

Dear Student-Athlete and Parent:

Welcome to the *Redlands Student Connections League (RSCL)*! RSCL includes all four RUSD middle schools: Beattie, Clement, Cope and Moore. At the Redlands Unified School District, student-athletes learn valuable character-building lessons while playing sports: school pride, teamwork, and positive attitude and sportsmanship. The RSCL will strive to provide as many positive school connective experiences for as many students as possible.

Student-athletes will be required to meet academic eligibility standards in order to be part of the team. RUSD Board Policy requires a minimum of a 2.0 GPA. For the fall season, all students may begin participating. Grades will be checked at the end of the first quarter, and students must maintain a minimum 2.0 GPA to remain eligible. For the winter and spring seasons, the previous grade-reporting period will determine eligibility for a given sport. Student-athletes will also be held accountable for their behavior and will be required to have good attendance. All student-athletes must complete a middle school athletic clearance/participation packet before they participate. Please visit your school's website to download that packet, or you can receive a hard copy at the main office.

At the middle school level, we focus on bringing students together by offering an educational-based school connection program. The RSCL is dedicated to helping middle school student-athletes enhance their academic performance level, improve positive character traits, strive for excellence, and increase their overall level of confidence through athletic competition.

We hope that you enjoy your time at Beattie Middle School, Clement Middle School, Cope Middle School and/or Moore Middle School.

Best of luck!