

**LAWRENCE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
TRYOUT and PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT FOR ACTIVITIES, ATHLETICS, SPIRIT SQUADS
2022-2023**

All decisions involving playing time, position designations, and lettering criteria are the sole decision of the coaches involved in that program.

All candidates selected during a tryout process will be chosen by the designated judges or coaches in attendance at the tryout site. In the event a candidate is able to participate in only a portion of the tryout or is unable to complete the entire tryout, it will be at the discretion of the coach or sponsor and his/her assistants as to whether the candidate will be selected as a member of the team or performing group.

Coaches or sponsors must be informed of any injury, illness, or any other reason that would prevent a candidate from participating in tryouts prior to the tryouts. In addition, membership on a team or activity in a previous year or season does *not* guarantee membership during the current year or season.

All sports/spirit squads require a participation fee of \$50.00* per sport/activity and a fee of \$25.00* for an activity ticket. The participation and activity ticket fees help offset the cost of the athletic program and will not have any effect on an athlete's amount of playing time. DO NOT PAY FEES UNTIL THEY HAVE BEEN ASSESSED ON POWER SCHOOL

STUDENT ATHLETE: By electronically signing this form I agree to fulfill the duties, obligations, and follow all rules and requirements to be a member of my chosen school sponsored team or group. I understand the necessity of good sportsmanship and cooperation with the other team members, coaches, sponsors, teachers and school officials. I will do my best to represent my school. I understand that, in the event I am not able to participate in or complete the tryout, my coach or sponsor shall make the final determination with regard to my membership on the team or group.

I understand that membership on a team or activity in a previous year or season does *not* guarantee membership during the current year or season and that decisions involving playing me, position designations, and lettering criteria are the sole decision of the coaches involved in that program.

X _____

Date: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN: By electronically signing this form I agree I understand there are rules and regulations for my child to be a member of a school sponsored team or group. I will do my best to cooperate with and support coaches, sponsors, teachers and school officials. I will help my child to maintain or exceed the requirements and obligations as stated for each group or activity. I understand that, in the event my child is physically unable to participate in or complete the tryouts, the coach and sponsor shall make the final determination with regard to membership on the team or group.

I understand that membership on a team or activity in a previous year or season does *not* guarantee membership during the current year or season and that decisions involving playing time, position designations, and lettering criteria are the sole decision of the coaches involved in that program.

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Date: _____

**Fees are subject to change. All activity ticket and participation fees are set by LPS. Each sport may have associated out-of-pocket expenses not covered by the activity ticket and participation fees. Some of these out-of-pocket expenses may be required for participation.*