ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

Milligan University Department of Athletics
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Student Name: _____ **Sport:** _____

This agreement is for the period beginning August 2026 and ending May 2027.

Milligan University welcomes you as a participant in its intercollegiate athletic program. Your involvement as a student-athlete carries responsibilities and expectations designed to support your academic success, personal growth, safety, and contribution to the University community.

By signing this agreement, you acknowledge and accept the following terms and conditions for participation:

a. that you make normal progress towards a degree as a full-time student;
b. that you remain academically eligible for intercollegiate athletics and agree to allow your coaches access to your specific academic records and academic progress reports:
    1. obtain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 after two (2) semesters, and
    2. obtain a cumulative GPA of 2.5 after four (4) semesters of enrollment;
c. that you comply with designated social regulations which include:
    1. be a good citizen on campus;
    2. represent the school in a dignified and respectable manner;
    3. comply with all moral and lifestyle expectations as set forth in the Student Handbook;
d. that you respect the directions of the coaching staff and university officials and enthusiastically participate in this intercollegiate sport, including team fundraising and community service activities;
e. that you return in good condition all equipment or other supplies issued to you. (You may be required to purchase some equipment for your sport);
f. maintain proof of active individual health and accident insurance coverage at the expense of the individual student athlete.

Failure to fully comply with any and all of these terms and conditions may result in disciplinary action by the Director of Athletics. Disciplinary action may include immediate suspension from athletic participation or removal from the program. Disciplinary action is not limited to the above as intermediate steps may be taken based on the Director's assessment.

Renewal of this participation agreement each academic year is solely within the discretion of Milligan University. In case you are injured while representing Milligan University in intercollegiate athletics, practice, or competition, your participation will continue provided you otherwise remain eligible and continue to participate in the athletic program as directed by your coach within the limitations of your injury.

For new students, this agreement is contingent upon admission to Milligan University as a full-time, degree-seeking student.

Signatures of Milligan personnel:

_____ _____
Coach Date

_____ _____
Athletic Director Date

This is to certify that we have read the above and accept the stated terms and conditions:

Signatures of the student and family:

_____ _____
Student Date

_____ _____
Parent or Guardian (financially dependent students) Date