



# *Immaculate Conception School*

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## **PARENT/PLAYER CONTRACT**

My child and I have read and understand the DPL Sportsmanship Code for Parents, Players, Students and Spectators which the DPL and Immaculate Conception School functions. I agree to abide by all the regulations stated therein and to require my child(ren) to do the same. I understand such an agreement includes complying with standards of attitudes, social behavior, academic behavior and uniform requirements. I understand that Immaculate Conception School (and Principal) reserves the right to amend this Code of Conduct at any time. Parents will be given prompt notification if changes are made.

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**Date**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Parent or Guardian Signature**

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**PRINT Name of Parent or Guardian**

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**Student Signature**

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**PRINT Name of Student**

# DPL Sportsmanship Code for Parents, Students and Spectators

**\*This code is to be considered supplemental to each school's expectation for conduct of its community.**

- ❖ Interscholastic competition exists for students to foster sportsmanship, leadership and teamwork; fans should set the example of good sportsmanship.
- ❖ Every child is equally important.
- ❖ Fans should always conduct themselves as an example of Christian behavior.
- ❖ Fans should support and encourage in everything they do and say; they should never verbally assault others.
- ❖ The only people who talk to officials during a competition are the coaches or administrators, not fans or parents.
- ❖ The only people who talk to coaches during a competition are the other coaches, officials or student participants, never parents or fans.
- ❖ The only people who talk to players during a competition are the coaches, officials or student participants, never parents or fans.
- ❖ Understand and follow the distinctions: the coach's role is to coach, the officials' role is to officiate, the player's role is to respectfully participate; the fan's role is to support.
- ❖ Remember that coaches and officials are human.
- ❖ Remember to do all for the glory of God.
- ❖ Conduct which falls outside that listed at practice is subject to disciplinary measures from the school.
- ❖ Conduct which falls outside that listed at a game is subject to disciplinary measures from the DPL.

# DPL Sportsmanship Code for Players

**\*This code is to be considered supplemental to each school's expectation for conduct of its students.**

- ❖ Interscholastic competition exists for students to foster sportsmanship, leadership and teamwork; students should set the example of good sportsmanship as set forth by their parents, guardians, and coaches.
- ❖ Students should stay physically fit so as to do be able to do their best in all situations.
- ❖ Student should make every effort to attend all practices and give 100%.
- ❖ Students should maintain their eligibility by successfully completing all of their required coursework. Students must remember their priorities: (1) God, (2) family, (3) academics and (4) extra-curricular activities.
- ❖ Students are to comply with all school and league rules and directives as given by their coaches and teachers.
- ❖ Every player is equally important to a team. Players should positively encourage all teammates to do their best.
- ❖ Players should always conduct themselves as an example of Christian behavior, both at the field/court and away from it.
- ❖ Players should address concerns to their coaches in a calm manner during games.
- ❖ Players should respect officials and opponents at all times, for without them, there would be no game.
- ❖ Remember to do all for the glory of God.
- ❖ Conduct which falls outside that listed at practice is subject to disciplinary measures from the school.
- ❖ Conduct which falls outside that listed at a game is subject to disciplinary measures from the DPL.

# Immaculate Conception Athletic Covenant

To ensure the athletic experience at Immaculate Conception Catholic School is a positive experience for our student-athletes as well as parents and volunteer coaches, and to ensure a Christ like environment, we ask you to commit to the following:

- 1) Encourage athletes on all teams.
- 2) Keep all comments positive whether on the field or in the stands.
- 3) Only players and coaches are permitted on field/court, unless prior approval of athletic director.
- 4) To ensure consistency and strategy of the game as well as specific rules, please respect the coaches ability to direct the Student-Athlete during games and practices.
- 5) Criticizing or using abusive language toward officials, coaches and opponents will not be tolerated.
- 6) Parents are responsible for all family members and friends attending the games. Please do not leave children unattended.
- 11) As stated in the Athletic Handbook, parents and students may not challenge final team placement in any sports needing student-athlete evaluations.

PLEASE SIGN AS A CONDITION OF YOUR CHILD'S PARTICIPATION IN ATHLETICS AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL.

Parent's/Guardian's  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's/Guardian's Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name and Grade: \_\_\_\_\_