

## Kickapoo High School Athletics and Activities

### Physical Exam/Proof of Insurance

All students participating in athletics must have a physical and **proof of insurance** before practice begins. This is a state regulation-NO EXCEPTIONS! This information must be submitted on a **current** MSHSAA form. Forms are available on the Kickapoo website, from your coach or the KHS Main Office. Doctor physicals are good for 2 years, however the Annual Requirements MUST be completed every year! **If your physical is due to expire during your sport season, you must turn in a new physical before your season begins.**

**ALL MSHSAA forms will be completed online through Final Forms.**

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### Athletic Eligibility

In order to be eligible for the 2024 fall semester, all students must have passed 3.5 units of credit the semester preceding the sport in which they plan to participate, and they must also be enrolled in 3.5 units of credit during the semester of participation. Spring sport participants must be enrolled in 3.5 units of credit and must have passed 3.5 units of credit during the preceding semester.

### Athletic College Letter of Intent Signing Dates

For the 2024-2025 school year, we will be hosting three signing dates for seniors. The dates are in conjunction with the National Signing dates used by the NCAA. November 13, 2024, February 5, 2025 and May 15, 2025. As athletes receive offers and make decisions as to the college they will attend and wish to be a part of this celebration, please contact Mr. Phillips or Ms. Bricker in the Main Office to obtain more information prior to the signing date.

### MSHSAA Parent Eligibility Meeting

The MSHSAA Parent meeting will be held Sunday, August 11, 6:00 p.m. in the PAC. It is required that all NEW athletes to KHS (all freshman, new students, first time athletes) and parent must attend this meeting at the beginning of the school year, no matter what season your sport falls in. All returning athletes and parent must watch the KHS Eligibility Video. Coaches will share link or can be found on the KHS Website.

Fall Sports practice begins – August 12th  
Winter Sports practice begins November 4<sup>th</sup>-Wrestling, Basketball;  
November 11<sup>th</sup>-Swim.  
Spring Sports practice begins March 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### Student Athletic and Activity Fees –

**All fees are due to Ms. Bricker in the Main Office by August 9<sup>th</sup> to have the appropriate icon printed on their ID Badge.**

Web – [kickapoochiefs.org](http://kickapoochiefs.org)

1. If your student plans to participate in any sport during the school year, the student will need to pay a **\$50.00** athletic participation fee. There is a reduced fee for multiple children from same household: \$50 first child, \$35 second child, \$25 for third or more. The \$50.00 fee entitles students to attend all athletic contest (with the exception of MSHSAA sponsored events) in SPS at no addition cost. If your student qualifies for the Free/Reduced lunch program, this fee is waived. You **MUST** tell Ms. Bricker in the Main Office for it to be recorded.
2. If your student participates in Marching Band, Color Guard, Winter Guard, Winter Percussion, Cheerleader, Golden Girl Poms or Archery, the student will need to pay a **\$25.00** Activity Fee. This will allow the student to attend all athletic contests in SPS in which Kickapoo is participating, with the exception of Tournaments.
3. If your student is **not** involved in a sport or activity, the student may purchase a **\$10.00** activity pass. This pass entitles students to attend all athletic contests in SPS in which Kickapoo is participating, with the exception of tournaments.

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### Citizenship Standards for Eligibility Form

ALL students who participate in any sport and most extra-curricular activities (clubs) must have the Citizenship form on file for the 2024-2025 school year. The form will be completed online through the **Final Forms** program.

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### Springfield R-12 Athletic Pass Information (Parent Passes-Purchase in Main Office)

1. **\$50.00 passes** are accepted at all R-12 athletic events held at R-12 schools with the exception of events controlled by MSHSAA such as state play-off games, district basketball, etc. MSHSAA sets the admission price for those activities and receives all gate money, minus district expenses. The passes are NOT accepted at schools other than R-12 (i.e. Catholic, Ozark, Joplin, etc.) nor are they accepted for events sponsored by outside groups such as the KTXR Lady Classic, Tournament of Champions, etc.
2. **The \$25.00** passes are season passes and are accepted ONLY for events held at R-12 schools in which the issuing high school is participating. For example, a Kickapoo pass will only be accepted when Kickapoo is actually playing. These passes are also NOT good for designated as "tournaments", regardless of whether they are single day events or spread out over several days. Fall and Winter/Spring passes are specific to the high school and may NOT be used for Middle School events. Fall passes are used for football, softball, volleyball, boys soccer and boys swimming. Winter/Spring passes are used for baseball, basketball, wrestling, girls soccer, girls swim, track
3. **Anyone 65 or over will be admitted FREE OF CHARGE** with proof of birth date and will not need an actual pass. Please note exceptions listed in #1.
4. **\$5 activity pass for elementary and middle school students** are available at each Middle School. They are good all year long at events in which the student' school or feeder school is participating.
5. **Adults (or high school students)** can purchase a \$15 pass which is accepted all year at Middle School events with the exception of championship tournaments. This pass is NOT accepted for high school events.

**Please note: The actual pass. MUST be presented at the ticket gate for each event.** We do not have lists of who has purchased them. If passes are lost, contact the issuing school for information about replacing them.

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