



Spring Branch Independent School District

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RELEASE FOR USING NON-DISTRICT ISSUED HELMETS

The following guidelines must be met if a player is to provide his/her own helmet for the following sports: Football, Softball, or Baseball

- The helmet must be a National Operating Committee on Standards for Athletic Equipment (NOCSAE) approved helmet. (Verified by Coaching Staff)
- The helmet must be appropriate for skill level, e.g., do not use youth helmets for high school football. (Verified by Coaching Staff)
- The helmet must fit according to manufacturer's recommendations. (Verified by Coaching staff)
- The helmet cannot be broken or damaged in anyway. (Verified by Coaching staff)
- The helmet must be clean inside and out. (Verified by Coaching staff)
- The helmet must be re-certified using a certified NOCSAE approved vendor if the helmet is older than two years. The helmet must be re-certified after every two years of use. (Verified by Coaching Staff)
- The helmet must be no older than seven years. (Verified by Coaching staff)

Parent or Guardian: I understand that by allowing my child to wear a helmet not provided by the school district I take full responsibility for any injury that can be attributed to the use of this specific protective helmet.

Parent or Guardian Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE HEAD COACH OF THE SPORT:

Sport: _____ Coach's Name: _____

Date inspected: _____ Brand and style of Helmet: _____

Helmet serial number: _____ Date of Manufacture: _____

Coach initial below for each requirement:

- NOCSAE approved helmet _____
- Appropriate for skill level _____
- Fits according to manufacturer's recommendations _____
- Is not broken or damaged in anyway _____
- Clean inside and out _____
- Is newer than two years or has been re-certified within the last two years _____
- NO older than seven years _____

Form should be on file in the Head Coaches office for review. Copy should be sent to the central Athletic office.

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Jennifer Blaine Ed.D., Superintendent of Schools