

## ***Student Athlete Code of Conduct***

1. Students will be coached in accordance with The Ambrose School Statement of Faith and are to follow the school code of conduct:
  - a. **Honor**- Students are to act in a manner that brings glory and honor to God. Students should desire to play the game the right way, giving their best effort—being humble in victory and honorable in defeat.
  - b. **Order**- Students need to show up to practice on time. Dedication is essential for team success and students need to prioritize their schedules accordingly.
  - c. **Diligence**- Students must keep up with their school work and turn in all assignments in on time. Also, to get better at a sport, students need to train and work hard at practice.
  - d. **Respect**- Students must respect their coaches, athletic director, teachers, fellow teammates, opponents, and administrators.

Failure to uphold the code of conduct can result in immediate dismissal from the team.

2. Inappropriate language will not be tolerated. This includes coarse jesting, vulgar speech (swearing), and language that is disrespectful in tone. Speech needs to be edifying to those around you.
3. Use of alcohol, tobacco, or illegal drugs is strictly forbidden. This includes off-campus activities. Violation of this rule can result in immediate dismissal from team, forfeiture of the next sports season, and disciplinary action by the school.
4. Playing a team sport is a commitment. You are expected to be at all practices on time. If you are at school, then you need to be at practice. If you are sick, you may sit out after notifying your coach. You are NOT allowed to participate in games or practices if you are sick for the last ½ of the day. Excessive absences or tardies may result in your dismissal from the team.
5. You are responsible for the equipment and uniforms lent to you from the school. Uniforms are expensive and you will be responsible monetarily for any damage. Turning in uniforms late WILL result in a fine.
6. *Academic requirements:* Grades will be assessed when progress reports are distributed and at each academic quarter. Generally, grades will be reviewed every 4-5 weeks. If the athlete is below a 2.0 grade point average, or if they have an F in any class the athlete will not be eligible to play for the upcoming sport or the sport they are currently participating in. In this case, the student will be given 2 weeks from the date of notification to bring their grades up to a 2.0 standard. It is the responsibility of the athlete to request grades from the registrar to verify eligibility. NOTE: Students are not eligible to practice during this 2 week period. If the student is successful in bringing up their grades then the student is eligible to play. HOWEVER, due to missing practice, it will be left up to the discretion of the coach to determine playing time.
7. A student who participates on an Archer's team should be willing to commit to four days a week after school. Individual coaches will set attendance requirements for the team. An excused absence from practice or a game is an absence from school due to sickness or a family emergency. Athletes must notify the coach before the absence.

***I understand the statements above and agree to do my best to meet the requirements of being a student-athlete.***

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Student Printed Name

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Student Signature

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Date

***I understand the statements above and understand that my student must meet the following requirements to participate in Archer athletics.***

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Parent Signature

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Date