

Charter Stars Athletic Eligibility Policy

The Charter Stars believe all our students deserve the opportunity to participate in our athletic offerings. We also believe that student athletes need to place academics as their top priority. To encourage student athletes to maintain good standing in all their classes, we developed the following Grade Eligibility Policy:

- Student athletes must have a GPA of 2.0 or above in the quarter immediately prior to the sport season. Students with a GPA lower than 2.0 will not be eligible to tryout for or join a team.
 - The only exception to this policy is for incoming 9th graders during fall sports. Since there is no GPA available, all student athletes that register and make a team will be academically eligible to join that team.
- Student athletes that are placed on Mandatory Office Hours at Twin Cities Academy or on the Dean's Academic Concern List at Great River School will be deemed Ineligible for Athletics. Placements on these lists are based on grade reports run at each school about every two weeks. When a student athlete is Ineligible during one of these Grade Reporting Periods:
 - They are not eligible to play in games and therefore should not be in uniform for home or away games.
 - They may practice with the team so long as they develop a plan with their Coach for becoming Eligible during the next Grade Reporting Period.
 - If a student athlete is deemed Ineligible for two consecutive Grade Reporting Periods, they are no longer eligible to practice with the team.
 - If a student athlete is deemed Ineligible for three consecutive Grade Reporting Periods, they are no longer on the team. (Refunds for activity fees are not given in the event of a player becoming Ineligible under this policy.)
 - A student athlete will become Eligible when they are no longer on Mandatory Office Hours at the next Grade Reporting Period.
- There are four Grade Reporting Periods each quarter.

All student athletes wanting to join a Charter Stars team and their parent/guardian(s) must sign this form to indicate they understand and will follow the policy.

Student Athlete Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

If a student's IEP allows for accommodations to take place to assess athletic eligibility, the IEP will be followed to adhere to state and federal law.