

OAK HARBOR HIGH SCHOOL

Student Athletic Contract

THIS ATHLETIC CONTRACT IS IN EFFECT FOR A FULL YEAR FROM DATE OF SIGNING

I realize that being a student athlete in the Oak Harbor School district means being a role model to other athletes and younger students. I agree to become a representative of goodwill for myself, my family, my class and my school. In the sense of true sportsmanship, I further agree that every athlete is an ambassador of goodwill toward other athletes, students, schools and communities.

I hereby agree to obey the following rules and regulations as set up by the Oak Harbor School District, the Washington Interscholastic Activities Association, and this school's athletic department. In addition to the Athletic Contract, I understand that I will be expected to follow a coach's standard of athletic participation for each sport in order to compete. I agree to comply with both standards during the sports' seasons.

General Rules:

1. In order to be eligible to participate in a sport, I realize that:
 - 1.1 I must be passing all subjects at all times and must be enrolled in a minimum of five classes (WIAA 18.6.0).
 - 1.2 My scholarship, citizenship, and attendance will be checked regularly by my coach and the athletic office.
 - 1.3 I must attend three (3) consecutive classes in order to be eligible to practice or compete in a contest on that day.
 - 1.4 I must pay an activity fee, purchase a student body card, pass a physical exam, fill out an Athletic Clearance Form, and provide adequate medical insurance.
2. In all of the athletic contests conducted away from school, I will ride to and from the game/match in school transportation unless otherwise arranged with the head coach previous to the competition. I will comply with regulations pertaining to school bus transportation.
3. I will be personally responsible for all school equipment checked out to me and will return same in good condition and on time. School uniforms and equipment shall not be used as personal items of clothing unless purchased by me. Equipment I have lost or misplaced will be paid for by me at the end of the season. I will not be allowed to participate in other activities or receive awards until this obligation is fulfilled.

Training and Conduct Code:

1. Attendance at a function where tobacco products, alcohol and/or drugs are being illegally used shall be a violation of this code if the student does not **leave immediately**.
2. I will not use, possess, or sell alcohol, tobacco products, illegal drugs, or steroids in any form. Athletes will not knowingly engage in behavior which enables the illegal use of alcohol or other drugs by students. Examples of enabling include:
 - ◆ **serving as designated driver in order that others may participate in illegal activities.**
 - ◆ **repeated or substantial attendance at parties or events where illegal activities occur.**
 - ◆ **promotion of illegal parties or activities.**
3. I will abide by all school regulations as prescribed in the Oak Harbor School District's statement of "Student Rights and Responsibilities" and Oak Harbor High School Student Handbook.
4. If I quit a sport, I may not turn out for another sport in that season unless the change is mutually agreed upon by the coaches involved and the athletic director.

Voluntary Referral: Any student who voluntarily refers himself or herself to district personnel because of the use of alcohol or drugs prior to discovery by the district personnel of a violation of this athletic code may be provided the opportunity for treatment and rehabilitation in lieu of a first offense discipline. Each case will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

Discipline Procedures for Alcohol, Tobacco, Illegal Drugs and Legend Drugs Including Anabolic Steroids Violations (RCW 69.41.010-69.41.050):

Basic School Policies:

For the violation of school rules, the athlete will be treated the same as any other student, and may in addition, be penalized in accordance with this athletic code in regard to, but not limited to, truancy, tardiness, make-up time for school work, swearing, fighting, intimidation, harassment, hazing, stealing of school or personal property, discipline by teachers or criminal activity.

Athletic Council:

The Athletic Council shall be composed of five members: The athletic director, an administrator, a coach, a non-coaching member of the faculty and a parent representative. Appointment to the athletic council will be made by open invitation on an annual basis. After meeting with the athletic director the student and or parents/guardian may appeal the sanctioned discipline to the Athletic Council. After notification to the athletic director a meeting will be scheduled within 5 school days to hear the appeal.

Appeal: A student athlete disciplined by the Athletic Council under the terms of this contract is entitled to appeal to the building principal. Appeals must be submitted in writing to the building principal within three (3) school days of the Athletic Councils notification to the student.

ACTIVITY PROGRESSIVE DISCIPLINE MATRIX

| PROHIBITED CONDUCT | First Offense: | Second Offense: |
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| Use of Alcohol, Tobacco, and/or Marijuana | 50% of Season*# | 1 Calendar Year* from date of 2nd violation |
| Use of Drugs | One calendar year From date of 1st Violation*# | Permanently ineligible for Interscholastic competition |
| Illegal Events | 50% of Season*# | 1 Calendar Year |
| Ejection from Contest (WIAA Regulation 18.28.0) | Remainder of contest & next contest at same level | Removed Remainder Season |
| Lack of Attendance at School, Minimum of 1/2 day, or truancy | Ineligible to Participate at practice or game | |
| Unexcused Absence from practice | Ineligible to participate next game as determined by coach. | Reviewed case by case, progressive discipline |
| Illegal Acts-Including Hazing or Conduct Unrepresentative of OHSD | Reviewed Case by Case by Athletic Director or Administrator; Possible Removal from team | Reviewed case by case, progressive discipline; Possible Removal from team |
| Lack of Scholarship (Passing all classes WIAA 18.6.0) | Academic Probation 1 Week. | No participation until passing all classes |
| No Previous Semester (WIAA 18.7.0) or not passing min. # classes (WIAA 18.6.0) | Fall- until last Friday in Sept. Winter & Spring ineligible 5 weeks of term | |

* % Of season will be determined by multiplying the number of regular season team contests by % and rounding to the nearest whole number.

* Carry Over Language – if the % is not fulfilled during the present sports season, it will carry over to the next sports season that the athlete completes in good standing.

* The student MAY be reinstated earlier provided he/she utilizes school and community resources for assessment and demonstrates evidence of rehabilitation or treatment.

Coaches/Advisors may have additional conditions of performance that will apply to their specific activity.

I agree to conduct myself in a way that promotes a positive image of the school, community, and myself. If I act in a way that reflects negatively upon the school, the community, or myself I will be subject to extracurricular athletic discipline which could include suspension or permanent removal from the sport/activity. Acts that could reflect negatively include but are not limited to, academic fraud or cheating, plagiarism, criminal activity, harassment, intimidation, and bullying. Such act may include school or non-school activities performed on or off campus.