2026 – 2027 WMS Athlete Contract

Participating in extracurricular activities is both an honor and a privilege. To continue the success and effectiveness of the sports program at the Westglade, student-athlete's expectations are listed below:

1. Athletes must be on time to every practice. This includes dressed and, in the gym, when practice is scheduled to begin and be picked up at the end of each practice or game, within 15 minutes, every day.

2. Athletes must contact a coach by sportsYou or email (no messages from other teammates) if they miss a practice or a game for any reason. All parents and athletes are expected to join the sportsYou app.

3. Athletes will be expected to behave appropriately at practice, in the classroom, on the bus, and at games.

4. Athletes are expected to always use appropriate language, at school as well as at practices and/or games.

5. Athletes will be expected to follow coaching instructions when asked and be respectful of other teammates, coaches, opponents, officials, and fans.

6. Athletes are to only give positive feedback to teammates. Criticism from teammate to teammate will not be tolerated.

7. Athletes must always be a team player, be leaders, and maintain a 2.0 average in school and cannot have any F's for quarter grades.

8. If athletes have any behavior issues in school, they will be given the appropriate consequence by the coaching staff for their actions. If an athlete is suspended from school, they will automatically be dismissed from the team.

9. Athletes who get 2 (two) discipline referrals will be dismissed from the team.

10. Athletes must always follow the school dress code, to include before, during, and after games.

11. Athletes who alter or lose their uniform will be responsible for the full cost of the uniform.

12. Students must be present in school (for at least 3 class periods) to participate in practice and games. Students who accumulate chromic absenteeism (must be in compliance with the school 10-10-10 policy), will be denied the privilege of participating in sports.

***Failure to follow any of these expectations may result in extra conditioning, suspension from practice and/or game(s), or dismissal from the team. By signing this contract, you as an athlete take the responsibility to meet the following expectations to the best of your ability.**

I have read and understand the following criteria my child will need to meet to be a part of WMS Athletics.

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Athlete Printed Name Parent/Guardian Printed Name

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Athlete Signature Parent/Guardian Signature

Westglades Middle School 10-10-10 Policy

If any athlete is NOT in compliance with the 10-10-10 policy, they will NOT be able to tryout for any sports. Any athlete that is on a team will be removed from the team if they become out of compliance during the sports season. Please monitor your student's attendance to ensure they can participate.

Loss of athletic privilege or students will occur if:

- **Student accumulates more than 10 absences from school.**
- **Student accumulates more than 10 tardies from school.**
- **Student accumulates more than 10 sign outs from school.**

Please note:

This includes excused and unexcused absences, and out-of-school suspensions.

Excluded from attendance counts are - February 14th's early release day and Take Your Child to Work Day.

Excluded from tardies are – any tardies due to School Board transportation issues.