

RICHFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

SCHOOL ACTIVITY FEES

I. INTRODUCTION

It is the policy of the State of Minnesota that public school education shall be free and no pupil shall be denied an education. Minnesota State Statute 123B.36 also recognizes that school boards may establish fees to support certain student activities. These administrative guidelines delineate school activity fees, pursuant to Board Policy 651.

II. ACTIVITIES SUBJECT TO FEES

A. Minnesota State High School League Activities

Participants in Interscholastic athletics and fine arts activities governed by the Minnesota State High School League will be charged a fee.

B. Other Fees

1. A program fee of \$35/student shall be charged for participation in the summer school programs by grade level (grades K-10) where funding is not provided by the state.
2. Additional fees as listed in the attached schedule.

III. FEE EXCEPTIONS

A. Fee Waiver

The student of a parent / guardian applying and qualifying for the Free or Reduced Lunch Program and providing the verification of income shall be eligible for a reduced fee.

1. A student who qualifies for a reduced price lunch will receive a 25% discount.
2. A student who qualifies for a free lunch will receive a 50% discount.
3. A full waiver may be allowed for students qualifying for the discount noted above at the discretion of the Activities Director upon consideration of extenuating circumstances.

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The homeless student as defined in Section 103(a) (1) (2) of P.L. 100-77 participating in an activity under this guideline shall have their fee paid by the Parent Teacher Organization (P.T.O.), Title I funds, other donations, or the fee will be waived.

B. Third Season Free

Students participating in all three seasons will pay no fee to participate in the third season. This special rate is exclusive of the established late registration fee.

Legal References:

Minn. Stat. § 123B.36 (Authorized Fees)

Minn. Stat. § 123B.37 (Prohibited Fees)

Cross References:

Board Policy 651 (Athletic and Activity Program)

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**RICHFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS ACTIVITY FEES
AMOUNT APPLICABLE BY GRADE LEVELS**

ACTIVITY	GR 5-12	GR 7-12#	GR 6-8###	GR 9-12
BAND – HONORS & JAZZ			\$10 each	
BAND – SUMMER (\$20 uniform fee in N/A to color guard)			\$65	\$110+\$20
BASEBALL#				\$182
BASKETBALL – B/G#			\$95	\$252
CHEERLEADING (per season)				\$50
CROSS COUNTRY RUNNING – B/G#		\$168		
NORDIC SKIING – B/G#		\$196		
WINTER COMPETITIVE DANCE				\$196
FALL PERFORMANCE DANCE				\$95
DIVING#		\$196		
FOOTBALL#			\$95	\$210
GOLF – B/G#		\$182		
GRADUATION FEE (Excluding cap & gown cost)				No Charge
GYMNASTICS#		\$210		
HOCKEY – B#			\$95	\$238
INSTRUMENT RENTAL (one time fee)	\$65			
INTRAMURAL (including middle school Academic, athletic & art intramurals, & Clubs meeting outside the school day)			\$10 each	\$30 each
MATH TEAM (one time fee)			\$10	\$50
PARKING PERMIT (per semester)				\$100
ALPINE SKIING#		\$196		
SOCCER – B/G#			\$95	\$168
SOFTBALL#		\$182		
SPEECH#				\$75
SWIMMING – B/G#		\$196		
SWIMMING – SYNCHRONIZED#		\$182		
TENNIS – B/G#			\$95	\$154
THEATRE (Fall Play, Musical & RMS Play) One-Act# play			\$30 each	\$65
TRACK – B/G#			\$95	\$182
VOLLEYBALL#			\$95	\$182
WRESTLING#			\$95	\$210

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#MSHSL Activities, # Jr. Varsity Program, ##Middle School Program

RICHFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
ATHLETIC/CO-CURRICULAR

REDUCED FEE REQUEST FORM

Reduced fees shall be based on the following criteria.

- A student who qualifies for a reduced price lunch will receive a 25% discount.
- A student who qualifies for a free lunch will receive a 50% discount.

Student's Name _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____ Sport/Activity _____

Address _____

Telephone _____ Reduced rate
Requested _____

Reason _____

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

For office use only:

Action taken: _____

Activities Director

Date