



Poudre School District  
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## 2020-2021 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.

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Print Student Name

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Student Signature

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Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

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