St. Peter Cathedral School

VARSITY ACADEMIC ATHLETIC/ACTIVITY POLICY

Absentees: If a student is absent, (s)he will NOT be permitted to participate in a practice or a game on the same day (s)he was ill. If a student is too ill for gym (s)he may NOT take part in practice nor a game that day. If a student has served an ISS (In School Suspension) (s)he may not participate in a game or practice on that day.

Grades will be checked each week for all students participating in athletics in Grades 5 to 8.
Students in grades 7 & 8 who receive a **letter grade of U** in any subject area during the sport's season will be placed on probation for a period of one week (5 school days.)

During a probation period, the student is **not** permitted to participate in practice or games, including playoffs and tournaments.

If required, a conference with the respective student, teacher, principal, parents, and coach will be scheduled to discuss the failing grade(s).

If a student does not improve during the probation period, (s)he will be placed on another one week (5 school days) suspension. This will continue until the student no longer has a failing grade(s).

Once the student is successful in improving his/her grades or behavior, (s)he will be permitted to participate in the respective sport.

Behavior issues are similar. It will be at the teachers' discretion as to behaviors that warrant a suspension. Certainly one incident will not result in suspension, but if behavior is a constant and disruptive force, the procedure will be the same as above.

At the beginning of each sport season, this policy statement will be read and signed by the principal, parent, student, and coach **stating acknowledgment and acceptance** of the above policy.

_____ _____ _____ _____
Parent Date Student Date

_____ _____ _____ _____
Coach Date Principal Date

Name of the Athletic Program: _____