

Carlisle Boys Basketball

“Code of Conduct”

In order for your son to derive the full benefits from a well-conducted program, he must adhere fully to the training rules which are as follows:

1. A player is allowed a maximum of two (2) unexcused tardies/absences from practice:

1. The penalties for an unexcused absence is:
 - A. First and second unexcused absence: Immediate suspension from participation in the next game or games (plus extra conditioning)
 - B. Third unexcused absence: Immediate dismissal from the team

2. An excused absence is any situation where there is: (with any excused absence the coach should be notified of the situation)

1. Illness resulting from absence from school or leaving school early (**doctors excuse must be given to the coach**)
2. Extenuating home or family circumstances resulting from death or illness
3. Any pre arranged visit or trip (ex. college visit). No more than **two** pre arranged trips should ever be scheduled.

3. Academic and School Behavior:

1. The school will conduct an eligibility check each week
 - A. If a player is declared ineligible by the district. The following consequences apply:
 - 5 School Days – During the marking period
 - 15 School Days – At the end of the marking period
2. The coaching staff will monitor Classroom Behavior:
 - A. Unsatisfactory classroom behavior will result in extra basketball conditioning and a loss of playing time
4. Detention (before or after school will result in same consequence)
 - 1st Detention = Extra basketball conditioning
 - 2nd Detention = Extra basketball conditioning and a loss of playing time

(Any further detentions will result in extra basketball conditioning and a possibility of suspension from the team)
5. ISS (In school suspension)
 - 1st Offense = Loss of playing time
 - 2nd Offense = Suspension from the team “length is determined by the coaching staff”
6. OSS (Out of School Suspension)
 - 1st Offense = the number of days suspended from school equals the number of games suspended (Example: 3 days OSS = 3 games suspended)
 - 2nd Offense = Immediate dismissal from the team

*Consistent academic or behavior problems could result in the suspension from the team
“which will be determined by the coaching staff”*

4. Be on Time:

1. Lateness to practice results in the following penalty:
 - A. One (1) ten second transition for each minute of tardiness
2. Lateness to school results in the same penalty as being late for practice, **unless it is an excused tardy**
 - A. Unexcused tardiness will result in the penalty, for being late to practice

5. Show respect to teachers, school district personnel, coaches, trainers, and officials at all times (*insubordination will not be tolerated*)

- 1st Offense = suspension from practice and game(s) for one week
- 2nd Offense = immediate dismissal from the team

6. You are financially responsible for the equipment that is issued to you. Do not lose anything.

7. Remember you are representing the school as a basketball player at all times and your conduct in the classroom and community should not reflect poorly on the team.

8. No hazing, initiations, either verbal or physical will be permitted by anyone on the team

9. Locker Room conduct: violations of locker room will result in team conditioning “determined by the coaching staff”

- A. Should be kept clean and neat
- B. Trash should be put on proper place
- C. Clothes and school issued clothing should be placed in lockers
- D. Practice gear must be washed
- E. Valuables should be kept in a safe place (UTILIZE YOUR LOCK)

10. After a game, all players should head for the locker room. It is okay to greet your friends or family but move quickly to the locker room for a quick team meeting. At that time injuries can be checked and the coaches can make post game comments.

11. Away games all players should:

1. Wear specified travel attire (*failure to dress in the appropriate attire will result in the player not attending the game, and maybe a loss of playing time the following game*)
2. Cell Phones (*cell phones should only be used for music on ride down or to contact a family member for pick-up on the way home*)
3. Report to the locker room with 3 minutes left in the 3rd quarter
4. Remember that you are a guest of the other school and conduct yourself in a respectful manor.

12. Home games all players should:

1. Sit together in the stands closest to the locker room
2. Wear appropriate attire (jackets, hats, doo rags, etc....should be removed before entering the gym)
3. Cell phones should be turned off and placed in the locker room
4. **All players should be taped and in the locker room with 3 minutes left in the 3rd quarter.**

13. Specific Training Rules:

1. Use of alcohol, drugs, or tobacco will not be tolerated. (*Refer to school code of conduct for consequences*)
2. No abusive language in the locker room, on the basketball court, during practice or a game.
3. All jewelry must be removed prior to games, practices, etc...
4. There is a 10:00 o'clock curfew on nights before games. Players may be called to verify their whereabouts. Players should notify coaches of any emergency/planned situation.

14. Anyone caught stealing from other teammates will be dismissed from the team.

15. Emergency situations: sick, family, etc

1. If not in school please call the coach and leave a message
2. **If you go to the doctor and miss practice a doctors excuse must be handed in to the coach**
3. If you leave school early please make sure the coach finds out (please do not send a message with another player). COMMUNICATE WITH THE COACH!!!

You need to be at all practices to be able to play in the games!!!!

16. Unforeseen Circumstances: sometimes incidents or situations arise affecting a player and the team. A situation may not fall in the strict area of being entirely wrong or blatantly violating rules. Therefore, the coaching staff reserves the right to handle some situations on an individual basis; keeping in mind what is best for the student/athlete and team.

“Violation of school code of conduct supersedes team rules”