

ALL EAST LINN ATHLETIC POLICIES

WHEN ARE SPORTS FEES DUE?

Sports fees are due *before the first competition* the student-athlete participates in. High school \$165 per sport (\$220 for homeschool), middle school \$140 per sport. If payment arrangements are needed, please contact the admin office.

WHEN ARE SPORTS PHYSICALS DUE?

Sports physicals are due *before the first practice* the student-athlete participates in. Students must complete sports physicals every other year beginning in 7th grade.

CAN HOME SCHOOL STUDENTS PLAY FOR EAST LINN?

High School Homeschool Students may participate for East Linn if their family lives within the Lebanon School District attendance boundary, provided they can [fulfill these requirements](#). The cost per sport is \$220.

CAN FOREIGN EXCHANGE STUDENTS PLAY FOR EAST LINN?

Foreign exchange students through the AEEA program may participate for East Linn in sports after sitting out for their first year of enrollment.

IF I MISS SCHOOL DURING THE DAY CAN I STILL PRACTICE OR PLAY?

If you miss a full class period or more due to sickness or late arrival, you may not practice or play that day. If you miss due to a pre-arranged appointment, you may participate that day with a note.

IF SCHOOL IS CANCELLED FOR ANY REASON, ARE ALL AFTER-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES AT THE SCHOOL CANCELLED?

Per school policy, if school is cancelled, so are all after-school activities at the school.

IF THE BUS ARRIVES HOME LATE, AM I EXCUSED FOR CLASSES IN THE MORNING?

If the bus arrives to the school late after a school competition, the student-athlete is excused from the following classes (missed work still needs to be made up):

- Between 11:00 pm & 12:00 Midnight, excused 1st period.
- Between 12:00 Midnight & 1:00 AM, excused 1st and 2nd period.
- Between 1:00 AM - 2:00 AM, excused 1st, 2nd and 3rd period.

CAN ACADEMICALLY INELIGIBLE PLAYERS PRACTICE OR PLAY?

Academically ineligible student-athletes *may not participate in games/contests* until deemed eligible by the Athletic Director per school policy. They can participate in practices, unless held out at the discretion of the administration, parents or coaches.

WHO SHOULD PARENTS COMMUNICATE WITH REGARDING ATHLETICS?

- Communication regarding practice & game schedules, team events and other sport-specific related questions should be made by and to the head coach.
- Communication regarding registration, physicals, sports fees, athletic policies and general athletic department related questions should be made by and to the Athletic Director.

WHAT IS THE DEADLINE TO JOIN THE SPORT LATE?

Fall Sports*: 1st day of school. **Winter & Spring Sports***: One week after the first day of practice.

Exceptions: Approved mid-year transfers, students cleared late due to injury/sickness, students still participating in the previous season state championships, and in the case where there is not enough to field a varsity team. *The coach reserves the right not to accept late additions after the 1st day of practice.

WHEN DO WEDNESDAY PRACTICES END?

There is no longer a rule limiting practices on Wednesdays to 6:00 at the latest.

HOW ARE UNIFORMS & TEAM GEAR CHECKED OUT?

- Uniforms are issued by the school and *must be returned* at the end of the sports' season, unreturned or damaged items will be charged to the student-athlete's account.
- Coaches may require team gear (ex. shoes, hats, warmups, socks, etc.) for their sport, this is bought by the student-athlete and *may be kept* by the student-athlete at the end of the season.