# Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools Middle School Student-Athlete Pre-Participation Form TAB THROUGH FORM & TYPE INFORMATION OR PRINT FORM AND WRITE INFORMATION

		PERSONAL & EMERGENCY CONTAC	CT INFORM	ATION		
Student-Athlete's	Name (First, MI, Last):			CMS Student ID #		
	F Date of Birth:			Home Phone:		
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Street Address:		Daytime Phone: City:	State:	Zip Code:	County:	
Mother's Name:		Daytime Phone:		Cell Phone:		
			State:	Zip Code:	County:	
If applicable Gua	ardian's					
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Parent/Guardian Initials: \_\_\_\_\_ Student-Athlete Initials: \_\_\_\_

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#### **CERTIFICATION / MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION**

We certify that all of the information provided by us on this form is correct. We agree by the rules of the NCDPI and CMS. We give our consent for the student-athlete to receive a medical screening prior to participation in athletics and acknowledge that this is simply a screening evaluation and not suitable for regular health <u>care.</u> If the student-athlete is injured while participating in athletics and CMS is unable to contact the parent, we grant CMS permission and the authority to obtain necessary medical care and/or treatment for the student's injury including first aid, CPR, medical or surgical treatment recommended by a physician and we accept the financial responsibility for such medical care or treatment.

We (student and parents) certify that the home address shown in this document is the student's sole bona fide residence, and we will notify the school principal immediately of any change in residence, since such a move may alter the eligibility status of the student athlete.  All information contained in this form is accurate and correct.				
Student-Athlete:	Date:			
	Signature)			
Parent/Guardian:	Date:			
(Plea	se Print Name)			
Parent/Guardian:	Date:			
	(Signature)			



## Instructions for Completing the NCHSAA Student-Athlete Preparticipation Physical Evaluation (PPE)

In order to be medically eligible for participation in practice or in interscholastic athletic contests, a student must have a completed NCHSAA PPE and submit it to the school. The PPE is four (4) pages in length and includes the **History Form**, the **Physical Examination Form**, and the **Medical Eligibility Form**.

The PPE **History Form** (pages 1-2) is completed and signed by the parent or legal custodian on behalf of the student-athlete. The completed and signed PPE History Form must then be presented to the examining Licensed Medical Professional (LMP) (physician licensed to practice medicine (MD/DO), nurse practitioner or physician assistant) for review when they fill out the Physical Examination Form.

The completed PPE **Physical Examination Form** (page 3) is <u>signed</u> and <u>dated</u> by the LMP who performed the examination. The physical examination builds on information obtained in the medical history.

The PPE **Medical Eligibility Form** (page 4), which is also <u>signed</u> and <u>dated</u> by the LMP, indicates the student-athlete is either medically eligible or not medically eligible for sports participation.



### Student-Athlete COVID Questionnaire

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Date of Birth: _	Age:			
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COVID	RELATED QUESTIONS ABOUT THE STUDENT-ATHLETE	YES	NO	NA
1.	Since January 1, 2020 have you been told that you have had a positive test for COVID-19, <b>OR</b> have you been told by			
	a medical professional, your school, or local health			
	department that you have had to quarantine (stay home)			
	due to concern that you had COVID-19 symptoms?			
2.	If the answer to 1 was "Yes", has the required Return to Play Form: COVID-19 Infection Medical Clearance Releasing			
	The Student-Athlete to Resume Full Participation in			
	Athletics been completed?			
3.	Have you been fully vaccinated against COVID?			



### ■ PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION

### **HISTORY FORM**

Name:	Date of birth	before your appointment Date of birth:	
	Sport(s):		
ex: M/F			
List past and current medical conditions.			
Have you ever had surgery? If yes, list all pas	t surgical procedures.		
Medicines and supplements: List all current p	rescriptions, over-the-counter medicines, and supple	ments (herbal and nutritional).	
Do you have any allergies? If yes, please list	all your allergies (ie, medicines, pollens, food, stingi	ng insects).	

Patient Health Questionnaire Version 4 (PHQ-4) Over the last 2 weeks, how often have you been be	othered by any of	the following prob	lems? (check box next to	o appropriate number)	
	Not at all	Several days	Over half the days	Nearly every day	
Feeling nervous, anxious, or on edge	0	1	2	3	
Not being able to stop or control worrying	0	1	2	3	
Little interest or pleasure in doing things	0	1	2	3	
Feeling down, depressed, or hopeless	0	1	2	3	
(A sum of ≥3 is considered positive on either subscale [questions 1 and 2, or questions 3 and 4] for screening purposes.)					

