the student's participation is wholly voluntary and to having read and understood this provision.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of the student, hereby irrevocably and unconditionally release, acquit, and forever discharge Floyd County Schools and its officers, agents, attorneys, representatives and employees (collectively, the "Releasees") from any and all losses, claims, demands, actions and causes of action, obligations, damages, and costs or expenses of any nature (including attorney's fees) that the student and/or parent/legal guardian incur or sustain to person, property or both, which arise out of, result from, occur during or are otherwise connected with the student's participation in interscholastic athletics if due to the ordinary negligence of the Releasees.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of this student, consent to the school and Floyd County Schools and their representatives to use and disclose the necessary personally identifiable information from the student's education records including academic, financial and health care information, to third parties including school representatives, coaches, athletic trainers, medical facilities, medical staffs, Floyd County Schools legal counsel and the media, for the purpose of receiving proper/necessary medical care and complying with the KHSAA bylaws. This includes making determinations regarding eligibility to participate in interscholastic athletics and any administrative or legal proceedings resulting from participation or attempted participation in interscholastic athletics without such disclosure constituting a violation of rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act. The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of this student, further release the school, Floyd County Schools and their representatives from any and all claims arising Out of the use and disclosure of said necessary personally identifiable information and agree to release to the school, Floyd County Schools, and their representatives, upon request, the detailed and completed application for financial aid.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of this student, give the school, Floyd County Schools and the authorized representatives of the Floyd County Schools permission to release this student's demographic information (including motion picture and still photographic images) and participation statistics (including height, weight and year in school, participation history and other performance-based statistics) and other information as may be requested or presented. The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of this student, agree that the student may be photographed or otherwise digitally or electronically captured during school-based competition and such product used during normal Floyd County Schools business, including commercial and internet-based video and still images. All of this material may be used without permission or compensation specifically related to Floyd County Schools and its events, without such use constituting a violation of rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of the student, hereby acknowledge that they are aware of and will review, if desired, the education materials available through the KHSAA, the Centers for Disease Control and other agencies regarding education all individuals with respect to nature and risk of concussion, head injury, or other ongoing health concerns, including the continuance of play after concussion or head injury. The student and parent/legal guardian consent to this student receiving a physical examination as required by 702 KAR 7:065.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individual and on behalf of the student, hereby consent to allow the student to receive medical treatment that may be deemed advisable by the school, Floyd County Schools, and their representatives in the event of injury, accident or illness while participating in interscholastic athletics, including, but not limited to, transportation of the student to a medical facility. The student and parent/legal guardian, acknowledge that transportation to a medical facility may involve having to provide the student's birthday and social security number solely for potential hospitalization and emergency care needs and is not required to be recorded on this form. However, those failing to provide this information should be aware that this might be required by emergency treatment facilities prior to rendering service, and failure to provide could result in lack of appropriate care.

**STUDENT AND PARENT/GUARDIAN ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK, ELIGIBILITY RULES, LIABILITY WAIVER AND CONSENT AND RELEASE AND EMERGENCY PERMISSION FORM**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Students' Name (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
School

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student and Parent/Guardian Address including City, State and Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Please list above any health problems/concerns this student may have, including allergies (medications / others) and any medications presently being used

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s) who has/have custody of this student (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Phone Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent(s)/Guardian(s) who has/have custody of this student (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Each individual group meeting the requirements of 702 KAR 7:065, Section 3(x) may have supplement waivers and disclaimer requirements. In this case both the MS01 and the required form of the approved group would be required.

**PARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION**  
**MEDICAL ELIGIBILITY FORM**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

- Medically eligible for all sports without restriction
- Medically eligible for all sports without restriction with recommendations for further evaluation or treatment of

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
 Medically eligible for certain sports

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
 Not medically eligible pending further evaluation

Not medically eligible for any sports

Recommendations: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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I have examined the student named on this form and completed the preparticipation physical evaluation. The athlete does not have apparent clinical contraindications to practice and can participate in the sport(s) as outlined on this form. A copy of the physical examination findings are on record in my office and can be made available to the school at the request of the parents. If conditions arise after the athlete has been cleared for participation, the physician may rescind the medical eligibility until the problem is resolved and the potential consequences are completely explained to the athlete (and parents or guardians).

Name of health care professional (print or type): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of health care professional: \_\_\_\_\_ MD, DO, NP, or PA  
or DC (if within scope of practice)

**SHARED EMERGENCY INFORMATION**

Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Medications: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Other information: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contacts \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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# APPENDIX O Middle School Physical Form



**Athletic Participation/Physical Examination Form  
Parental and Student Consent and Release  
For Middle School Level (students enrolled in grades  
5-8 participating in competition for grades 6-8)**

KHSAA Form MS01  
Middle School  
Parent Permission and Consent  
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**ATHLETE INFORMATION  
(This part must be completed by the student and family)**

Name (Last, First, Initial) \_\_\_\_\_ School Year \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Address (Street, City, State, Zip): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gender \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Place (County, State): \_\_\_\_\_

**I am planning to participate in the following (check all you might try to play):**

- |                                       |  |                                   |                                   |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Archery      | <input type="checkbox"/> Bowling           | <input type="checkbox"/> Esports  | <input type="checkbox"/> Soccer   | <input type="checkbox"/> Track and Field |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Baseball     | <input type="checkbox"/> Competitive Cheer | <input type="checkbox"/> Football | <input type="checkbox"/> Softball | <input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Basketball   | <input type="checkbox"/> Cross Country     | <input type="checkbox"/> Golf     | <input type="checkbox"/> Swimming | <input type="checkbox"/> Wrestling       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bass Fishing | <input type="checkbox"/> Dance             | <input type="checkbox"/> Lacrosse | <input type="checkbox"/> Tennis   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____     |

**EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION**

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Name (please print) Relation to Student  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Emergency Contact Address, including City, State and Zip  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Daytime Phone Cell Phone  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**OPTIONAL INSURANCE INFORMATION (only for purpose of emergency treatment)**

Insurance Carrier \_\_\_\_\_ Policy Number / ID Number \_\_\_\_\_ Group Number \_\_\_\_\_ Plan \_\_\_\_\_

**CONSENT INFORMATION TO PARTICIPATE, ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK, ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY RULES, LIABILITY  
WAIVER AND CONSENT AND RELEASE**

As parent/legal guardian, I agree to allow my child to participate in interscholastic athletics.

