

Spectator Code of Conduct

1. CIF/NCS Sportsmanship & Core Values

- **Pursuing Victory with Honor:** All spectators must demonstrate the six core values of sportsmanship: trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, caring, and good citizenship.
- **Positive Support Only:** All spectator behavior must remain positive. Cheer *for* your team rather than against the opponent.
- **Zero Harassment:** Antagonistic, derogatory, or personal comments directed at athletes, coaches, or officials are strictly prohibited.
- **Respect Game Officials:** Accept all calls and decisions by officials without abusive language, shouting, or aggressive demeanor.

2. Venue Safety, Prohibited Items & Noise Devices

- **Artificial Noisemakers:** Air horns, whistles, bells, megaphones, and other artificial noisemakers are prohibited at all athletic contests.
- **Prohibited Items:** No backpacks (clear bags only), outside food or drinks, personal sports equipment (balls/footballs), toys, scooters, or skateboards.
- **Identifiable Attire:** Spectators are prohibited from wearing masks, face paint, or coverings that obscure identification.

3. Ticketing, Entry & Student Rules

- **Digital Tickets & Re-Entry:** Tickets must be purchased online prior to entry via [GoFan](#). No re-entry is permitted once you exit the stadium.
- **Student Identification:** All students (home and visiting) must present a valid student ID for entry (No ID = No Entry).
- **Supervision:** Students in 8th grade or younger must be accompanied and supervised by an adult at all times.

4. Playing Area Access & Seating Rules

- **Restricted Areas:** Spectators must remain in designated stands or seating areas. Spectators and non-competing students are strictly prohibited from entering the field, court, track, or team bench areas at any time (including before, during halftime, or after the contest).
- **Walkways:** Keep all aisles, stairways, and walkways clear. Remain on your school's designated side of the stadium.

5. Ejection & Disciplinary Policy

- **Authority to Eject:** Game management, school administrators, and game officials have full authority to immediately eject any individual who violates this Code of Conduct or engages in behavior detrimental to the contest.
- **Immediate Removal:** Ejected individuals must immediately leave the venue premises (out of sight and sound) and cannot remain near the facility boundaries or parking areas. Ejections will be executed without ticket refunds.
- **Escalated Suspensions:**
 - **First Offense:** Immediate ejection from the contest and a mandatory minimum ban from attending the school's next athletic event (home or away).
 - **Repeat Offenses:** Revocation of attendance privileges for the remainder of the sports season or the entire academic year.
 - **Physical/Severe Incidents:** Any physical altercations, threats, or severe harassment will result in an immediate indefinite ban from all athletic facilities, potential school disciplinary action for students, and referral to law enforcement.
- **Impact on Teams:** Spectator intervention, field/court invasion, or refusal to comply with ejection orders may result in game stoppage, technical fouls/penalties assessed to the associated team, or immediate forfeiture of the contest under [CIF/NCS Section Guidelines](#).