(Ехр	IERAL QUESTIONS lain "Yes" answers at the end of this form. e questions if you don't know the answer.)	Yes	No
1.	Do you have any concerns that you would like to discuss with your provider?		
2.	Has a provider ever denied or restricted your participation in sports for any reason?		
3.	Do you have any ongoing medical issues or recent illness?		
HEA	RT HEALTH QUESTIONS ABOUT YOU	Yes	No
4.	Have you ever passed out or nearly passed out during or after exercise?		
5.	Have you ever had discomfort, pain, tightness, or pressure in your chest during exercise?		
6.	Does your heart ever race, flutter in your chest, or skip beats (irregular beats) during exercise?		
7.	Has a doctor ever told you that you have any heart problems?		
8.	Has a doctor ever requested a test for your heart? For example, electrocardiography (ECG) or echocardiography.		

	rt Health Questions about you Ntinued)	Yes	No
9.	Do you get light-headed or feel shorter of breath than your friends during exercise?		
10.	Have you ever had a seizure?		
HEA	RT HEALTH QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR FAMILY	Yes	No
11.	Has any family member or relative died of heart problems or had an unexpected or unexplained sudden death before age 35 years (including drowning or unexplained car crash)?		
12.	Does anyone in your family have a genetic heart problem such as hypertrophic cardiomyopathy (HCM), Marfan syndrome, arrhythmogenic right ventricular cardiomyopathy (ARVC), long QT syndrome (LQTS), short QT syndrome (SQTS), Brugada syndrome, or catecholaminergic polymorphic ventricular tachycardia (CPVT)?		
13.	Has anyone in your family had a pacemaker or an implanted defibrillator before age 35?		



BON	IE AND JOINT QUESTIONS	Yes	No
14.	Have you ever had a stress fracture or an injury to a bone, muscle, ligament, joint, or tendon that caused you to miss a practice or game?		
15.	Do you have a bone, muscle, ligament, or joint injury that bothers you?		
MED	OICAL QUESTIONS	Yes	No
16.	Do you cough, wheeze, or have difficulty breathing during or after exercise?		
1 <i>7</i> .	Are you missing a kidney, an eye, a testicle (males), your spleen, or any other organ?		
18.	Do you have groin or testicle pain or a painful bulge or hernia in the groin area?		
19.	Do you have any recurring skin rashes or rashes that come and go, including herpes or methicillin-resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> (MRSA)?		
20.	Have you had a concussion or head injury that caused confusion, a prolonged headache, or memory problems?		
21.	Have you ever had numbness, had tingling, had weakness in your arms or legs, or been unable to move your arms or legs after being hit or falling?		
22.	Have you ever become ill while exercising in the heat?		
23.	Do you or does someone in your family have sickle cell trait or disease?		
24.	Have you ever had or do you have any prob- lems with your eyes or vision?		

MEDICAL QUESTIONS (CONTINUED)	Yes	No
25. Do you worry about your weight?		
26. Are you trying to or has anyone recommended that you gain or lose weight?		
27. Are you on a special diet or do you avoid certain types of foods or food groups?		
28. Have you ever had an eating disorder?		
FEMALES ONLY	Yes	No
29. Have you ever had a menstrual period?		
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30. How old were you when you had your first menstrual period?		
menstrual period?		

xplain "Yes" answers here.			

## I hereby state that, to the best of my knowledge, my answers to the questions on this form are complete and correct.

ignature of athlete:
ignature of parent or guardian:
Date:

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#### ■ PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION

#### PHYSICAL EXAMINATION FORM

Name:	Date of birth:

#### PHYSICIAN REMINDERS

- 1. Consider additional questions on more-sensitive issues.
  - Do you feel stressed out or under a lot of pressure?
  - Do you ever feel sad, hopeless, depressed, or anxious?
  - Do you feel safe at your home or residence?
  - Have you ever tried cigarettes, e-cigarettes, chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip?
  - During the past 30 days, did you use chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip?
  - Do you drink alcohol or use any other drugs?
  - Have you ever taken anabolic steroids or used any other performance-enhancing supplement?
  - Have you ever taken any supplements to help you gain or lose weight or improve your performance?
  - Do you wear a seat belt, use a helmet, and use condoms?
- 2. Consider reviewing questions on cardiovascular symptoms (Q4-Q13 of History Form).