The student and parent/legal guardian recognize that participation in interscholastic athletics involves some inherent risks for potentially severe injuries, including but not limited to death, serious neck, head and spinal injuries, which may result in complete or partial paralysis, brain damage, serious injury to internal organs, serious injury to bones, joints, ligaments, muscles, tendons, and other aspects of the muscular-skeletal system, and serious injury or impairment to other aspects of the body, or effects to the general health and well-being of the child. Because of these inherent risks, the student and parent/legal guardian recognize the importance of the student following coaches' instructions regarding playing techniques, training and other team rules. By signing this form, the student and parent/legal guardian acknowledge that the student's participation is wholly voluntary and to having read and understood this provision.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of the student, hereby irrevocably and unconditionally release, acquit, and forever discharge the KHSAA and its officers, agents, attorneys, representatives and employees (collectively, the "Releasees") from any and all losses, claims, demands, actions and causes of action, obligations, damages, and costs or expenses of any nature (including attorney's fees) that the student and/or parent/legal guardian incur or sustain to person, property or both, which arise out of, result from, occur during or are otherwise connected with the student's participation in interscholastic athletics if due to the ordinary negligence of the Releasees.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of this student, consent to the high school and the KHSAA and their representatives to use and disclose the necessary personally identifiable information from the student's education records including academic, financial and health care information, to third parties including school representatives, coaches, athletic trainers, medical facilities, medical staffs, KHSAA legal counsel and the media, for the purpose of receiving proper/necessary medical care and complying with the KHSAA bylaws. This includes making determinations regarding eligibility to participate in interscholastic athletics and any administrative or legal proceedings resulting from participation or attempted participation in interscholastic athletics without such disclosure constituting a violation of rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act. The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of this student, further release the high school, the KHSAA and their representatives from any and all claims arising out of the use and disclosure of



**Athletic Participation/Physical Examination Form  
Parental and Student Consent and Release  
For Middle School Level (students enrolled in grades  
5-8 participating in competition for grades 6-8)**

*KHSAA Form MS01  
Middle School  
Parent Permission and Consent  
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said necessary personally identifiable information and agree to release to the high school, the KHSAA, and their representatives, upon request, the detailed and completed application for financial aid.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of this student, give the high school, the KHSAA and the authorized representatives of the KHSAA permission to release this student's demographic information (including motion picture and still photographic images) and participation statistics (including height, weight and year in school, participation history and other performance-based statistics) and other information as may be requested or presented. The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of this student, agree that the student may be photographed or otherwise digitally or electronically captured during school-based competition and such product used during normal KHSAA business, including commercial and internet-based video and still images. All of this material may be used without permission or compensation specifically related to the KHSAA and its events, without such use constituting a violation of rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of the student, hereby acknowledge that they are aware of and will review, if desired, the education materials available through the KHSAA, the Centers for Disease Control and other agencies regarding education all individuals with respect to nature and risk of concussion, head injury, or other ongoing health concerns, including the continuance of play after concussion or head injury.

The student and parent/legal guardian consent to this student receiving a physical examination as required by 702 KAR 7:065.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individual and on behalf of the student, hereby consent to allow the student to receive medical treatment that may be deemed advisable by the school, the KHSAA, and their representatives in the event of injury, accident or illness while participating in interscholastic athletics, including, but not limited to, transportation of the student to a medical facility. The student and parent/legal guardian, acknowledge that transportation to a medical facility may involve having to provide the student's birthday and social security number solely for potential hospitalization and emergency care needs and is not required to be recorded on this form. However, those failing to provide this information should be aware that this might be required by emergency treatment facilities prior to rendering service, and failure to provide could result in lack of appropriate care.

**STUDENT AND PARENT/GUARDIAN ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK, ELIGIBILITY RULES, LIABILITY WAIVER AND CONSENT AND RELEASE  
AND EMERGENCY PERMISSION FORM**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Students' Name (please print) School

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student and Parent/Guardian Address including City, State and Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Student Date

Please list above any health problems/concerns this student may have, including allergies (medications / others) and any medications presently being used

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s) who has/have custody of this student (please print) Emergency Phone Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent(s)/Guardian(s) who has/have custody of this student Date

*Each individual group meeting the requirements of 702 KAR 7:065, Section 3(x) may have supplement waivers and disclaimer requirements. In this case, both the MS01 and the required form of the approved group would be required.*

■ **PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION**

**MEDICAL ELIGIBILITY FORM**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

- Medically eligible for all sports without restriction
- Medically eligible for all sports without restriction with recommendations for further evaluation or treatment of

\_\_\_\_\_

- Medically eligible for certain sports

\_\_\_\_\_

- Not medically eligible pending further evaluation
- Not medically eligible for any sports

Recommendations: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

I have examined the student named on this form and completed the preparticipation physical evaluation. The athlete does not have apparent clinical contraindications to practice and can participate in the sport(s) as outlined on this form. A copy of the physical examination findings are on record in my office and can be made available to the school at the request of the parents. If conditions arise after the athlete has been cleared for participation, the physician may rescind the medical eligibility until the problem is resolved and the potential consequences are completely explained to the athlete (and parents or guardians).

Name of health care professional (print or type): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of health care professional: \_\_\_\_\_, MD, DO, NP, or PA  
or DC (if within scope of practice)

**SHARED EMERGENCY INFORMATION**

Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Medications: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Other information: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contacts: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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# APPENDIX P High School Physical Form



## Athletic Participation Form Parental and Student Consent and Release For High School Level (grades 9-12) participation

KHSAA Form GE04  
High School Parental Permission and Consent  
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The student and parents/guardian must read this statement carefully and sign where required. By signing this form, all parties agree that they have accurately completed all sections of the form and have read and agree to the terms of this form as detailed. This form **must** be completed before the student participates (hereinafter including try out for, practice and/or compete) in interscholastic athletics. This form should be kept in a secure location until the student has exhausted eligibility, graduated from high school and reached the age of 19. Any use of additional optional supplemental forms such as the PPE01 to gather medical information from both the family and the medical community is to be kept separate from this form and maintained in compliance with state and federal privacy laws.

### ATHLETE INFORMATION (This part must be completed by the student and family)

Name (Last, First, Initial) \_\_\_\_\_ School Year \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Address (Street, City, State, Zip): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gender \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Place (County, State): \_\_\_\_\_

#### School Attendance History

Grade	School Name	School Year	Varsity Play – (Yes/No)?
9			
10			
11			
12			

#### I am planning to participate in the following (check all you might try to play):

- |                                       |  |                                   |                                   |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Archery      | <input type="checkbox"/> Bowling           | <input type="checkbox"/> Esports  | <input type="checkbox"/> Soccer   | <input type="checkbox"/> Track and Field |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Baseball     | <input type="checkbox"/> Competitive Cheer | <input type="checkbox"/> Football | <input type="checkbox"/> Softball | <input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Basketball   | <input type="checkbox"/> Cross Country     | <input type="checkbox"/> Golf     | <input type="checkbox"/> Swimming | <input type="checkbox"/> Wrestling       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bass Fishing | <input type="checkbox"/> Dance             | <input type="checkbox"/> Lacrosse | <input type="checkbox"/> Tennis   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____     |

### EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Relation to Student \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Contact Address, including City, State and Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### CONSENT INFORMATION TO PARTICIPATE, ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK, ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY RULES, LIABILITY WAIVER AND CONSENT AND RELEASE

As parent/legal guardian, I agree to allow my child to participate in interscholastic athletics.

The student and parent/legal guardian recognize that participation in interscholastic athletics involves some inherent risks for potentially severe injuries, including but not limited to death, serious neck, head and spinal injuries which may result in complete or partial paralysis, brain damage, serious injury to internal organs, serious injury to bones, joints, ligaments, muscles, tendons, and other aspects of the muscular skeletal system, and serious injury or impairment to other aspects of the body, or effects to the general health and well being of the child. Because of these inherent risks, the student and parent/legal guardian recognize the importance of the student following coaches' instructions regarding playing techniques, training and other team rules. By signing this form, the student and parent/legal guardian acknowledge that the student's participation is wholly voluntary and to having read and understood this provision.

