## **Girls Lacrosse Attendance Policy:**

- ► Late for practice = 1 full lap around track for every 5 minute of tardiness (1-5 minutes late = 1 lap, etc.)
- ► Failing to tell a coach in advance about missing practice/game will result in no playing time the first half of the next game.
- Absences for school activities (tutoring, grades/homework), doctor appointments, family **emergencies** are considered excused <u>with prior notice</u> (minimum 48-hour advance is appreciated)
- ► Must be in school for the first 3 hours and absences must be excused prior to you leaving school!
- MSHSL Sanctions/Violations will be handled at the discretion of the coaching staff and admin to see the full completion of time missed and sanctions served on a case-by-case basis.
  - ▶ 1<sup>st</sup> offense: 2 weeks or two game missed whichever is longer, no attendance at practices, games, or program events.
  - ▶ 2<sup>nd</sup> offense: 4 weeks or 4 games missed whichever is longer, no attendance at practices, games, or program events.
    - ► Captainship will be stripped from player if applicable; not eligible to be a captain for a full calendar year.
  - ➤ 3<sup>rd</sup> offense: 6 weeks or 6 games missed whichever is longer, no attendance at practices, games, or program events.
    - ▶ If for chemical/substance violation; At this point you will be removed from the team, will not receive a letter award if on varsity and will be considered chemically dependent by the state league.
      - ▶ Returning upon being deemed chemically dependent requires enrollment in and completion of a substance rehabilitation program, signed off by a chemical health counselor for proof of completion. You will then need to petition the state league for full reinstatement eligibility.
- Attendance includes coming prepared to practice or play with all of your equipment; failing to wear your pinnie to practice or having your mouthguard will be an extra full lap around the track (mouthguard will be full team down and back on the field and an individual lap around the track at start or end of practice