

2021 Middle School Athletics Information

District 202 will begin to offer middle school athletics using a modified schedule with necessary COVID-19 protocols in place. The following sports will be offered:

- Season 1 (2/22-3/19)
 - Boys Volleyball - 7th/8th Grade
 - Girls Basketball - 7th/8th Grade
- Season 2 (3/22-4/27)
 - Girls Volleyball - 7th/8th Grade
 - Boys Soccer - 7th/8th Grade
- Season 3 (4/28 - 5/25)
 - Cross Country - 6th/7th/8th Grade
 - Girls Soccer - 7th/8th Grade
 - Boys Basketball - 7th/8th Grade

In order to tryout or participate students must have the following:

- Valid physical (within the last 13 months)
- Signed Concussion Protocol Agreement (submitted online)
- Signed COVID Information Sheet (submitted online)
- Certified on the Athletic COVID screener daily with coach

Since the structure of our school day is currently different from a typical school day, students will be required to go home after school and return to school for their designated practice time or game. Spectators **will not** be allowed for indoor sports at this time, games will be live streamed for viewing purposes. Spectators will be allowed for outdoor sports, following all safety protocols.

Student-athletes will be expected to do the following:

- Athletes will wear a face mask **at all times** indoors and outdoors
 - Expected to bring multiple face masks to each practice/game
- Athletes must bring their own water bottle
 - No access to a drinking fountain, only a water bottle filler
- Athletes will come to practice/game dressed to play
 - Lockers rooms will be closed
- Athletes will bring their own towel & hand sanitizer
- Parents will need to provide transportation for athletes to return to the building for tryouts and practice after 3:00. Specific times will be provided by coaches once the season has started

Comradery, experience, and opportunity will be the framework of our middle school sports seasons. We are thankful for the opportunity to carry out a season, despite it looking very different from the year's past. We are grateful for the willingness to participate and the flexibility and patience of our coaches, athletes, and parents.

Any questions, please contact your building athletic coordinator.