The student and parent/legal guardian individually and on behalf of the student, hereby irrevocably, and unconditionally release, acquit, and forever discharge the KHSAA and its officers, agents, attorneys, representatives and employees (collectively, the "Releasees") from any and all losses, claims, demands, actions and causes of action, obligations, damages, and costs or expenses of any nature (including attorney's fees) that the student and/or parent/legal guardian incur or sustain to person, property or both, which arise out of, result from, occur during or are otherwise connected with the student's participation in interscholastic athletics if due to the ordinary negligence of the Releasees.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of this student, consent to the high school and the KHSAA and their representatives to use and disclose the necessary personally identifiable information from the student's education records including academic, financial and health care information, to third parties including school representatives, coaches, athletic trainers, medical facilities, medical staffs, KHSAA legal counsel and the media, for the purpose of receiving proper/necessary medical care and complying with the KHSAA bylaws, including making determinations regarding eligibility to participate in interscholastic athletics and any administrative or legal proceedings resulting from participation or attempted participation in interscholastic athletics, without such disclosure constituting a violation of rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act. The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of this student, further release the high school, the KHSAA and their representatives from any and all claims arising out of the use and disclosure of said necessary personally identifiable information, and agree to release to the high school, the KHSAA, and their representatives, upon request, the detailed and completed application for financial aid.



**Athletic Participation Form  
Parental and Student Consent and Release  
For High School Level (grades 9-12) participation**

*KHSAA Form GE04  
High School Parental Permission and Consent  
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The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of this student, give the high school, the KHSAA and the authorized representatives of the KHSAA permission to release this student's demographic information (including motion picture and still photographic images) and participation statistics (including height, weight and year in school, participation history and other performance based statistics) and other information as may be requested or presented. The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of this student, agree that the student may be photographed or otherwise digitally or electronically captured during school-based competition and such product used in the course of normal KHSAA business including commercial and internet-based video and still images. All of this material may be used without permission or compensation specifically related to the KHSAA and its events, without such use constituting a violation of rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of the student, hereby acknowledge that they are aware of and will review if desired, the education materials available through the KHSAA, the Centers for Disease Control and other agencies regarding education all individuals with respect to nature and risk of concussion, head injury, or other ongoing health concerns, including the continuance of play after concussion or head injury.

The student and parent/legal guardian consent to this student receiving a physical examination from an authorized medical provider as required by the KHSAA.

The student and parent/legal guardian, individual and on behalf of the student, hereby consent to allow the student to receive medical treatment that may be deemed advisable by the school, the KHSAA, and their representatives in the event of injury, accident or illness while participating in interscholastic athletics, including, but not limited to, transportation of the student to a medical facility. The student and parent/legal guardian, acknowledge that transportation to a medical facility may involve having to provide the student's birthday and social security number solely for potential hospitalization and emergency care needs and is not required to be recorded on this form. However, those failing to provide this information should be aware that this might be required by emergency treatment facilities prior to rendering service, and failure to provide could result in lack of appropriate care.

The student and parent/legal guardian acknowledge that they have read and understood the KHSAA Bylaws by distribution under the handbook links at <https://khsaa.org/>. Please be aware that a student is subject to the one-year period of ineligibility per the bylaw commonly referred to as the "Bylaw 6, Transfer Rule," upon participation in any varsity contest after enrolling in grade nine regardless of the amount of participation or lack thereof.

The student and parent/legal guardian agree to abide by the KHSAA Bylaws and Due Process Procedure as now enacted or later amended. The student and parent/legal guardian further acknowledge that they agree to abide by the rulings of the Commissioner, Assistant Commissioner, Hearing Officer and Board of Control.

The student and parent/legal guardian acknowledge that per the appropriate bylaw, the student must have medical insurance coverage up to a limit of \$25,000 in order to be eligible to participate in interscholastic athletics.

**REQUIRED INSURANCE INFORMATION (KHSAA Bylaw 12)**

*Prior to participation in practice or contests (including trying for a place on a team) in any sport or sport activity during the limitation of seasons as defined in Bylaw 23, all students are required to have medical insurance with coverage limits of at least \$25,000. If this coverage is provided through the school, contact the Principal or Athletic Director regarding any potential claim. Individual schools and districts may impose additional requirements for insurance or coverage during additional periods for activities outside of Bylaw 23.*

Insurance Carrier	Policy Number / ID Number	Group Number	Plan
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**STUDENT AND PARENT/GUARDIAN ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK, ELIGIBILITY RULES, LIABILITY WAIVER AND CONSENT AND RELEASE AND EMERGENCY PERMISSION FORM**

Students' Name (please print)	School
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Student and Parent/Guardian Address including City, State and Zip

Signature of Student	Date
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Please list above any health problems/concerns this student may have, including allergies (medications / others) and any medications presently being used

Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s) who has/have custody of this student (please print)	Emergency Phone Number
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Signature of Parent(s)/Guardian(s) who has/have custody of this student	Date
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**■ PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION**

**MEDICAL ELIGIBILITY FORM**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

- Medically eligible for all sports without restriction
- Medically eligible for all sports without restriction with recommendations for further evaluation or treatment of

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

- Medically eligible for certain sports

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

- Not medically eligible pending further evaluation

- Not medically eligible for any sports

Recommendations: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

I have examined the student named on this form and completed the preparticipation physical evaluation. The athlete does not have apparent clinical contraindications to practice and can participate in the sport(s) as outlined on this form. A copy of the physical examination findings are on record in my office and can be made available to the school at the request of the parents. If conditions arise after the athlete has been cleared for participation, the physician may rescind the medical eligibility until the problem is resolved and the potential consequences are completely explained to the athlete (and parents or guardians).

Name of health care professional (print or type): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of health care professional: \_\_\_\_\_, MD, DO, NP, or PA  
or DC (if within scope of practice)

**SHARED EMERGENCY INFORMATION**

Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Medications: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Other information: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contacts: \_\_\_\_\_

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**APPENDIX Q Student Drug Policy  
STUDENTS**

**09.423**

**Use of Alcohol, Drugs and Other Controlled Substances**

**The Floyd County grade range for terms of drug testing as applies to this policy is grades 6-12.**

**DRUGS AND ALCOHOL**

No pupil shall purchase, possess, attempt to possess, use, be under the influence of, sell, or transfer any of the following on or about school property, at any location of a school-sponsored activity, or en route to or from school or a school-sponsored activity:

1. Alcoholic beverages;
2. Controlled drug substances and drug paraphernalia;
3. Substances that "look like" a controlled substance. In instances involving look-alike substances, there must be evidence of the student's intent to pass off the item as a controlled substance.

In addition, students shall not possess prescription drugs for the purpose of sale or distribution.

**DRUGS DEFINED**

Controlled substance means any substance or immediate precursor listed in Chapter 218A of the Kentucky Revised Statutes or any other substance which may be added by the Kentucky Department of Health Services under regulations pursuant to [KRS 218A.010](#).

**AUTHORIZED MEDICATION**

Use of a drug authorized by and administered in accordance with a prescription from a physician or dentist shall not be considered in violation of this policy.

**PENALTY**

Violation of this policy shall constitute reason for disciplinary action including suspension or expulsion from school and suspension or dismissal from athletic teams and/or other school-sponsored activities. In addition, when they have reasonable belief that a violation has taken place, Principals shall immediately report to law enforcement officials when an act has occurred on school property or at a school-sponsored function that involves student possession of a controlled substance on school property in violation of the law.

**REPORTING**

Employees of the District shall promptly make a report to the local police department, sheriff, or Kentucky State Police, by telephone or otherwise, if they know or have reasonable cause to believe that conduct has occurred which constitutes the use, possession, or sale of controlled substances on the school premises or within one thousand (1,000) feet of school premises, on a school bus, or at a school sponsored or sanctioned event.