EXAMINATION		
Height: Weight:		
BP: / ( / ) Pulse: Vision: R 20/ L 20/ Correcte	ed: 🗆 Y 🛭	 □ N
MEDICAL	NORMAL	ABNORMAL FINDINGS
Appearance		
Marfan stigmata (kyphoscoliosis, high-arched palate, pectus excavatum, arachnodactyly, hyperlaxity,		
myopia, mitral valve prolapse [MVP], and aortic insufficiency)		
Eyes, ears, nose, and throat		
<ul><li>Pupils equal</li><li>Hearing</li></ul>		
Lymph nodes		
Heart <sup>a</sup>		
Murmurs (auscultation standing, auscultation supine, and ± Valsalva maneuver)		
Lungs		
Abdomen		
Skin		
Herpes simplex virus (HSV), lesions suggestive of methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA), or		
tinea corporis		
Neurological		
MUSCULOSKELETAL	NORMAL	ABNORMAL FINDINGS
Neck		
Back		
Shoulder and arm		
Elbow and forearm		
Wrist, hand, and fingers		
Hip and thigh		
Knee		
Leg and ankle		
Foot and toes		
Functional		
Double-leg squat test, single-leg squat test, and box drop or step drop test		
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Name of health care professional (print or type):		e:
signature of health care professional:	ле	, MD, DO, NP, or PA

#### PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION

## **MEDICAL ELIGIBILITY FORM** \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: ☐ Medically eligible for all sports without restriction ☐ Medically eligible for all sports without restriction with recommendations for further evaluation or treatment of ☐ Medically eligible for certain sports ☐ Not medically eligible pending further evaluation $\square$ Not medically eligible for any sports Recommendations: I have examined the student named on this form and completed the preparticipation physical evaluation. The athlete does not have apparent clinical contraindications to practice and can participate in the sport(s) as outlined on this form. A copy of the physical examination findings are on record in my office and can be made available to the school at the request of the parents. If conditions arise after the athlete has been cleared for participation, the physician may rescind the medical eligibility until the problem is resolved and the potential consequences are completely explained to the athlete (and parents or guardians). Address: Phone: Signature of health care professional: \_\_\_\_ , MD, DO, NP, or PA SHARED EMERGENCY INFORMATION Allergies: Medications: Other information: \_\_\_\_ Emergency contacts: \_\_\_\_





### FORMULARIO DE HISTORIAL CLÍNICO

Nota: Complete y firme este formulario (con la supervisión	n de sus padres si	es menor de 18 a	ños) antes de acudir a s	υ cita.
Nombre:		_ Fecha de nacin	niento:	
Fecha del examen médico:		Deporte(s):		
Sexo que se le asignó al nacer (F, M o intersexual):		on cuál género se i	dentifica? (F, M v otro):	
Mencione los padecimientos médicos pasados y actuale	s que haya tenido	•		
¿Alguna vez se le practicó una cirugía? Si la respuesta o previas.			s sus cirugías	
Medicamentos y suplementos: Enumere todos los medica y nutricionales) que consume.				
¿Sufre de algún tipo de alergia? Si la respuesta es afirm mento, al polen, a los alimentos, a las picaduras de inse		ista de todas sus a	lergias (por ejemplo, a d	algún medica-
Cuestionario sobre la salud del paciente versión 4 (PHG Durante las últimas dos semanas, ¿con qué frecuencia e círculo la respuesta)		o de los siguientes		
	Ningún día	Varios días	Más de la mitod de los días	
Se siente nervioso, ansioso o inquieto	0	1	2	3
No es capaz de detener o controlar la preocupación	0	1	2	3
Siente poco interés o satisfacción por hacer cosas	0	1	2	3
Se siente triste, deprimido o desesperado	0	1	2	3

(Una suma ≥3 se considera positiva en cualquiera de las subescalas, [preguntas 1 y 2 o preguntas 3 y 4] a fin de obtener un diagnóstico).

(Dé cont Enci	GUNTAS GENERALES una explicación para las preguntas en las que estó "Sí", en la parte final de este formulario. erre en un círculo las preguntas si no sabe la uesta).	Sí	No
1.	¿Tiene alguna preocupación que le gustaría discutir con su proveedor de servicios médicos?		
2.	¿Alguna vez un proveedor de servicios médicos le prohibió o restringió practicar deportes por algún motivo?		
3.	¿Padece algún problema médico o enfermedad reciente?		
	GUNTAS SOBRE SU SALUD DIOVASCULAR	Sí	No
4.	¿Alguna vez se desmayó o estuvo a punto de desmayorse mientras hacía, o después de hacer, ejercicio?		

