

2023-2024

Middle School Athletic Participation

Permission and Release

An Athletic Participation Permission and Release of Liability form must be completed and submitted to the school of athletic participation as designated below each school year and must list the sport(s) the student wishes to participate in before the student will be allowed to practice or compete in those sport(s). A current Physician Certification of Student Fitness for Athletic Participation form must also be submitted and on file at the school of athletic participation.

Student Information

Student's Name (Last, First, M.I.)		PSD Student ID# (Leave blank if not a current PSD student)			
Student's Date of Birth	Grade for 2023-2024	O Male	O Female		
Student's Street Address		City	State	Zip Code	
Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s) Name(s)	Telephone				
For the above referenced school ye	ar:				
School of Attendance		Previous Year's School of Attendance			
School of Athletic Participation					
This permission and release of liab	bility made this Day of	day of month Mo	, 20, 20 onth Ye	, is given ar	

by the student named above (the "Student") and the Student's parent(s)/legal guardian(s) named above ("Parent(s)") in favor of Poudre School District No. R-1 (the "District").

In consideration of permission granted by the District for the Student to participate in the sport(s) listed below including in-District travel for practices and/or competitions (the "Sport(s)") at the School of Athletic Participation noted above (List all sports the student will participate in during the above referenced school year*):

Student and Parent(s) hereby covenant and agree as follows:

Student and Parent(s) release and hold harmless the District and its board members, employees and agents from any and all liability claims, causes of action, damages and demands of any kind whatsoever (except willful and wanton acts or omissions) that Student and/or Parent(s) may have against the District and its board members, employee and/or agents for any and all damages that may arise out of or in connection with the Sport(s).

By its nature, participation in athletics includes certain risks and dangers particular to each sport, including the risk of injury ranging in severity from minor to catastrophic and long-term. Student and Parent(s) understanding and appreciating the risks and dangers that may exist in allowing Student to participate in the Sport(s), assume the risk of any and all damages, including personal injury, which Student may incur as a result of participating in the Sport(s).

* List of District-sponsored sports					
Basketball	Football	Tennis	Softball	Wrestling	
Cross Country	Golf	Track & Field	Girls Volleyball	Unified Basketball	

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Student and Parent(s) acknowledge and represent that they have read the *Poudre School District Athletic Handbook* available at <u>PSD Athletic Handbook</u> and in hard-copy form, and acknowledge that they are subject to its terms and conditions. Specifically, Student and Parent(s) acknowledge and represent that they have read and understand, specifically Article XIV – Training and Personal Conduct Rules. Student and Parent(s) also acknowledge and represent that they have read and understand Board Policy JLCD, Administering Medicines to Students/Asthma, Food Allergy and Anaphylaxis Health Management, which is included in the Poudre School District Student Rights & Code of Conduct and is also available at <u>https://www.psdschools.org/sites/default/files/PSD/policies/JLCD.pdf</u> Student and Parent(s) understand and acknowledge that the District's consequences for controlled substances, alcohol, and tobacco violations are separate and in addition to any consequences imposed by state or local law enforcement.

The District provides transportation for students to and from many practices and competitions. However, the District is unable to provide transportation in all circumstances and to all events. The nature of some sports requires practices and competitions to be held off-campus, limiting the District's ability to provide transportation on every occasion. Student and Parent(s) hereby acknowledge and understand that the District does not assume any responsibility for the Student's transportation when District transportation is not used and the Student and/or Parent(s) are solely responsible for making appropriate arrangements to and/or from the athletic practice or competition.

Student and Parent(s) understand that the District is protected from liability under the Colorado Governmental Immunity Act for injuries and damages that may arise out of or in connection with participation in the Sport(s), and understand that any injuries and damages that may arise out of or in connection with participation in the Sport(s) may not be covered by District insurance. For these reasons, it is recommended that Student or Parent(s) obtain appropriate insurance from qualified sources to cover medical expenses and other costs that could result from injury to the Student, and damage to or destruction of property belonging to the Student or Parent(s), which may arise out of or in connection with the Student's participation in the Sport(s). The District makes voluntary student accident insurance available through an outside provider. Student or Parent(s) may obtain more information from the Student's school or at https://www.psdschools.org/schools/safety-and-emergencies/student-accident-insurance

Parent(s) hereby acknowledge and represent (one of the following must be marked):

) I have purchased the voluntary student accident insurance made available through the District.