**DRUG TESTING PROGRAM PURPOSE**

In this day and time, alcohol and other forms of drug abuse have grown to major proportions in our society. The middle and high school settings are not exempt from this phenomenon. Therefore, it is critical that educators and parents continually look for ways to institute programs that encourage a drug-free lifestyle for their students/children. It is to that end that this program is created to provide the appropriate action plan to address and foster a drug free environment for the entire County middle and high school community.

**Use of Alcohol, Drugs and Other Controlled Substances**

**DRUG TESTING PROGRAM PURPOSE (CONTINUED)**

The program consists of two (2) components:

1. Education and Prevention Plan
2. Drug Testing Policy

**EDUCATION AND PREVENTION PLAN**

Each semester at least one (1) educational seminar on alcohol and drug abuse shall be conducted by qualified substance abuse educators. These seminars shall be accessible to all County middle and high school students but shall be required for all athletic and extracurricular team members and for students who will be driving or parking on school property.

**TRAINING IN DRUG AWARENESS**

County middle and high school teachers will be given an opportunity to receive training in drug awareness. Part of the training will enable each teacher to incorporate drug awareness information into his/her current curriculum. A keener teacher awareness of drug abuse signs and symptoms, as well as methods of referral, will be a direct result of training. Instructional units on drug abuse, such as those currently taught in our health courses, will be enhanced by this teacher education component. When substance abuse is suspected, teachers will confidentially consult with the Principal and counselor.

**SEMINARS FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS**

Educational seminars for parents/guardians that will address alcohol and other forms of drug abuse will be established in conjunction with other school programming. The central purpose of these sessions will be to provide parents/guardians with necessary information to parent toward drug prevention.

**ALCOHOL AND DRUG SAFETY POLICY**

All student athletes/extracurricular participants/drivers and their parents/guardians must read this policy and accompanying procedures and must acknowledge, in writing, that they have read the policy and procedures, understand the policy and procedures, and agree to be bound by the terms and conditions contained in the policy and procedures.

**STATEMENT OF NEED**

All athletic and extracurricular team coaches/sponsors and the administration of County middle and high schools recognize that the unlawful use of alcohol and other drugs seriously impairs the health, safety, education, and future success of middle and high school students engaged in that use. It is also recognized that the unlawful use of alcohol and other drugs is a potential problem for all middle and high school students.

Athletic teams and extracurricular activities covered by this policy shall apply to all middle and high school varsity and sub varsity athletic and extracurricular activities including, but not limited to, baseball, boys basketball, girls basketball, cheerleading, cross country, football, softball, tennis, track, volleyball, wrestling, academic teams, archery and clubs. All students who participate in these activities are covered under this policy. All students who drive a vehicle onto school grounds are also covered by the policy. The subsequent addition of any extracurricular activity, varsity or sub varsity sport shall immediately be subject to this policy.

**Use of Alcohol, Drugs and Other Controlled Substances**

**STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

This policy is intended to support the comprehensive educational policies and programs of the District in educating students and their parents/guardians as to the dangers inherent in the unlawful use of drugs. The policy is further intended to provide encouragement to middle and high school students who voluntarily choose to participate on athletic teams, in extracurricular activities, and/or to drive or park on school property to avoid such use and to strive to benefit from effective rehabilitation when such use has occurred.

Administrators shall not use information obtained in the course of administering the policy for disciplinary purposes other than those set forth herein. This policy is not designed to be used, nor shall it voluntarily be used in any manner, to provide a source of information for law enforcement agencies for the prosecution of the student or to limit the student's participation in the school activities other than the limitations imposed by this policy. Without a specific written authorization from the tested student or parent/guardian, if the student is under eighteen (18) years of age, the administrator shall not release any student's test results to any person other than those described within this policy (Superintendent or his/her designee, Principal, Assistant Principal, Counselor, DPP) or as required by law or a lawfully issued subpoena or court order.

In order to accomplish its purposes, this policy established a program for procedures to deter the unlawful use of drugs and alcohol and to provide for suspension and termination of participation on the teams when deterrence is unsuccessful. To determine compliance with the policy, it provides a testing program to identify student participants who are unlawfully using drugs. For these students in this policy provides incentives for rehabilitation through possible reinstatement to the specific athletic team or extracurricular activity involved.

**Consistent with its purposes**, this policy also seeks to achieve the following objectives:

1. To protect District students from impairing their health, safety, education, and future success through the unlawful use of alcohol and other drugs;
2. To protect District students and their opponents from potential injury during competition resulting from the unlawful use of alcohol and drugs;
3. To protect District students from the potential stigma of unsubstantiated allegations of unlawful use of alcohol and other drugs;
4. To assure students, parents, teachers and the community that the health, safety, education, and future success of the student participants are the primary concerns of the District.

**IMPLEMENTATION AND REVIEW**

All student participants and their parents/guardians must sign the "Student and Parent/Guardian Consent to Perform Urinalysis for Drug Testing" form before the student shall be permitted to try out for any athletic team, become a member of an extracurricular activity at the middle and high school levels, or be authorized to drive or park on school property. A Substance Abuse Prevention Committee (Committee) shall be established and shall review and evaluate the effectiveness of the drug testing policy on an annual basis.

**Use of Alcohol, Drugs and Other Controlled Substances**

**APPLICABILITY**

This policy applies to all students choosing to participate in any extracurricular activity, including students/players at the varsity and sub varsity levels, and to students who drive or park on school property. Parents/Guardians may voluntarily place their child into the volunteer pool which tests ten percent (10%) annually at the expense of the Floyd County Board of Education. Parents must sign the consent to test form with an agreement for mandatory drug counseling program for all students who test positive.

**TESTING PROGRAM**

Testing shall be accomplished by the analysis of urine specimen obtained from the student participants. Collection and testing procedures shall be established, maintained, and administered to ensure:

1. Randomness of selection procedures;
2. Proper student identification;
3. Identification of each specimen with the appropriate student participant;
4. Maintenance of the unadulterated integrity of the specimen;
5. Integrity of the collection and testing process, as well as the confidentiality of test results (The specific testing process shall be on file at the testing laboratory approved by the Board.)

**SUBSTANCES TESTED**

Student participants' urine specimen shall be tested for substances which will be determined after consultation with the drug testing company.

**FREQUENCY**

The first year of implementation, all students participating in extracurricular activities shall be subject to random testing to include fifty percent (50%) of the total number of student participants. The second year and each year thereafter this population will be subject to random testing to include sixty percent (60%) of the total number of student participants annually.

**SANCTIONS**

**FIRST VIOLATION**

1. A student testing positive will be suspended for the next six (6) consecutive interscholastic/extracurricular events or the next six (6) weeks of the season, whichever is greater in time. Student drivers shall be denied permission to drive and/or park on school property for the next six (6) consecutive weeks of school. The suspension will begin on the date that the results are received. If necessary, the suspension shall carry over to the student's subsequent participation on another athletic team/extracurricular activity and/or any activity not required by the school for educational purposes, and/or the following season.

**Use of Alcohol, Drugs and Other Controlled Substances**

**FIRST VIOLATION (CONTINUED)**

If a student is reinstated to the athletic team/extracurricular activity or driving privileges following the first violation, the student's participation in another activity shall not be restricted solely because of the existence of the first violation, as long as the student has completed the period of suspension and was appropriately reinstated to the prior activity. If the student elects not to seek reinstatement to the activity after a first violation (either because of the student's own election or because the season has concluded prior to the expiration of the student's own election or because the season has concluded prior to the expiration of the student's period of suspension) the student is still required to serve the unexpired portion of the previous suspension.

