

Nichols Athletic Code 2009/2010

1. I understand that it is a privilege to represent Nichols as an athlete on and off the playing field, and I agree to do so in the best manner possible. I will display good sportsmanship at all times and behave in an appropriate manner. I will respect my teammates, coaches, officials, spectators and opponents and honor the game I am playing.
2. My academic work **MUST** come first. I will plan my time carefully. When I miss class due to travel, I will make sure my teachers have been notified in advance, arrange for any make-up work or tests and whenever possible, turn in assignments prior to leaving.
3. If my academic standing will be jeopardized due to sports travel it may be recommended that I not miss class.
4. I will attend all scheduled team practices and games. I will make every effort to schedule appointments outside of scheduled practice times. If I must miss a scheduled practice or game, I will personally notify my coach in advance. I understand that missing practices and/or games may affect my playing time.
5. I understand that the use of drugs and/or alcohol is illegal and will result in immediate expulsion from the team. In addition I will be referred to the US or MS Head for further disciplinary action.
6. I agree to abide by all Nichols school rules while traveling with any Nichols athletic team.
7. I understand that some trips may require a passport and/or birth certificate and appropriate picture identification. Responsibility for obtaining the correct identification is mine.
8. I understand that violation of this code may lead to suspension or expulsion from the team.

Athlete's Name (Please print)

Parent/Guardian Name (Please print)

Athlete's Signature

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