



Navajo Prep Athletics Parent Expectations



The parents will communicate fairly and openly with coaches by:

- Communicating openly, honestly, and with respect.
- Communicating issues and concerns in a timely manner including those of physical and emotional well-being on behalf of their student.
- Attending parent meetings and reading information disseminated by the coaches.
- Following an appropriate chain of communication such as:
 - Parent and Coach/Assistant Coach
 - Parent and Athletic Director
 - Parent/Principal/Superintendent

Parent 24 Hour Policy

A parent will refrain from communicating with a coach regarding playing time within 24 hours of competition. Parents may schedule a time to meet with the coach to discuss what your child needs to improve on. If parent is not satisfied, a meeting with the Athletic Director will be scheduled. Please follow the proper chain of communication stated above.

The parents will demonstrate good sportsmanship by displaying the following behaviors:

- Providing support for coaches and officials in order to provide a positive, enjoyable experience for all student athletes.
- Understanding the game is for the students and not for the adults.
- Recognizing that student participation in athletics is a privilege.
- Using good sportsmanship as a spectator and conduct themselves in a manner that reflects well on both the team and the school.
- Promoting the team by being supportive and helpful of the school program.
- Refraining from coaching their student from the stands or sidelines.
- Expecting consistent student attendance at practices and games.

The parents will create a positive and supportive environment to promote their student/athlete's well-being by:

- Supporting good conditioning and healthy life style habits.
- Placing the emotional and physical well-being of their student ahead of any personal desire to win.
- Expecting their student to play in a safe and healthy environment.
- Supporting their student in planning how to meet their academic responsibilities given the demands of training and practice.
- Being a role model for other parents by remaining positive at sporting events.

Parent Signature

Date