**SECOND VIOLATION**

1. Before reinstatement to the activity after a second violation, the student participant must successfully complete recommendations that resulted from the chemical dependency assessment as evidenced by a written statement to the effect issued by a treatment counselor. The student must submit to a new drug test administered in accordance with the same procedures utilized for random drug testing. A positive result shall be treated as a third violation.
2. If a student is reinstated to the activity following a second violation, the student's participation in another activity shall not be restricted solely because of the existence of the second violation, as long as the student has completed the period of suspension and the required chemical dependency program and was appropriately reinstated to the prior activity. If the student elects not to seek reinstatement to the activity after the second violation (either because of the student's own election or because the season has concluded prior to the expiration of the student's period of suspension) the student is still required to serve the unexpired portion of the previous suspension. The student must complete all forms required for participation on another extracurricular activity. A student serving a suspension for one (1) sport/activity may try out for a second sport or join a second activity if the student provides a negative drug test result from the testing laboratory under contract. If the student makes the team, prior to participation, the student must serve the unexpired portion of the previous suspension.

**THIRD VIOLATION**

The student participant or driver shall be excluded from participation in any extracurricular activity for the remainder of the student's eligibility. A third violation shall disqualify the student's involvement in all extracurricular activities (varsity and sub varsity) or from driving/parking on school property for the remainder of his/her enrollment in the District.

**NOTICE TO PARTICIPANTS**

Prior to tryouts for an athletic team or joining an extracurricular activity, the Head Coach and/or activity sponsor shall provide all students choosing to participate in the athletic team/extracurricular activity and their parents/guardians with a written copy of this policy. Parents of students who park on school property shall also be provided a copy. Each student who chooses to participate and a parent/guardian of that student shall be required to sign a statement indicating that they have received, read, understand and fully agree to be bound by the terms, conditions, and procedures under the policy.

**Use of Alcohol, Drugs and Other Controlled Substances**

**PREVENTION PROGRAM**

The Superintendent shall establish a comprehensive and on-going drug-free/alcohol-free prevention program for all students which shall include notice to students and parents of the following:

1. The dangers of drug/alcohol abuse in the schools;
2. The District's policies and related procedures on drug-free/alcohol-free schools;
3. The requirement for mandatory compliance with the District's established standards of conduct, including those that prohibit use of alcohol, drugs and other controlled substances;
4. Information about available drug/alcohol counseling programs and available rehabilitation/student assistance programs; and
5. Penalties that may be imposed upon students for drug/alcohol abuse violations.

**REFERENCES:**

[OAG 82-633](#); [OAG 93-32](#)  
[KRS 158.150](#); [KRS 158.154](#); [KRS 158.155](#)  
[KRS 160.290](#); [KRS 161.180](#)  
[KRS 218A.020](#); [KRS 217.900](#); [KRS 218A.1447](#)

Clark County Board of Education vs. Jones, KY. App., 625 S. W. 2d 586 (1981).

Board of Ed. of Tecumseh Public School District, Independent School Dist. No. 92 of Pottawatomie Cty. v. Earls, \_\_\_ U.S. \_\_\_, 242 F.3d 1264 (2002).

**RELATED POLICY:**

09.2241

Adopted/Amended: 7/24/2017  
Order #: 19245



APPENDIX: R Ejection Report



# Floyd County Public Schools Ejection Report

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Player/Coach Ejected: \_\_\_\_\_

Sport: \_\_\_\_\_ Opponent: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Game: \_\_\_\_\_ Ejected by: \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Player/Coach reported has been ejected from the contest above — we will follow KHSAA Bylaw 15 Sportsmanship

**Player/Coach will be suspended from the following games:**

Game 1: vs \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Game 2: vs \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Game 3: vs \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Game 4: vs \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Game 5: vs \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*By signing below, I verify that the Player/Coach ejected has not participated in any way in the games listed above.**

Signature of Player/Coach: \_\_\_\_\_

Athletic Director: \_\_\_\_\_

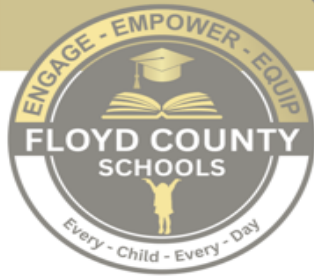
\*Form must be submitted to District Athletic Director in order to be reinstated and eligible to once again participate.

-----**MUST BE COMPLETED BY DISTRICT ATHLETIC DIRECTOR**-----

Games have been verified and the Player/Coach is eligible again as of: \_\_\_\_\_

District Athletic Director Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## APPENDIX: S Transfer Form



# Every Child Every Day

**SUPERINTENDENT**  
TONYA HORNE-WILLIAMS

**BOARD CHAIR DISTRICT 1**  
LINDA GEARHEART

**VICE CHAIR DISTRICT 4**  
KEITH SMALLWOOD

**MEMBER DISTRICT 2**  
DR. CHANDRA VARIA

**MEMBER DISTRICT 3**  
WILLIAM NEWSOME, JR

**MEMBER DISTRICT 5**  
STEVE SLONE

### Floyd County Schools Athletic Handbook Student Transfer Eligibility Determination Form

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

**DOB:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SSID:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sending School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Previous Address (Infinite Campus):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Receiving School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Address (Infinite Campus):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Request for Eligibility Determination made by:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Meeting Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**County Athletic Director:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Meeting Result**

**Documentation Presented:**

DATE RECEIVED	Document	*attached

**Athletic Director Recommendation:**

Based on presented documentation, action recommended to the superintendent:

Student is immediately eligible	
Student is eligible after 1 year from date enrolled in new school	

**Athletic Director Name (Printed):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Athletic Director Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Superintendent Recommendation:**

Student is immediately eligible	
Student is eligible after 1 year from date enrolled in new school	

**Superintendent Name (Printed):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Superintendent Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Determination Ruling presented to**

**Receiving School:** \_\_\_\_\_ **(date)** — **via** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_ **(date)** — **via** \_\_\_\_\_

## Appendix T

### KHSAA Bylaws:

#### **BYLAW 4. ENROLLMENT REQUIREMENTS**

**SEC. 1) ELIGIBILITY FOR PARTICIPATION WHILE LEGALLY ENROLLED IN GRADES 9-12** a) On Friday of each grading period, a student enrolled in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) shall be legally enrolled in a member high school as a full-time student in at least four hours of instruction as provided in Kentucky Board of Education regulation 702 KAR 7:125 (of the six hours of instruction required) or the equivalent of four hours of instruction acceptable to graduation at the member school he or she desires to represent in order to be eligible for athletics. b) A student who is legally enrolled or connected with any other school than the one he or she represents shall not take part in any contest. In the case of an all-Boys' high school, girl cheerleaders from an affiliated neighboring all-girls' school may be accepted. c) A student is ineligible for the first year following enrollment at a member school if that student leaves the former school with documented obligations (including financial). The student shall remain ineligible until the conclusion of one year from the date of enrollment or documentation that the obligations have been satisfied.

