Lexington School for the Deaf Athletics

Dear Parents/Guardians,

I hope all is well with you! This letter is to request permission for your son/daughter to participate in the upcoming 2019-2020 Varsity Sports. Attached is the checklist of all sports that your child plans to participate. We will start the Soccer and Volleyball training camp on Monday, August 19 for two weeks before school starts on September 4th. Student-athletes attending practices is MANDATORY. If your child is an entering sophomore or above, they are required to complete the letter, otherwise they are unable to participate in the Athletics program. Our teams and student-athletes must complete specific number of practices before competing in their first game. If your child is an entering freshman, they are allowed to as soon as they complete all forms.

To be eligible to participate in our Athletic Program, your son/daughter MUST have a completed annual physical checkup. All medical forms should be completed and submitted to the Lexington Health Services on or before Friday, June 14 for review and approval to participate. (Not applicable to freshmen)

In the event the Lexington Health Office does not receive your completed medical forms from your physician, the Lexington Health Services will begin to schedule medical appointments for your son/daughter. (Not applicable to freshmen)

To be eligible to participate in the Lexington Athletics program, your son/daughter has to meet or exceed the expectations that Lexington has set for the code of conduct and academics. Here in Lexington, we value academics and your son/daughter’s personal growth on character.

This packet includes (Please read each forms carefully):

Parental Permission – to be signed by Parent/Guardian. Please submit this form to the Athletic Director. It is DUE on or before June 19th. (Not applicable to freshmen)

Student Medical Form: – to be completed by Parent/Guardian and Student. Please submit this form to the Athletic Director. It is DUE on or before June 19th. (Not applicable to freshmen)

Concussion Facts and Information: for Parents and Student Athletes. You keep this information for reference.

Concussion Policy:
Any student may be removed from activity during a practice or game due to a suspected concussion at the discretion of the student’s Coaches and or Athletic Director. Parents are required to pick up the student from the practice or game and see a doctor as soon as possible. Any student removed from activity due to a suspected concussion must receive written and signed authorization from a physician so we can begin steps in the concussion protocol. As always, your student’s safety is our primary concern.

It is important for you to know where your son/daughter is after school. If you have any questions or concerns regarding to the after school Athletic Program, do not hesitate to contact me at:

Email: csorrentino@lexnyc.org (best way to contact me)
Phone: 347-681-0723 (Text Only, please)
Video Phone: 917.832.1749 (please leave a message through a relay interpreter)

Sincerely,

Carl G. Sorrentino
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