



Extra-Curricular Athletics Program Release Form

All parents or guardians of any student that wishes to participate in Grace Lutheran Extra-Curricular Athletics must complete the following *Release Form* before his/her child may begin the sports season.

Student Name: _____
Male__ **Female**__ **D.O.B.** _____ **Phone #** _____

Address _____
City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

I agree to have my child participate in the Grace Lutheran Extra-Curricular Athletics Program for the 2024-2025 school calendar year.

Release Disclaimer

I do hereby assume full responsibility for any and all damages, injuries (including death), illness or losses that my child may sustain or incur, if any, while attending, practicing, participating or witnessing in any school exercise program, sport or activity occurring in or about the school premises or at any offsite location. I hereby assume full risk, waive all claims and release and hold Grace Lutheran, its instructors, or partners of Grace Athletics individually or otherwise, harmless for any and all claims for injuries or damages.

I am fully aware and understand that the school does not have on or about the school premises, or employ, or contract with any medical services, provisions for ordinary or emergency medical services.

In consideration of my child's participation in and the use of the School's facilities, I hereby release and covenant not to sue the School, its owners, shareholders, directors, officers, employees, representatives, agents, and lessees, from any and all claims resulting from any physical injury that may occur to my child while participating in any program or event sponsored by Grace Lutheran.

I HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE RELEASE/WAIVER AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING THIS VOLUNTARILY.

Parent/Guardian Name (Print): _____ **Date:** _____
Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

STUDENT CREED

I believe that the sports sponsored by Grace Lutheran School have an important place in my education. Therefore I pledge myself to cooperate with the Grace faculty so that their value will be understood and accepted as an integral component of my Christian growth.

I believe that Christian sportsmanship is learned. I will use my parents, coaches, and teachers as models of good sportsmanship. I believe my actions have a lasting effect on those who observe me. Therefore I will:

1. Accept and support the decision of the coach.
2. Accept and support the decision of the officials.
3. Contain and control my emotions and actions in order to be an exemplary witness to Grace Lutheran School, my church, and my Christian faith.
4. Exercise faith, tolerance, and diplomacy in my relationship with my coach, fellow teammates, our opponent, game officials, and spectators.
5. Abide by the guidelines for the team, the Grace athletic program, and those set by Grace Lutheran School.
6. Respect and support the decisions of my coach, athletic director, and teachers.

I agree to follow the creed and guidelines that are stated in the Athletic Handbook and above. Failing to do so would forfeit my privileges of being a part of the Grace athletic program.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

PARENTAL CREED

I believe that sports sponsored by Grace Lutheran School have an important place in education.

I believe that Christian sportsmanship is learned. I am to be a model to my child, other Grace athletes, and to all those with whom I come in contact. I believe my actions have a lasting effect on those who observe me. Therefore I will:

1. Accept and support the decision of the coach.
2. Accept and support the decision of the officials.
3. Contain and control my emotions and actions in order to be an exemplary witness to Grace Lutheran School, my church, and my Christian faith.
4. Help with transportation and concession/gym duties when possible.
5. Exercise faith, tolerance, and diplomacy in my relationship with my child, other players, coaches, other spectators, and game officials.

I agree to follow the creed and guidelines that are stated in the Athletic Handbook and above.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____