#### **SEC. 2) ELIGIBILITY FOR PARTICIPATION WHILE LEGALLY ENROLLED BELOW GRADE 9**

a) A pupil in grades 7-8 in the local Board of Education defined feeder pattern of a KHSAA member school under the same local Board of Education as the member school may play on the high school team (at any level of play) if that participation is not in conflict with Sec. 3 below, and the time so played shall not be counted on the four (4) year (eight (8) semester) limit.

b) For a school to be considered a "feeder" school (and therefore "connected"), it must be under the same local board of education as the member school and enroll students exclusively below grade nine.

c) A student enrolled at a nonfeeder school shall not be considered to be enrolled at a feeder school irrespective of past enrollment patterns of that nonfeeder school.

d) School districts with multiple schools may not establish an "open choice" option to serve as a feeder pattern for athletics and must specify only one option for each student to be considered as being connected for the purpose of high school participation.

e) Applying for admission to a school does not waive this definition as there is a clear line between applying and being enrolled.

f) School and school districts may choose to define a more restrictive feeder pattern for its middle schools to high schools which if violated, constitute the student not being "connected" and therefore ineligible.

g) In a school district with multiple high schools, absent a specific otherwise adopted feeder pattern, the residence of the student athlete within the district student assignment plan shall determine the school at which the student may participate if such participation is permitted by local policy.

h) A student is ineligible for the first year to participate for a member school if that student leaves the former school with documented obligations (including financial) and the student shall remain ineligible until the conclusion of one year from the date of enrollment or documentation that the obligations have been satisfied.

i) Students enrolled below grade seven (7) may not play on a high school team at any level.

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j) A student below grade nine (9) may not participate on the varsity team in contests in the sports of football or soccer.

k) All other participation by legally enrolled students in high school level teams practices, scrimmages or contests by students legally enrolled in grades seven (7) and eight (8) who are eligible by all other bylaw provisions is at the discretion of the school-based decision-making council or local board of education at the member school unless otherwise precluded by statute or regulation..

**SEC. 3) INELIGIBILITY FOR REPEATING STUDENTS** a) Excluding those students properly and timely designated under Chapter 108 (SB128) of the 2021 Kentucky Acts (Supplemental School Year Program (SSYP) and permitted the SSYP during the 2021-22 school year, a student having been enrolled in the seventh (7th) grade or any grade through twelfth (12th) shall not be eligible for interscholastic athletics at the high school level (freshmen, junior varsity or varsity, grades 9 through 12) for more than a total of one (1) year in each grade and applicable eligibility shall begin in the first year enrolled in that grade. b) Excluding those students properly and timely designated under Chapter 108 (SB128) of the 2021 Kentucky Acts (Supplemental School Year Program (SSYP) and permitted the SSYP during the 2021-22 school year, a student repeating a grade for any reason is ineligible to participate in interscholastic athletics at the high school level (grades 9 through 12) during the second year in that grade. The penalty for violation of this rule shall be the loss of one of the four years of eligibility after initial entry into grade nine (9). c) Those students properly and timely designated under Chapter 108 (SB128) of the 2021 Kentucky Acts (Supplemental School Year Program (SSYP) and permitted the SSYP during the 2021- 22 school year and enrolled in the seventh (7th) grade or any grade through twelfth (12th) may be eligible for interscholastic athletics at the high school level (freshmen, junior varsity or varsity, grades 9 through 12) during the 2021-22 school year while repeating the same grade enrolled during 2020-21, provided the student is eligible by all other bylaws.

**SEC. 4) DEADLINE FOR ENROLLMENT** A student shall have legally enrolled as a bona fide full-time undergraduate student no later than twenty (20) school days after the beginning of the semester to be eligible during that semester.

### **SEC. 5) PENALTY**

a) Any violation of this bylaw may have any or all penalties detailed in Bylaw 27 applied as part of the final dispensation of the matter, including a period of ineligibility.

b) Appeals or other considerations under this bylaw shall be considered Hearing Officer matters under the KHSAA Due Process Procedure.

**SEC. 1) PROVISIONS ON RECRUITING/UNDUE INFLUENCE**

- a) A pupil (domestic or foreign) at any grade level shall not be recruited to a member school of the KHSAA to participate in athletics. Recruiting is defined as an act, on behalf of, or for the benefit of, a school, including impermissible contact, which attempts to influence a student to transfer to a member school to participate in athletics, including the offer of improper benefits not available to all members of the student body.
- c) An athletic coach or any other member of the school staff or team member (including parents and boosters) shall not influence a student even if the student, his or her parents or any intermediary from another school, makes the initial contact. In this situation, a coach or staff member (paid or unpaid) should immediately refer the person(s) to the school Principal or Designated Representative.
- d) Influencing a student shall include the promise or instilling the expectation of an athletic advantage, playing time, employment of the student or the student's parents or relatives, housing for the student or the student's parents, scholarships or financial aid for which other members of the student body are not generally eligible, providing other improper benefits, making improper contacts or any other material or athletic reward for which other members of the student body are not generally eligible.
- e) A school official utilizing an intermediary including a peer, another school employee, a student, a parent or a citizen, to recruit a student-athlete shall be in noncompliance.
- f) An individual with a connection to a member school shall not give or promise a prospective or currently enrolled student-athlete compensation for the use of the name, image, or likeness of to recruit or induce the athlete to enroll at any member school.
- g) An individual with a connection to a member school shall not give or promise compensation for the use of an athlete's name, image, or likeness;

**SEC. 2) PENALTY**

- a) Any representative of a member school knowingly allowing the recruitment of a student to participate in athletics or who should have known of this recruitment shall be guilty of willful neglect of duty, misconduct, or breach of contract.
- b) This shall apply not only to coaches but also to personnel supervising coaches, including the Designated Representative, an athletic director, an assistant principal, Principal or Designated Representative, an assistant Superintendent, a Superintendent or a school board member.
- c) This requirement shall also apply to students or their parents.
- d) Any violation of this bylaw may have any or all penalties detailed in **Bylaw 27** applied as part of the final dispensation of the matter, including contest forfeiture.

**Bylaw 27 Imposition of Penalties**-outlines penalties of Fines, Forfeits, Warnings, Letters of Reprimand, Probation, Suspension, Reimbursements, Permanent Suspension, Redistribution, Vacate/Strike, School Exclusion, and Disassociation.

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

School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Sport participating in outside of Identified Attendance Area: \_\_\_\_\_

School Sport is offered: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_ parent of the above-named student acknowledge, have read and understand Bylaw 4 and that participation on a team outside of my identified attendance area (feeder system and connected school) may affect my students high school career up to and including ineligibility once my student enrolls in grade nine (9).

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Name Printed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Name Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Name Printed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sending School Principal Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sending School Athletic Director Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Receiving School Principal Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Receiving School Athletic Director Signature

**\*Please provide a copy of the form to the parent, keep one on file at the school and submit one to the district athletic director.**





APPENDIX W

CONSENT INFORMATION TO PARTICIPATE, ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK, ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY RULES, LIABILITY WAIVER AND CONSENT AND RELEASE

As parent/legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ (Students Name), I agree to allow my child to participate in Floyd County Schools Football up one level from **A – B – C Team Football (Circle 1)** to **A – B Team Football (Circle 1)**.

