



Thomas A. Stewart S.S. Athletics

Student Athlete Contract

The following POLICIES AND EXPECTATIONS must be strictly adhered to:

- 1) It is the expectation Thomas A. Stewart Student Athletes will represent themselves and the school in a responsible manner as outlined in TAS Code of Conduct and the Kawartha District/OFSAA Code of Behaviour for participants and spectators (School Website).
- 2) In addition to team fees, all Student athletes **must** pay a \$30.00 Griffin Athletic Fee for their first team and \$10.00 Griffin Athletic Fee for each additional team/sport. The Griffin Athletic Fee is used to fund extra transportation costs, uniforms, an athletic banquet and athletic awards.
- 3) Student Athletes must fully attend school on the day of practice and competition. Student Athletes must sign in at the office with a **valid** reason for absence/late (ie. Orthodontist Appointment). Failure to do so will result in being ineligible for the competition.
- 4) Student Athletes are to follow dismissal times from class as directed by their coach and are required to go directly to the playing area or designated transportation departure point.
- 5) Student Athletes who miss practice must recognize that it **will** affect their playing time and possibly their status with the team. Players must report to their coaches **directly** about missing any team event. Sending a message with someone else is not acceptable.
- 6) Student Athletes must recognize and accept their role on a team as outlined by coaches. Being a member of a team does not mean equal playing time.
- 7) Student Athletes recognize team commitment. TAS Athletic policy states that students may be denied participation on future teams if they leave a team for unacceptable reasons. Students are encouraged to talk to their coach if such a situation arises. Each case will be reviewed by the School Principal, Vice Principal, Athletic Director and Coach if a resolution between athlete and coach is not reached.
- 8) Kawartha District and COSSA athletic organizations have a zero tolerance fighting policy. Student athletes involved in fighting will be dealt with by both the athletic organization and school administration. Consequences could include suspension from school and athletic suspension for up to a year.
- 9) Student Athletes while visiting other schools must adhere to the Behaviour Policies of the Host School in addition to the TAS Code of Conduct (ie. No hats, staying out of hallways).

The Athletic Department and School Administration reserves the right to revoke student eligibility at any time if these policies are not adhered to!

Student Name _____ Student Signature _____

Parent Name _____ Parent Signature _____

Date _____