	GUNTAS SOBRE SU SALUD DIOVASCULAR (CONTINUACIÓN)	Sí	No
5.	¿Alguna vez sintió molestias, dolor, compresión o presión en el pecho mientras hacía ejercicio?		
6.	¿Alguna vez sintió que su corazón se aceleraba, palpitabo en su pecho o latía intermitente- mente (con latidos irregulares) mientras hacía ejercicio?		
7.	¿Alguna vez un médico le dijo que tiene prob- lemas cardíacos?		
8.	¿Alguna vez un médico le pidió que se hiciera un examen del corazón? Por ejemplo, electro- cardiografía (ECG) o ecocardiografía.		
9.	Cuando hace ejercicio, ¿se siente mareado o siente que le falta el aíre más que a sus amigos?		
10.	¿Alguna vez tuvo convulsiones?		



	GUNTAS SOBRE LA SALUD DIOVASCULAR DE SU FAMILIA	Si	No
11.	¿Alguno de los miembros de su familia o pari- ente murió debido a problemas cardíacos o tuvo una muerte súbita e inesperado o inexplicable antes de los 35 años de edad (incluyendo muerte por ahogamiento o un accidente auto- movilístico inexplicables)?		
12.	¿Alguno de los miembros de su familia padece un problema cardíaco genético como la mio- cardiopatía hipertrófica (HCM), el síndrome de Marfan, la miocardiopatía arritmogénica del ventrículo derecho (ARVC), el síndrome del QT largo (LQTS), el síndrome del QT corto (SQTS), el síndrome de Brugada o la taqui cardia ven- tricular polimórfica catecolaminérgica (CPVT)?		
13.	¿Alguno de los miembros de su familia utilizó un marcapasos o se le implantó un desfibrilador antes de los 35 años?		
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14.	¿Alguna vez sufrió una fractura por estrés o una lesión en un hueso, músculo, ligamento, articu- lación o tendón que le hizo faltar a una práctica o juego?		i in the second
15.	¿Sufre alguna lesión ósea, muscular, de los ligamentos o de las articulociones que le causa molestia?		
PRE	GUNTAS SOBRE CONDICIONES MÉDICAS	Si	No
16.	¿Tose, sibila o experimenta alguna dificultad para respirar durante o después de hacer ejercicio?		
17.	¿Le falta un riñón, un ojo, un testículo (en el caso de los hombres), el bazo o cualquier otro órgano?		
18.	¿Sufre dolor en la ingle o en los testículos, o tiene alguna protuberancia o hemia dolorosa en la zona inguinal?		
19.	¿Padece erupciones cutáneas recurrentes o que aparecen y desaparecen, incluyendo el herpes o Stophylococcus aureus resistente a la meticilina (MRSA)?		

	GUNTAS SOBRE CONDICIONES MÉDICAS VITINUACIÓN)	Sí	No
20.	¿Alguna vez sufrió un traumatismo cronecence- fálico o una lesión en la cabeza que le causó confusión, un dolor de cabeza prolongado o problemos de memoria?		
21.	¿Alguna vez sintió adormecimiento, hormigueo, debilidad en los brazos o piemos, o fue incapaz de mover los brazos o las piemas después de sufrir un golpe o una caída?		
22.	¿Alguna vez se enfermó al realizar ejercicio cuando hacía calor?		
23.	¿Usted o algún miembro de su familia tiene el rasgo drepanocítico o podece una enfermedad dreponocítica?		
24.	¿Al guna vez tuvo o tiene algún problemo con sus ojos o su visión?		
25.	¿Le preocupa su peso?		
26.	¿Está tratando de bajar o subir de peso, o alguien le recomendó que baje o suba de peso?		
27.	¿Sigue alguna dieta especial o evita ciertos tipos o grupos de alimentos?		
28.	¿Alguna vez sufrió un desorden alimenticio?		
ÚNH	CAMENTE MUJERES	Si	No
29.	¿Ha tenido al menos un periodo menstrual?		
30.	¿A los cuántos años tuvo su primer periodo menstrual?		
31.	¿Cuándo fue su periodo menstrual más reciente?		
32.	¿Cuántos periodos menstruales ha tenido en los últimos 12 meses?		
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Por la presente declaro que, según mis conocimientos, mis respuestas a las preguntas de este formulario están completas y son correctas.

Firma del atleta:	 	 
Firma del padre o tutor:	 	 
Fecha:		

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■ PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION PHYSICAL EXAMINATION FORM		
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"Consider electrocardiagraphy (ECG), echocardiagraphy, referral to a cardiologist for abnormal cardiac history or examination findings, or a combination of those.