1. The student and parent/legal guardian recognize that participation in athletics involves some inherent risks for potentially severe injuries, including but not limited to death, serious neck, head and spinal injuries which may result in complete or partial paralysis, brain damage, serious injury to internal organs, serious injury to bones, joints, ligaments, muscles, tendons, and other aspects of the muscular skeletal system, and serious injury or impairment to other aspects of the body, or effects to the general health and well-being of the child. Because of these inherent risks, the student and parent/legal guardian recognize the importance of the student obeying the coaches' instructions regarding playing techniques, training and other team rules.
2. By signing this form, the parent/legal guardian acknowledge that the student's participation is wholly voluntary and to having read and understood this provision.
3. The parent/legal guardian individually and on behalf of the student, hereby irrevocably, and unconditionally release, acquit, and forever discharge Floyd County Schools and its officers, agents, attorneys, representatives and employees (collectively, the "Releasees") from any and all losses, claims, demands, actions and causes of action, obligations, damages, and costs or expenses of any nature (including attorney's fees) that the student and/or parent/legal guardian incur or sustain to person, property or both, which arise out of, result from, occur during or are otherwise connected with the student's participation in Floyd County Schools Athletics if due to the ordinary negligence of the Releasees.
4. The student and parent/legal guardian acknowledge that the student must have medical insurance coverage in order to be eligible to participate in Floyd County Schools Athletic Handbook.
5. The student and parent/legal guardian acknowledge that the student must have a physical examination as required by the Floyd County Schools Athletic Handbook.
6. The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of the student, hereby acknowledge that they are aware of and will review if desired, the education materials available through the KHSAA, the Centers for Disease Control and other agencies regarding education all individuals with respect to nature and risk of concussion and head injury, including the continuance of play after concussion or head injury.
7. The student and parent/legal guardian, individually and on behalf of the student, hereby consent to allow the student to receive medical treatment that may be deemed advisable by the school and their representatives in the event of injury, accident or illness while participating in Floyd County Schools Athletics, including, but not limited to, transportation of the student to a medical facility.

**STUDENT AND PARENT/GUARDIAN ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK, ELIGIBILITY RULES, LIABILITY WAIVER  
FOR FOOTBALL AND  
CONSENT AND RELEASE FOR STUDENT PLAYING UP 1 GRADE LEVEL AND  
EMERGENCY PERMISSION FORM**

Students' Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student and Parent/Guardian Address including City, State and Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Please list above any health problems/concerns this student may have, including allergies (medications / others) and  
any medications presently being used

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s) who has/have custody of this student (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Phone Number(S)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent(s)/Guardian(s) who has/have custody of this student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Received by School (DATE)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Coaches Signature

\*Please retain a copy of this form at the school level and send a copy to the District Athletic Director



## APPENDIX Y- UCA SCORESHEET

### UNIVERSAL CHEERLEADERS ASSOCIATION GAME DAY / CROWD LEADING



Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Division \_\_\_\_\_ Judge No. \_\_\_\_\_

Situational Sideline (20)	Points	Score	Comments
<i>Game Day Situation</i> <i>Proper use of material and skills relevant to game day environment</i>	5		
<i>Crowd Effectiveness</i> <i>Voice, pace, flow, maximum crowd coverage</i> <i>Ability to elicit crowd response</i>	5		
<i>Motion Technique &amp; Crowd Leading Tools</i> <i>Technique, sharpness and placement</i> <i>Proper use of signs, pom, megaphones and flags</i>	5		
<i>Execution of Stunts / Tumbling Relevant to Game Day Environment</i> <i>Clean &amp; Crowd Effective Stunts / Tumbling</i> <i>Technique, stability, synchronization and spacing</i>	5		
Crowd Leading Cheer (20)	Points	Score	Comments
<i>Game Day Material</i> <i>Proper use of material and skills relevant to game day environment</i>	5		
<i>Crowd Effectiveness</i> <i>Voice, pace, flow, maximum crowd coverage</i> <i>Ability to elicit crowd response</i>	5		
<i>Motion Technique &amp; Crowd Leading Tools</i> <i>Technique, sharpness and placement</i> <i>Proper use of signs, pom, megaphones and flags</i>	5		
<i>Execution of Stunts / Tumbling Relevant to Game Day Environment</i> <i>Clean &amp; Crowd Effective Stunts / Tumbling</i> <i>Technique, stability, synchronization and spacing</i>	5		
Overall Impression (10)	Points	Score	Comments
<i>Leadership to engage and connect with the crowd</i> <i>Genuine school spirit and energy</i> <i>Transitions between game day components (Minimal &amp; Clean)</i>	10		
<b>Total</b>	<b>Possible</b>	<b>50</b>	

# UNIVERSAL CHEERLEADERS ASSOCIATION GAME DAY / FIGHT SONG & BAND CHANT



A VARSITY SPIRIT BRAND

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Division \_\_\_\_\_

Judge No. \_\_\_\_\_

Band Chant (20)		Points	Score	Comments
<i>Game Day Visual Appeal</i> <i>Crowd Coverage, formations, synchronization and spacing</i>		5		
<i>Material relevant to Game Day environment</i> <i>Was Crowd Encouraged to Participate?</i>		5		
<i>Motion Technique</i> <i>Technique, sharpness and placement</i>		5		
<i>Crowd Leading Tools</i> <i>Proper use of signs, pom, megaphones and flags</i>		5		
Fight Song (20)		Points	Score	Comments
<i>Game Day Visual Appeal</i> <i>Crowd Coverage, formations, synchronization and spacing</i>		5		
<i>Effectiveness of Incorporation (Stunts / Tumbling)</i> <i>Stunts / Tumbling relevant to Game Day Environment</i> <i>Clean &amp; Crowd Effective Stunts / Tumbling</i>		5		
<i>Motion Technique &amp; Crowd Leading Tools</i> <i>Technique, sharpness and placement</i> <i>Proper use of signs, pom, megaphones and flags</i>		5		
<i>Execution of Skills relevant to game day environment</i> <i>Technique, stability, synchronization and spacing</i>		5		
Overall Impression (10)		Points	Score	Comments
<i>Leadership to engage and connect with the crowd</i> <i>Genuine school spirit and energy</i> <i>Transitions between game day components (Minimal &amp; Clean)</i>		10		
<b>Total</b>	<b>Possible</b>	<b>50</b>		

**CATEGORY DESCRIPTION AND RULES AND REGULATIONS**  
**Explanation of Categories**

**POM-POM:** Poms must be used at least 80% of the routine. No props. The most important characteristic of a pom routine is synchronization and visual effect. Your team should be synchronized and appear as “one.” Motions should be very sharp, clean, and precise. For a Pom routine to be visually effective it is extremely important to include level changes, group work, formation changes, etc. Judges will remember a routine that is eye-catching from the beginning to the end. Keep in mind that pom routines carry a more “traditional” theme.

- Dance shoes must be worn at all times. (Example: jazz shoes, dance paws, or tennis shoes.)

**SHOES MUST BE WORN ON THE TURNING FOOT. IF BOTH FEET ARE USED AS THE TURNING FOOT- THEN SHOES MUST BE ON BOTH FEET.**

- Staging, backdrops, special effects, or any items that may alter the performance floor is prohibited. (Water, powder, paint, etc.)
- All routines, music, and costuming must be suitable for viewing by audiences of all ages. Vulgar, offensive, dangerous or suggestive material, music or choreography is restricted and will result in **DISQUALIFICATION!**
- All costumes **MUST BE** parent & principal approved. No midriffs allowed. Midriff area includes the entire area between the bra-line and hip bones, front only. A body suit **MUST** be worn if midriff shows. (Mesh bodysuits are not allowed as you can still see midriff)
- Aerials – airborne tumbling skills without placing hands on the ground – both poms must be placed in **ONE** hand to allow for a supporting hand in the event it is needed. **SAFETY INFRACTION 2 point deduction**
- A dancer must land with at least one foot on the ground after a jump, leap or kick before landing in any other position, with the exception of a leap to the splits. Knee drops are restricted. Toe-touches or other jumps to a hurdler or “push-up” position are restricted. Any jump to the knees or back, or landing with both feet back is restricted. Any type of hurdler position to the ground is restricted with the exception of a “Z” sit.
- Dance lifts are permitted and are defined as an action in which a dancer (s) is elevated from the performance surface and set down.
- The supporting dancer must maintain contact with the lifted dancer until the lifted dancer is returned to the performance surface.
- The supporting dancer must maintain control of the momentum, positioning, changes in position and return to the performance surface of the lifted dancer (s).
- Swinging lifts are allowed, provided the lifted dancer’s body **does not make a complete circular rotation** and is in a face up position at all times.
- Hip over head rotations of the lifted dancer (s) may occur as long as his/her hips maintain a level at or below the shoulder height of a standing dancer. (For Intermediate or middle school or elementary school **ONLY** — **NOT FOR HIGH SCHOOL**)
- Major/serious falls incurred by one or more dancers that could result in injury will result in a .5 deduction for each incident.
- Any questionable choreography of tricks or stunts may be submitted via video clips to Ginger Stovall ([ginger.stovall@kydancecoach.org](mailto:ginger.stovall@kydancecoach.org)) for board approval at least 2 weeks prior to date of competition.

