

## **Athletic Consent & Release**

### **Consent**

I hereby give my consent for (student): to compete in sports.

- I authorize the student to go with and be supervised by a representative of the school on sports related trips.
- In case this student becomes ill or is injured, I authorize GCS personnel to have the student treated and I authorize the medical agency to render treatment.
- I understand that school personnel will endeavor to reach me should the nature of the injury or illness warrant it
- However, I will not hold the school personnel responsible if efforts to contact me are unsuccessful.
- I understand and accept that the school does not carry accident insurance. It is the responsibility of the family to cover any accident related expenses. All student athletes must have insurance.
- I give permission for the above-named student to ride in school vehicles or with a parent to practice and/or games.

### Acknowledgement of Release

I am aware that playing or practicing in any athletic event sponsored by Grace Christian School can be dangerous to the above-named student's health and well-being due to the many risks of injury. These risks or dangers include but are not limited to neck and spinal damage; brain damage; injury to internal organs; damage to the muscular skeletal system; and other serious impairment to the body, general health and well-being; and even death. I also recognize that any injury associated in the above-named participation in athletic events may impair his/her ability in the future to make a living, to be involved in social, business or recreational activities, or to enjoy life. In consideration of Grace Christian School allowing the above-named to participate in any of the school's athletics, I hereby acknowledge and assume all risks associated with participation.

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_, am the legal parent/guardian of the above student, I have read the statements above and understand the terms and risks described. I further understand that all athletic programs involve risk of violent contact and/or serious injury. With this understanding, I hereby consent for my child to participate in our school athletic program and have had my child seen by a physician who has released him or her to participate without reservation.

Student Signature:	Date:	
Parent/		
Guardian Signature:	Date:	



# **GCS Athletic Equipment Policy: Student Athlete Responsibility**

#### **INITIAL ISSUE - PRACTICE CLOTHING/EQUIPMENT**

Team sports equipment and/or uniforms will be issued by the GCS coach. Students must have a completed physical in order to receive equipment. Parents and students must sign the **Athletic Equipment Policy: Student Responsibility** form prior to a student receiving his/her items. If at any time during the current season a student should leave the team, he/she is responsible for the return of all issued team items within five school days.

#### **GENERAL EQUIPMENT POLICY**

- Athletic equipment is the property of Grace Christian School and is to be used solely for the purpose of competing in an athletic program. It is not to be used for any purpose other than team games/practices.
- Students are responsible for all lost or stolen items.
- Altering team issued clothing is strictly prohibited. If this occurs without the approval of the team coach, your student will be billed automatically for a full replacement fee of \$80.00.

#### FINAL RETURN OF EQUIPMENT

- All items issued must be returned at the requested time. Generally, the return date will be the first or second day after the last game. The GCS coach will confirm the date and time for the final return of equipment.
- If a student is unable to be present for the final return of equipment, he/she will have five (5) days to
  return it to the school office. After the five days, the student's account will be billed for missing equipment
  items.
- Students quitting the team prior to the end of the season are responsible for returning all items issued within 5 days of the date he/she quit the team.
- A student will not be reissued equipment for the next season or for another sport until all items have been returned and/or student accounts have been cleared.
- All uniform items must be returned washed and clean. Students accept full responsibility for team items ruined by washing or drying. Items ruined by improper washing or drying will result in a student being billed automatically for a full replacement fee of \$80.00.

#### AGREEMENT

We understand the expectations and terms of use for Grace Christian School's athletic equipment and student athlete policy. We accept full replacement responsibility of the issued team items should anything become lost, stolen or damaged.

Student Signature:	Date:
Parent/	
Guardian Signature:	Date: