



Immanuel Athletics Department

Parent Consent & Acknowledgement of Policies & Procedures

- I have read the athletic handbook of Immanuel Lutheran School 2024-2025 and am aware of the policies and procedures outlined in the manual.
- I believe that my child is physically fit to participate in the athletic program at Immanuel Lutheran School for the upcoming school year.
- I realize that transportation to off-site practices and away contests is my obligation and responsibility. If I cannot transport my child, it is my responsibility to find their transportation.
- I, as a legal guardian, give permission for my child to participate in the athletic program at Immanuel Lutheran School for the 2024-2025 school year.
- I understand that it is my responsibility to serve in the athletic concession stand for each student athlete I have participating in ILS athletics and to make one non-monetary donation that shift.
- I will cheer in a positive manner exhibiting Christ-like behavior.
- I will attend parent meetings for each sport prior to the start of the season.
- I will supervise my other children at all times at home and away games.
- I will drop off/pick up my child on time for practices and games.
- I will be a role model for my child by positively supporting teams and by not shouting instructions or criticism to the players, coaches, and officials.
- I will release my child to the coach, the team, and the sport. I will support my child in their efforts.
- I will let the coaches coach. I will resist the temptation to coach before, during, or after the contest. I will support the coaching staff and their instruction of my child.
- I will never approach a coach, athlete, official, or school official during the competition.
- I will discuss concerns with the coach only if my child has already addressed these concerns with the coach. I will never address the coach during or immediately after a contest. I will make an appointment to meet with the coach. I will make an appointment with the Athletic Director if more clarity is needed.
- I will maintain the Matthew 18 principle of going directly to the source of my concerns if there are issues, being mindful to first bring my concerns before the Lord in prayer.
- If my student athlete takes issue with a coaching decision, I will advise them to talk to their coach regarding their feelings.
- I will maintain perspective and be in control of my emotions.
- I will refrain from making derogatory comments while in a public place or on social media, and will support the program while in the presence of my student athlete and other fans.
- I will focus on the effort of the student athletes, not on the outcome.
- I will pray with my student athlete to encourage them to glorify their Lord and Savior on and off the playing field.
- Non-compliance could result in not being allowed to attend athletic events.

Parent/Guardian (print name) _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____