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**HIP HOP:** Routines should consist of the latest street style/funk dance moves with emphasis on execution, synchronization, body control and rhythm. If a team chooses to draw attention to an item by dancing with, holding, or taking off must be limited to 4-eight counts.

- Dance shoes must be worn at all times. (Example: jazz shoes, dance paws, or tennis shoes.)

**SHOES MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES.**

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- In **Hip Hop ONLY** airborne tumbling skills with hip-over-head rotation must involve hand support with at least one hand when passing through the inverted position. (Exception: aerial cartwheels, round-offs and dive rolls are allowed in all categories). **The allowed Hip Hop tumbling skills with airborne hip over-head rotation is limited to 2 connected skills.** (Example: Round-off, back handspring, backhand spring is not allowed. Round-off, back handspring, kip up is allowed). No tumbling series or tumbling pass allowed.

- A dancer must land with at least one foot on the ground after a jump, leap or kick before landing in any other position, with the exception of a leap to the splits. Knee drops are restricted. Toe-touches or other jumps to a hurdler or “push-up” position are restricted. Any jump to the knees or back, or landing with both feet back is restricted. Any type of hurdler position to the ground is restricted with the exception of a “Z” sit.

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**JAZZ:** A jazz routine incorporates stylized dance movements and combinations, formation changes, group work, leaps and turns. Emphasis is placed on proper technical execution, extension, control, body placement and team uniformity. PAWS OR SHOES MUST BE WORN ON THE TURNING

FOOT. IF BOTH FEET ARE USED FOR TURNING THEN SHOES MUST BE ON BOTH FEET.

- Staging, backdrops, special effects, or any items that may alter the performance floor is prohibited. (Water, powder, paint, etc.)
- All routines, music, and costuming must be suitable for viewing by audiences of all ages. Vulgar, offensive, dangerous or suggestive material, music or choreography is restricted and will result in **DISQUALIFICATION!**
- All costumes **MUST BE** parent & principal approved. No midriffs allowed. Midriff area includes the entire area between the bra-line and hip bones, front only. Bodysuits **MUST** be worn if midriff is showing. (Mesh bodysuits not allowed as you can still see midriff)
- A dancer must land with at least one foot on the ground after a jump, leap or kick before landing in any other position, with the exception of a leap to the splits. Knee drops are restricted. Toe-touches or other jumps to a hurdler or “push-up” position are restricted. Any jump to the knees or back, or landing with both feet back is restricted. Any type of hurdler position to the ground is restricted with the exception of a “Z” sit.
- Dance lifts are permitted and are defined as an action in which a dancer (s) is elevated from the performance surface and set down.
- The supporting dancer must maintain contact with the lifted dancer until the lifted dancer is returned to the performance surface.
- The supporting dancer must maintain control of the momentum, positioning, changes in position and return to the performance surface of the lifted dancer (s).
- Swinging lifts are allowed, provided the lifted dancer’s body **does not make a complete circular rotation** and is in a face up position at all times.
- Hip over head rotations of the lifted dancer (s) may occur as long as his/her hips maintain a level at or below the shoulder height of a standing dancer. (For Intermediate or middle school or elementary school **ONLY** — **NOT FOR HIGH SCHOOL**)
- Major/serious falls incurred by one or more dancers that could result in injury will result in a .5 deduction for each incident.
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APPENDIX AA – UDA SCORESHEET

**UNIVERSAL DANCE ASSOCIATION  
EXECUTION SCORE SHEET**



• VARIETY • RHYTHM • GRACE

**Team Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Judge No.** \_\_\_\_\_

**Division** \_\_\_\_\_

**Category** \_\_\_\_\_

<b>EXECUTION</b>	<b>POINTS</b>	<b>SCORE</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
<b>EXECUTION OF MOVEMENT</b> <i>Proper control, placement and completion of movement/motions while staying true to style. Quality &amp; strength of movement.</i>	<b>10</b>		
<b>EXECUTION OF SKILLS</b> <i>Proper execution of technical skills, tricks and/or elements.</i>	<b>10</b>		
<b>SYNCHRONIZATION/UNIFORMITY</b> <i>Consistent unison and timing by the team. Uniformity of team movement within choreography and skills.</i>	<b>10</b>		
<b>SPACING</b> <i>Consistent and even positioning of dancers throughout all formations and transitions.</i>	<b>10</b>		
<b>OVERALL (This section is averaged across all judges)</b>	<b>POINTS</b>	<b>SCORE</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
<b>COMMUNICATION/PROJECTION</b> <i>Ability to connect with the audience throughout the performance. Includes: projection, genuine expression, emotion, energy and entertainment value.</i>	<b>10</b>		
<b>OVERALL IMPRESSION</b> <i>Appropriateness of the music, costume and choreography. Impact of performance to create a lasting impression.</i>	<b>10</b>		
<b>TOTAL POINTS</b>	<b>60</b>		

# UNIVERSAL DANCE ASSOCIATION CHOREOGRAPHY SCORE SHEET



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Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Judge No. \_\_\_\_\_

Division \_\_\_\_\_

Category \_\_\_\_\_

CHOREOGRAPHY	POINTS	SCORE	COMMENTS
<b>CREATIVITY/MUSICALITY</b> <i>Originality of routine. New concepts/movement, levels/group work, visual effects and variety that compliments the intricacy of the music.</i>	10		
<b>ROUTINE STAGING</b> <i>Use of varied formations &amp; creative ways to move from one formation to another to allow for quick &amp; seamless transitions. Adequate use of the performance floor.</i>	10		
<b>COMPLEXITY OF MOVEMENT</b> <i>Level of difficulty implemented through movement such as, but not limited to weight changes, varied intricate movement, isolations, tempo changes, etc.</i>	10		
<b>DIFFICULTY OF SKILLS</b> <i>Level of difficulty implemented through technical skills, tricks and/or elements. Appropriate utilization of team's ability level.</i>	10		
<b>OVERALL (This section is averaged across all judges)</b>	<b>POINTS</b>	<b>SCORE</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>
<b>COMMUNICATION/PROJECTION</b> <i>Ability to connect with the audience throughout the performance. Includes: projection, genuine expression, emotion, energy and entertainment value.</i>	10		
<b>OVERALL IMPRESSION</b> <i>Appropriateness of the music, costume and choreography. Impact of performance to create a lasting impression.</i>	10		
<b>TOTAL POINTS</b>	<b>60</b>		