I have not purchased the voluntary student accident insurance made available through the District and understand I am responsible for payment of expenses incurred in the event of injury tomy child.

I/We, the undersigned Student and Parent(s) have read this *Middle School Athletic Participation Permission and Release* and understand all of the terms thereof, the nature of the Sport(s) to which they apply, and the risks and dangers that may exist in allowing the Student to participate in the Sport(s) including possible exposure to COVID-19 and other communicable diseases. We execute this document voluntarily and with full knowledge of the rights we are giving up and the obligations we are assuming, effective as of the date first above written.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature	Date	Student Signature	Date
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Parent/Legal Guardian Signature	Date		
	Date		

Nondiscrimination Statement

Poudre School District does not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, or disability in access or admission to, or treatment with respect to participation in District athletics.



2023-2024 Student Athlete Medical Information

Student Information

Student's Name (Last, First, M.I.)		(Leave	PSD Student ID# e blank if not a current PSD student)
Student's Date of Birth	Age		
		O Male	O Female
Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s):			
Telephone Number(s):			
Other Emergency Contact(s):			
Telephone Number(s):			
Sport(s):			
Please list any health and/or medical	conditions, including any aller	gies:	
Please list any disabilities and require	ed accommodations and/or res	strictions:	
Please list all medications the studen	t athlete takes:		

Date of Student Athlete's last tetanus booster shot (month/year):

Parents are specifically reminded that all medications require a completed PSD authorization form which must be on file in the school office.



2023-2024 Middle School Physician Certification of Student Fitness for Athletic Participation

This form, as well as an Athletic Participation Permission and Release form, must be completed and submitted to the school of athletic participation as designated below before the student will be allowed to practice or compete in school sport(s).

Student Information – To be completed by student or parent/guardian.

Student's Name (Last, First, M.I.)			Student ID#		
Student's Date of Birth		Male	E Female		
Student's Street Address			City	State Zip Code	
School of Athletic Participa	tion				
Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Nan	ne(s)		Telepho	ne	
Physician's Certi	fication				
I certify that I have examin the school sport(s) list				fit to fully participate	
Basketball	Football	Tennis	Softball	Wrestling	
Cross Country	Golf	Track & Field	Girls Volleyball	Unified Basketball	
Additional Comments:					
Date of Examination	(Va	lid for 365 days unless	rescinded)		
Physician Name (Printed)			Phone Numb	per	
Physician Signature			Date		



2023-2024 PSD Social Media Policy

Social Media refers to internet-based applications designed to create and share user generated content. All forms of digital magazines, internet forums, web-blogs, podcasts, photographs, video, rating, and social bookmarking found on websites or applications such as Twitter, Facebook, Instagram or Tumblr that are open to public viewing are considered to be social media. This is a rapidly changing network and many more not mentioned will arise, which are also included in this policy. Violations of this policy outlined below are subject to investigation and sanctions described in the Poudre School District Code of Conduct and are also subject to review by state and federal law enforcement. These fall under the Poudre School District Code of Conduct. Any and all disciplinary measures may apply, depending on the severity of the infraction.

Poudre School District student-athletes are expected to conduct themselves in a respectable manner as a member of their teams and our Athletic Program. As a student-athlete you are responsible for your social media use. Any malicious use of social media platforms shall not be tolerated. Malicious use may include, but not be limited to:

- 1) Derogatory language or remarks regarding fellow athletes, students, coaches, administrators, faculty and staff of Poudre School District or other high schools.
- 2) Demeaning statements or threats that endanger the safety of another person.
- 3) Incriminating photos or statements regarding illegal criminal behavior, underage drinking, use of illegal drugs, sexual harassment, or violence.

As a student-athlete, I have reviewed and carefully read, with my parent(s)/legal guardian(s), the Social Media Policy and agree to abide by all provisions contained within. Furthermore, I understand that violation of said rules may result in loss of athletic privileges and/or suspension from participation.

 Print Student Name
 Student Signature

 Parent/Legal Guardian Signature
 Parent/Legal Guardian Signature