RECOMMENDED

ABCB - SPORTSMANSHIP

A primary goal of the sports program is to teach sportsmanship. Student athletes, student spectators, district personnel, and public spectators are expected to support this goal. Sportsmanship is a commitment to fair play, ethical behavior, and integrity. In terms of perception and practice, sportsmanship is defined as those qualities which are characterized by generosity and genuine concern for others. The ideals of sportsmanship apply equally to all activity disciplines. Individuals, regardless of their role in activities, are expected to be aware of their influence on the behavior of others and model good sportsmanship.

Rules of Conduct

The Maple River Coop Committee shall develop rules of conduct for athletic events. These rules shall be published in student and employee handbooks and disseminated to district patrons using the method deemed most appropriate, effective, and cost efficient by the Superintendent.

All visitors on school district property and at school-sponsored events and activities must adhere to visitor expectations set forth by the District, including complying with applicable laws and District policies/regulations. Athletes, coaches, and sporting event attendees are, at all times, prohibited from engaging in disruptive conduct that interferes or interrupts the orderly operation of the event and/or engaging in conduct that is insulting, harassing, or threatening to others. Those who engage in such conduct may immediately be asked to leave school property.

The school personnel and law enforcement may evict violators of District policies and/or the athletic event rules from the athletic event, and the Superintendent may prohibit and/or restrict attendance at future events and/or on District property. In addition, district students and employees violating these policies or rules may be subject to disciplinary consequences in accordance with district policy and law.

Complementing NDSBA Templates (may contain items not adopted by the Board)

- DE, Staff Code of Conduct
- FF, Student Conduct and Discipline
- FF-AR, Student Conduct Standards and Disciplinary Procedures
- FF-E, Examples of Student Conduct Violations
- KAAA, Visitors in Schools
- KAAA-AR, Visitors in Schools Regulations

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