



# Lakers Hockey

## CLUB ASSOCIATION

### Grades Policy

The Lakers Hockey Club believes student participation at school has to be a priority over being an athlete. Our obligation as a club goes beyond supporting their progression on ice. We feel a responsibility to support their development of character as well as sending the message that hard work at school will affect the rest of their lives more than hard work on the ice will.

The first Monday of each month during the fall season, players must hand in a picture/print out of grades before the start of practice. Grades should be mailed to the Rules & Ethics Board member at [rules@lakershockey.org](mailto:rules@lakershockey.org)

- The report should be a print out/picture of their online grades showing all current classes.
- A student athlete is considered eligible if he is passing a minimum of 5 credit based classes. A passing grade is any grade other than a "F" based on each school's grading policy. Gym only counts as a grade if students receive a grade that counts in the GPA calculations.
- The Rules and Ethics Board Member will email the parent and student athlete of any player who is not eligible.
- If a student athlete is ineligible, he may not participate in practice or games for that week. At the start of the next week, a student athlete will become eligible if he can show evidence of passing 5 credit-based classes.
- Student athletes are encouraged to use the time away from practice as a means to get extra help from teachers, peers, parents, or other sources.

If a player shows up to practice without a hard copy of his grades, he will not be allowed on the ice until a hard copy of the grades is provided. Any questions should be directed to the Rules & Ethics Board member at [rules@lakershockey.org](mailto:rules@lakershockey.org)