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## MEDICAL ELIGIBILITY FORM \_\_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Name: ☐ Medically eligible for all sports without restriction ☐ Medically eligible for all sports without restriction with recommendations for further evaluation or treatment of ☐ Medically eligible for certain sports ☐ Not medically eligible pending further evaluation □ Not medically eligible for any sports Recommendations: \_\_\_\_ I have examined the student named on this form and completed the preparticipation physical evaluation. The athlete does not have apparent clinical contraindications to practice and can participate in the sport(s) as outlined on this form. A copy of the physical examination findings are on record in my office and can be made available to the school at the request of the parents. If conditions arise after the athlete has been cleared for participation, the physician may rescind the medical eligibility until the problem is resolved and the potential consequences are completely explained to the athlete (and parents or guardians). \_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of health care professional: \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_, MD, DO, NP, or PA SHARED EMERGENCY INFORMATION Allergies: \_\_\_ Medications: \_\_\_ Other information: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency contacts: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Gfeller-Waller NCHSAA Student-Athlete & Parent/Legal Custodian Concussion Information Sheet

What is a concussion? A concussion is an injury to the brain caused by a direct or indirect blow to the head. It results in your brain not working as it should. It may or may not cause you to black out or pass out. It can happen to you from a fall, a hit to the head, or a hit to the body that causes your head and your brain to move quickly back and forth.

**How do I know if I have a concussion?** There are many signs and symptoms that you may have following a concussion. A concussion can affect your thinking, the way your body feels, your mood, or your sleep. Here is what to look for:

Thinking/Remembering	Physical	Emotional/Mood	Sleep
Difficulty thinking clearly	Headache	Irritability-things bother you	Sleeping more than usual
Taking longer to figure things out	Fuzzy or blurry vision	more easily Sadness	Sleeping less than usual
Difficulty concentrating	Feeling sick to your stomach/queasy	Being more moody	Trouble falling asleep
Difficulty remembering new information	Vomiting/throwing up	,	Feeling tired
	Dizziness	Feeling nervous or worried  Crying more	
	Balance problems	erying mere	
	Sensitivity to noise or light		

Table is adapted from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (http://www.cdc.gov/concussion/)

What should I do if I think I have a concussion? If you are having any of the signs or symptoms listed above, you should tell your parents, coach, athletic trainer or school nurse so they can get you the help you need. If a parent notices these symptoms, they should inform the school nurse or athletic trainer.

When should I be particularly concerned? If you have a headache that gets worse over time, you are unable to control your body, you throw up repeatedly or feel more and more sick to your stomach, or your words are coming out funny/slurred, you should let an adult like your parent or coach or teacher know right away, so they can get you the help you need before things get any worse.

What are some of the problems that may affect me after a concussion? You may have trouble in some of your classes at school or even with activities at home. If you continue to play or return to play too early with a concussion, you may have long term trouble remembering things or paying attention, headaches may last a long time, or personality changes can occur Once you have a concussion, you are more likely to have another concussion.

How do I know when it's ok to return to physical activity and my sport after a concussion? After telling your coach, your parents, and any medical personnel around that you think you have a concussion, you will probably be seen by a doctor trained in helping people with concussions. Your school and your parents can help you decide who is best to treat you and help to make the decision on when you should return to activity/play or practice. Your school will have a policy in place for how to treat concussions. You should not return to play or practice on the same day as your suspected concussion.

You should not have any symptoms at rest or during/after activity when you return to play, as this is a sign your brain has not recovered from the injury.

This information is provided to you by the UNC Matthew Gfeller Sport-Related TBI Research Center, North Carolina Medical Society, North Carolina Athletic Trainers' Association, Brain Injury Association of North Carolina, North Carolina Neuropsychological Society, and North Carolina High School Athletic Association.

## Gfeller-Waller NCHSAA Student-Athlete & Parent/Legal Custodian Concussion Statement Form

Instructions: The student athlete and his/her parent or legal custodian, must initial beside each statement acknowledging that they have read and understand the corresponding statement. The student-athlete should initial in the left column and the parent or legal custodian should initial in the right column. Some statements are applicable only to the student-athlete and should only be initialed by the student-athlete. This form must be completed for each student-athlete, even if there are multiple student-athletes in the household.

