



GLEN BURNIE HIGH SCHOOL



- Student/Athletes' Code of Conduct -

Created By Student-Athletes/For Student/Athletes

Respect our diversity

Embracing diversity is everyone's responsibility and obligation. Respect all individuals regardless of race, ethnicity, gender, sexual nature or religious beliefs. Comments, slurs, innuendos, gestures or actions that degrade anyone are not to be tolerated.

When you don't respect others, you don't respect yourself.

Disrespect toward peers & opponents will not be tolerated and could result in dismissal.

Respect those who make the game possible

Without those who make the games possible, there would be no games. Treat officials, coaches, administrators, and parents with the respect they deserve for offering their time to make the sports we play possible.

Participation in athletics is not a right; it's a privilege bestowed by those who make it possible

Disrespect toward officials, coaches, administrators will not be tolerated and could result in dismissal.

Respect yourself and your visibility

The most important eyes on you may not be the ones you see. Respect your responsibility as a role model because you may have a crucial role in someone's life and not even know it.

Remember, your actions speak louder than words and be cognizant that others are watching.

Disrespecting your responsibility as a role by engaging in behavior resulting in administrative referrals, detention, or suspension will not be tolerated and could result in dismissal.

Respect the game's integrity

If your opponent plays dirty it is not an excuse to retaliate. Respect your commitment to playing the game and not dirty play. Stay focused on doing your best instead of bringing down others.

You can't get ahead trying to get even.

Disrespecting the game by initiating or retaliating with flagrant aggression will not be tolerated and could result in dismissal.

Respect the essence of winning

Respect your opponents in victory because one day you will be in their shoes. Be humble in victory and mindful of your opponents' efforts and dedication. Without opponents there are no games.

Being humble speaks for itself.

Disrespecting the game with excessive celebrations, gestures, dances, or any behavior intended to draw attention to the individual and away from the team, or intended to embarrass and opponent will not be tolerated and could result in dismissal.

Respect the opportunities provided

The opportunities to participate in athletics are not rights but rather a privilege unmatched in any other country in the world. Be mindful that the game is bigger than anyone and that representing ones community and school is a privilege that should not be taken lightly.

The name on the front is more important than the name on the back of the jersey

Disrespecting the privilege of participating by involving oneself in unlawful acts will not be tolerated and could result in dismissal.

Respect being a student-athlete

Being a student-athlete carries responsibilities because you represent yourself, family, school, and community. As the most visible program in your school, your academic success is also reflected in your athletic success. Taking pride in academics is as important as taking pride in athletics.

A complete student-athlete excels in the classroom and on the playing field

Disrespecting your role as a student/athlete by not meeting minimum academic requirements will result in probation or dismissal.

**** Student-Athletes are required to attend all classes, each day, to be eligible to practice, or play in games. *****

Any conduct deemed detrimental to the student athlete, team and/or overall good of the program, anytime, on and off campus, can result in penalties ranging from verbal reprimand to expulsion from the team as determined by the head coach.



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NAME: _____

Respect the Game

I agree to abide by the Principles of the Student/Athlete Character Code of Conduct, and understand that violations will result in consequences issued by the school administration, coaching staff or athletic administration, to include, but not limited to: days, weeks, practices, games or season suspensions.

Signature of Student/Athlete:

Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian:

Date: _____