

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITY CODE

Activity Code

The Richfield Joint School District No. 1 expects that students involved in co-curricular activities will be leaders in our school. These students should conduct themselves in such a way as to assure respect for themselves, for the co-curricular program, and for our school. Organizational rules for particular activities shall be communicated to participants and parents/guardians by the respective coaches/advisors.

As a member of a co-curricular group, the following rules will be enforced:

Scholastic:

Students must sit out one contest per D or F grade earned on the mid-term progress report. Students must sit out the next immediate contest(s)

Students must sit out one contest per D earned on the end-of-trimester report card. Students must sit out the next immediate contest(s).

Students earning a grade of F on the end-of-trimester report card will become ineligible for a three week period. Students may participate in practices during this time. At the end of the three week period, the student's grade will be reviewed. After the three week period, students who are able to earn and maintain a grade of C or better will be fully reinstated; those who are unable to earn and maintain a grade of C or better will be removed from all team activities for the remainder of the season.

Under certain circumstances the student may work out a contract with the parent, coach, and district administrator, or designee, to become eligible or remain eligible for the current season of activity.

School Attendance

A student must be in regular attendance for the entire day on the day of a contest or activity.

Co-Curricular Attendance

An unexcused absence is one that the coach/advisor is not informed as to why a student is not at a practice, meeting, or contest. Where applicable, after two unexcused absences the student has to sit out one contest. After three unexcused absences the student is dismissed from the group.

Conduct

For the second, and each subsequent major behavioral infraction, students will be required to sit out a single contest per infraction. Students must sit out the next immediate contest(s).

Students receiving an in-school suspension will be ineligible to participate in the next two contests for the first offense and the remainder of the academic year for additional suspensions. Students receiving an out-of school suspension will be ineligible to participate in the next three contests for the first offense and the remainder of the academic year for additional suspensions. Under certain circumstances during the school year, if a student uses, or is in possession of tobacco, alcohol, or any other illegal substance, he/she will be dismissed from the group/team and will be ineligible to participate in any group/team for a period of six calendar months.

Team/Group Dismissal

If a student misses four contests because of unexcused absences or school conduct he/she will be dismissed from all co-curricular activities for the remainder of that season (fall, winter, or spring).

Extenuating Circumstances

Extenuating circumstances may be given special consideration by the co-curricular director.

Participation Fees

Students are required to pay a participation fee for certain activities, unless they are exempt.