Student-	Athlete Name: (please print)	
Parent/Le	egal Custodian Name(s): (please print)	
Student- Athlete Initials		Parent/Legal Custodian(s) Initials
	A concussion is a brain injury, which should be reported to my parent(s) or legal custodian(s), my or my child's coach(es), or a medical professional if one is available.	
	A concussion cannot be "seen." Some signs and symptoms might be present immediately; however, other symptoms can appear hours or days after an injury.	
	I will tell my parents, my coach and/or a medical professional about my injuries and illnesses.	Not Applicable
	If I think a teammate has a concussion, I should tell my coach(es), parent(s)/ legal custodian(s) or medical professional about the concussion.	Not Applicable
	I, or my child, will not return to play in a game or practice if a hit to my, or my child's, head or body causes any concussion-related symptoms.	
	I, or my child, will need written permission from a medical professional trained in concussion management to return to play or practice after a concussion.	
	Based on the latest data, most concussions take days or weeks to get better. A concussion may not go away, right away. I realize that resolution from a concussion is a process that may require more than one medical visit.	
	I realize that ER/Urgent Care physicians will not provide clearance to return to play or practice, if seen immediately or shortly after the injury.	
	After a concussion, the brain needs time to heal. I understand that I or my child is much more likely to have another concussion or more serious brain injury if return to play or practice occurs before concussion symptoms go away.	
	Sometimes, repeat concussions can cause serious and long-lasting problems.	
	I have read the concussion symptoms listed on the Student-Athlete/ Parent Legal Custodian Concussion Information Sheet.	
	I have asked an adult and/or medical professional to explain any information contained in the Student-Athlete & Parent Concussion Statement Form or Information Sheet that I do not understand.	
	ng below, we agree that we have read and understand the information contained & Parent/Legal Custodian Concussion Statement Form, and have initialed approtement.	
Signatur	e of Student-Athlete Date	
Signatur	e of Parent/Legal Custodian Date	

**Revised:** February 2021 – Approved for use in current or upcoming school year.

#### **Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools Interscholastic Athletics**

### **Student-Parent Honor Code**



STUDENT'S NAME (print):SCHOOL (print):		SPORT:		GRADE:	
	JSTODIAN/ LEGAL GUARDIAN/ HARDSHIP CAREGIVER NAME (print):				
	ICILE (print):				
	Number & Street	City/To	wn, State	Zip Code	
/lecklenburg Scho	ligibility requirements for the student named on the Honor Code cols. If I had questions, the school athletic director answered the nature acknowledge that:				
Student-Athlete Initials				Parent, Legal Custodian, Legal Guardian or Hardship Caregive Initials	
N/A	I am the parent, legal custodian or legal guardian of the student designated as the Hardship Caregiver by the CMS Student Place		een		
	ALL information I am providing on this Honor Code is the truth. provided above. I understand that lying is cheating.	My correct and current ad	ldress is		
	The address listed on this form, and provided to the school registrar & school athletic director where the student is enrolled, is where I actually live at the present time.				
	I currently live in the attendance area for the school listed on thi assigned to the school listed on the Honor Code through the student received a transfer to the school.				
	I am not aware of any other students or parents who have giver can participate on an athletic team.	S so they			
	I will immediately report all suspected athletic eligibility violation director at the school listed on this honor code.				
	I am aware that if I provide false information concerning athletic not report information about known athletic eligibility falsification penalized by the North Carolina High School Athletic Association Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools. I may lose the privilege of partiand my team may have to forfeit contests.	ns of others that I may be on (high school only) and b	ру	N/A	
N/A	I am aware that if I provide false information concerning athletic information about known athletic eligibility falsifications of others address with the school registrar and athletic director the studenter athletic team may be penalized by the North Carolina High school only) and by Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools, including in athletics for 365 days and the team may have to forfeit conternal.	s; and/or do not update m nt-athlete listed above and School Athletic Associatio osing the privilege of parti	d his or n (high		
Signature of Stud	lent Listed Above			Date	
Signature of Pare	ent, Legal Custodian, Legal Guardian or Hardship Caregiver Listo	ed Above		Date	

### MIDDLE SCHOOL FOOTBALL ONLY GREEN FORM

#### **NOTICE AND RELEASE**

IMPORTANT: THIS NOTICE AND RELEASE MUST BE SIGNED AND

RETURNED <u>BEFORE</u> YOUR STUDENT-ATHLETE CAN PARTICIPATE IN THE MIDDLE SCHOOL FOOTBALL

PROGRAM.

**To:** Parents of students interested in participating in the Middle School

Football Program

**Subject:** Student Accident Insurance – Middle School Football

Please read this Notice and Release carefully and make sure that you understand its provisions <u>before</u> deciding whether to permit your student-athlete to participate in the Middle School Football Program.

