

Dear Student-Athletes and Parents

Thank you for your interest in participating in the New West Charter School Athletics Program. We strongly believe that participation in athletics provides many opportunities to enhance the core values of New West Charter School.

In conjunction with the California Interscholastic Federation Los Angeles City Section (CIF-LACS), the Athletic Department sets policies and procedures that govern the spirit of competition at New West Charter School. These rules need a broad base of parental support, which can only be achieved through proactive communication. This document will attempt to address that objective and answer questions that you may have about your child's participation in the Athletics Program.

Competing in a sport at New West Charter School is considered a privilege. Participation carries certain responsibilities on and off the field and campus. A great athletic tradition is built through hard work by many people, over many years. You and your student-athlete are a valued part of building that tradition here at New West Charter. In just a few short years, New West Athletics has become a well-respected program in the greater Los Angeles area.

Please read this document and attached paperwork thoroughly, and then discuss it with your student-athlete(s). The athletic packet forms must be on file with the Athletics Department prior to your child's participation in any sport at New West Charter.

I look forward to another very successful year in New West Charter Athletics. Go Eagles!

Ryan Campbell
Athletic Director
New West Charter School
CIF Los Angeles City Section - Crosstown League

Tryouts

- Each student-athlete must go through the entire tryout process and be chosen to be on a team.
- In order to be eligible to tryout for any team, **ALL** required paperwork must be completed and turned in to Coach Campbell.

Eligibility

- Must have a 2.5 GPA at Mid-Terms and at each Semester.
- Fall Sports - eligibility will be determined by previous year Semester 2 grades.

Paperwork

- Must be completed and cleared in order to tryout, **NO EXCEPTIONS**. CIF Bylaw.
- Physicals must be completed by a medical physician and **STAMPED**, dated and valid for the entire school year.
- Copies and faxes will not be accepted. Has to be an original copy on NWC approved forms only. All information needs to be filled out to its entirety.

Medical Insurance

- All students must have valid medical insurance to participate.
- The student's name must be on the copy of the card and turned in or you can request a letter of eligibility from your insurance carrier if they do not provide cards for dependents.
- School insurance may also be purchased.

Character

- 1 Referral = 1 game suspension
- 2 Referrals = Dismissal from team
- Cell Phone and Uniform Policy – Up to 3 times on each list. First time offense = 1 game suspension, 2nd offense = 2 game suspension, 3rd time offense = dismissal from team.

Commitment

- 5 missed practices = dismissal from team
- 3 missed games = dismissal from team
- Only excused absences will be awarded (doctor's note, teacher's note etc.)
- Everything else is considered an unexcused absence

Period 6 Sports Teams

- All athletes are expected to enroll in the Period 6 class if you are on **ANY** of the NWC athletic teams.
- This will help give you extra training and practice time.
- It will also help ensure that you do not miss as much class time during your season and throughout the year.
- Counts as 1 year of PE credit.

HS Sports Offered with Coaches and Tryout Information

Fall Sports

Sport	Varsity	JV	Coaches	Tryout Info
Girls Volleyball	Yes	Yes	Cazarez, Gutierrez	Week of August 21
Cross Country	Yes	Yes	Estanislao, Schlee	Week of August 21

Winter Sports

Sport	Varsity	JV	Coaches	Tryout Info
Boys Basketball	Yes	Yes	Campbell	Week of September 11
Girls Basketball	Yes	Maybe	Isrow	Week of September 11
Boys Soccer	Yes	Maybe	Gutierrez	Week of September 18
Girls Soccer	Yes	Maybe	Cazarez	Week of September 18

Spring Sports

Sport	Varsity	JV	Coaches	Tryout Info
Boys Volleyball	Yes	Yes	Dioso	January/February
Track & Field	Yes	Yes	Ayers, Estanislao, Isrow	January/February