

Good evening, Tigers this is Mr. W., principal of Kiser Middle School, with important information for our students and families who are interested in participating in middle school athletics.

Kiser is excited to continue to offer a variety of athletic sports teams for our students to participate and compete against other GCS middle schools, and please use this correspondence will provide some additional information out the upcoming fall sports season.

- Students should plan to stay afterschool and report to each designated area for the sport they are trying out for on the dates below.
- Students should bring the equipment or items needed for tryouts with them to school each day when they arrive in the morning.
- All students who are staying after for a sport will be dismissed during the afternoon dismissal process and should listen for when and where to report to their designated area for tryouts and/or practice.
- The coach for each sport will provide the students with the tryout schedule for the remainder of the week, and when and where the final roster will be announced.

The following items need to be completed and submitted to the DragonFly Website (DragonFly (dragonflymax.com) or the App for your student before they will be permitted to tryout and participate.

- Physical Form (must be signed by the doctor)
- GW Concussion Form
- Dragon Fly
- First time to Dragon Fly (Quick Youtube Video Resource)

The following sports are available for students during the fall season.

1. Football (7th and 8th Grade only), Coach Whiteheart, whitehr@gcsnc.com, Tuesday, August 29th 3:30-5:45 Report afterschool to the Football Locker Room. The last day to come out for football is August 31st.
2. Boys Soccer, Coach Katelin Lewis, Katelin5Lewis@gmail.com, Tuesday, August 29th 3:30-5:30pm Report afterschool to the Aux Gym
3. Girls Volleyball, Coach Cianna Richardson, richarc7@gcsnc.com, Tuesday, August 30th 3:30-5:15pm Report afterschool to the main gym.
4. Cross Country, Coach Hollis Oberlies, hollis.oberlies@gmail.com, Tuesday, August 29th 3:30pm-4:15 Report to the Kiser Courtyard for interest meeting.
5. Cheerleading, Coach Hayes-Worthy, kisercheerleading@gmail.com, Tryouts begin Monday, August 28th through August 30th 3:30pm-5:30pm

We look forward to the fall athletic season and supporting our student athletes. If you have any questions about athletics, you can also contact Kiser's athletic director, Coach Brian Avolio, avoliob@gcsnc.com

Also, please note that the first home football game at Grimsley is tomorrow, Friday, August 25th. The game time has been moved to 8pm due to the heat index. For those who plan to attend the game should review the Grimsley athletic information and note that any Kindergarten through 8th grade student must be accompanied by an adult.