- 1. The Charlotte-Mecklenburg School System provides accident insurance in the amount of \$25,000 at no charge for all students participating in the Middle School Football Program. The Middle School Football accident insurance benefits provided by the school system will pay only toward those covered expenses in excess of expenses recoverable from other insurance. This means that any applicable personal insurance that you may carry would apply first, and the Middle School Football Accident Insurance would apply only to those covered expenses not paid by your other insurance. If you do not have other insurance, the Middle School Football Accident Insurance will pay toward covered expenses up to \$25,000.
- 2. There are limitations under the Middle School Football Accident Insurance coverage. It will not always pay all of the charges incurred for every accident. This insurance only provides certain benefits for injury or loss due to practicing and playing in the Middle School Football program. For a summary of the coverage benefits, please refer to the Student Accident Insurance Information (for Middle School Football) that has been furnished to each student interested in participating in the Middle School Football Program. If you did not receive the information or if you have questions about the insurance coverage provided to participants in the Middle School Football Program, contact the Athletic Director/Coach where your student-athlete is enrolled.
- 3. Every player is required by the National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations (NFSHSAA) regulations to wear a mouth guard. An additional \$150.00 per sound natural tooth is available for any player who sustains injuries to their teeth as a result of the failure of the mouth guard, provided that they were wearing the required mouth guard at the time of the injury.

PLEASE COMPLETE THE BACK OF THE FORM

### MIDDLE SCHOOL FOOTBALL ONLY GREEN FORM

- 4. To be eligible for practice or participation in the Middle School Football Program, each participant must receive an **ANNUAL MEDICAL EXAMINATION** and return a physical examination form each calendar year (every 395 days) signed by a physician licensed to practice medicine.
- 5. Neither the Board of Education nor any of its employees assumes any responsibility for claims resulting from injury to your Student Athlete while they are participating in the Middle School Football Program. This means that you will have to pay for any medical expenses not covered by the Middle School Football Accident Insurance, any personal insurance coverage that you might have and/or any other applicable insurance.

Student Accident Insurance information for the Middle School Insurance coverage. I also state that prior to signing this do opportunity to ask questions and that my questions have be satisfaction. I acknowledge that neither the Board of Educatemployees assumes any responsibility for claims resulting from Athlete while they are participating in the Middle School Footonsideration of my Student-Athlete being permitted to partic Football Program, I hereby waive, release, and forever disconsideration from injuries to my Student-Athlete due to their participating from injuries from	, (print name) hereby state that I a read and understand the provisions of this Notice and Release as well as the ent Accident Insurance information for the Middle School Football Accident rance coverage. I also state that prior to signing this document, I have had an ortunity to ask questions and that my questions have been answered to my faction. I acknowledge that neither the Board of Education nor any of its loyees assumes any responsibility for claims resulting from injury to my Student-ete while they are participating in the Middle School Football Program. In dideration of my Student-Athlete being permitted to participate in the Middle School ball Program, I hereby waive, release, and forever discharge the Charlotte-klenburg Board of Education and its employees from any responsibility for claims liting from injuries to my Student-Athlete due to their participation in the Middle bool Football Program. I also state that my Student-Athlete has received a Medical mination and has returned a physical examination form in compliance with the police orth in paragraph 4 of this Notice and Release. I certify that I consent to have my ent-Athlete participate in the Middle School Football Program offered at their incl.	
SIGNED: (Parent or Legal Guardian)	Date	
Address:		
Student's Full Name:		
School:		

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#### **NOTICE AND RELEASE**

IMPORTANT: THIS NOTICE AND RELEASE MUST BE SIGNED AND

RETURNED BEFORE YOUR SON/DAUGHTER CAN

PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROGRAM.

**TO:** Parents of students interested in participating in Athletics

**SUBJECT:** Student Accident Insurance for Athletics

SPORT (S):

Please read this Notice and Release carefully and make sure that you understand its provisions <u>before</u> deciding whether to permit your son or daughter to participate in middle or senior high athletics.

- 1. Board of Education policy requires that the Student Accident Insurance offered by the school system, will be <u>required</u> for all students participating in middle and senior high school athletics <u>unless an insurance waiver form is signed by the parent indicating adequate personal insurance and releasing the Board of Education and its employees from responsibility for any claim due to injuries received while participating in a school sponsored athletic program.</u>
- 2. There are limitations in the Student Accident Insurance coverage. IT WILL NOT ALWAYS PAY ALL OF THE CHARGES INCURRED FOR EVERY ACCIDENT. For a summary of the coverage and benefits provided by the Student Accident Insurance, please read the current Student Accident Insurance Brochure that was furnished to each student at the beginning of the school year. If you did not receive the brochure or if you have questions about the insurance coverage provided under the policy, contact the Athletic Director at the school where your son/daughter is enrolled.
- 3. To be eligible for practice or participation in any school athletic program, each participant must receive an **ANNUAL MEDICAL EXAMINATION** and return a physical examination form each calendar year (every 395 days) signed by a physician licensed to practice medicine.
- 4. Neither the Board of Education nor any of its employees assumes any responsibility for claims resulting from injury to your son/daughter while he or she is participating in the school athletic program. This means that you will have to pay for any medical expenses not covered by the Student Accident Insurance, any personal insurance coverage that you might have and/or any other applicable insurance.

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have read and understand the provisions of this Notice and R Student Accident Insurance Brochure. I further state that prior I have had an opportunity to ask questions and that my question my satisfaction. I acknowledge that neither the Board of Edemployees assumes any responsibility for claims resulting fro son/daughter while he or she is participating in the school ath WAIVE, RELEASE, AND DISCHARGE the Charlotte-Meckle and its employees from any responsibility for claims resulting son/daughter due to his or her participation in this athletic promy son/daughter has received a MEDICAL EXAMINATION at examination form in compliance with the policy set forth in parand Release. I certify that I consent to have my son/daughter athletic activity as identified on this Notice and Release. I ma representation and selection (check one, sign and return prome	or to signing this document, ions have been answered ducation nor any of its om injury to my letic program. I HEREBY nburg Board of Education from injuries to my gram. I hereby certify that and has returned a physical ragraph 3 of this Notice of participate in school like the following
I have adequate personal insurance that will consustained by my son/daughter as a result of his/school athletics. I understand that in the event rany injuries as a result of his/her participation in responsible for payment of medical expenses or by any personal insurance.  My son/daughter has enrolled in the Student Action/, and I understand that in son/daughter sustains any injuries as a result of school athletics, I am responsible for payment of other items not covered by the Student Accident	Ther participation in the my son/daughter sustains school athletics, I am rother items not covered scident Insurance Program the event my his/her participation in fany medical expenses or
SIGNED: (Parent or Legal Guardian)ADDRESS:STUDENT'S FULL NAME:	



## Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools Application for Waiver of Athletic Participation Fee

In June 2010, the Board of Education approved participation fees for middle and high school athletic teams. Middle school students pay a fee of \$75.00 and high school students pay a fee of \$125.00 for each interscholastic sports season in which they participate on one or more teams. Payment of this fee is required by a deadline which is established for each sports season.

In June 2014, the Board of Education approved CMS to participate in the federal Community Eligibility Provision (CEP). The CEP eliminates the need for a district to qualify students for free and reduced price meals and track which students are participating. Students are identified as directly certified (through data matching) for free meals because they live in households that participate in Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TNAF), or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR), as well as children who are qualified for free schools meals without submitting a school meal application because of their status as being in foster care, enrolled in Head Start, homeless, runaway, or migrant students.

Students identified as directly certified are eligible to have their participation fee waived. No other students are eligible for this fee waiver. Each applicant's directly certified status is current and must be verified by Child Nutrition Services. Each applicant's waiver form must be accompanied by a current copy of the CMS Child Nutrition meal eligibility letter or a benefits letter from DSS before the athletic participation fee can be waived. If you wish to apply for a fee waiver, please fill out the information below and return this form to your child's athletic director or athletic coach. Partially completed forms will not be accepted. A separate form must be filled out for each student-athlete for whom a waiver is requested. Name of student Student ID number School Parent/guardian name \_\_\_\_\_ Address Number/Street City, State, Zip I hereby apply for a waiver of the CMS athletic participation fee and affirm the information provided on and with this application is accurate. I understand my Athletic Director is authorized to view the waiver information.

Date

May 2020

Parent/Guardian (Print Name)

Parent/guardian signature



# Student-Athlete & Parent/Guardian Confirmation of Signed Athletic Eligibility Forms

My signature below confirms I read forms noted below. In addition, Lei	d, understand a	nd completed in ful	If the on-line athletic eligibility		
forms noted below. In addition, I en			(file name)		
to(school athletic director)	on	(date)	<del>.</del>		
My signature also confirms the info truthful. I understand false and/or i period for the student-athlete who same legal effect and can be ent my name in the packet; I am elec	inaccurate informations in signs below. Inforced in the safet	mation may result i understand that a ame way as a writ	n a 365-day athletic ineligibility n electronic signature has the ten signature and by typing:		
Student-Athlete Signature			Date		
Print Name					
Parent/Guardian Signature			Date		
Print Name			<del></del>		
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2021-22	All Other Sports	Insurance-Blue Fo	orm		
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