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Transfer Athletes To Woodlawn High

Athletics

Need To Complete The Following:

Athlete's Name:_

- LHSAA Medical History Evaluation
- LHSAA Athletic Participation / Parental Permission Form Front & Back
- LHSAA Residence Eligibility Form
- LHSAA Substance Abuse / Misuse Contract and Consent Form
- Woodlawn High Informed Consent / Emergency Treatment Release
- Woodlawn High Strength & Conditioning / Harmless 2021
- Woodlawn High Athlete Agreement
- EBR Parent / Legal Guardian Media Consent Form
- LHSAA Parent and Student-Athlete Concussion Statement
- Copy of Insurance Card Front & Back
- Copy of Birth Certificate

Please make sure all forms are completed and all signatures have been provided

All forms must be completed in their entirety before athlete will be able to participate

Date Completed Packet Returned:_____

Date Physical Taken:_____

LHSAA MEDICAL HISTORY EVALUATION

IMPORTANT: This form must be completed <u>annually</u>, kept on file with the school, & is subject to inspection by the Rules Compliance Team.

Name:		School:		Grade:	Date:
Sport(s):		Sex: M / F E	ate of Birth:	Age:Cell Phone:	
Home Address:	City:		State:Zip Cod	e:Home Phone:	
Parent / Guardian:	·	Employer:		Work Phone	:
FAMILY MEDICAL HISTORY: Has a	any member of your fan	nily under age 50 had the	se conditions?		
Yes No Condition Who	m Yes No	Condition Sudden Death High Blood Pressure	Whom	Yes No Condition	Whom
		Sickle Cell Trait/Anemia			
ATHLETE'S ORTHOPAEDIC HISTOF Yes No Condition □ Head Injury / Concussion □ Elbow L / R □ Hip L / R □ Lower Leg L / R □ Foot L / R □ Chest	Date Y	Solution Nock Injury / Sting Arm / Wrist / Hand Arm / Wrist / Hand D Thigh L / R D Chronic Shin Spli D Severe Muscle St Previous Surgeries:	Date ger J L / R nts rain	Yes No Condition	Date
ATHLETE MEDICAL HISTORY: Ha Yes No Condition	is the athlete had any o	these conditions?	Yes No	Condition	
 Heart Murmur / Chest Pain / Seizures Kidney Disease Irregular Heartbeat Single Testicle High Blood Pressure Dizzy / Fainting Organ Loss (kidney, spleen, Surgery Medications 	'Tightness 	 Asthma / Prescribed I Shortness of breath / Hernia Knocked out / Concus Heart Disease Diabetes Liver Disease Tuberculosis Prescribed EPI PEN 	nhaler	Menstrual irregularities: Las Rapid weight loss / gain Take supplements/vitamins Heat related problems Recent Mononucleosi Enlarged Spleen Sickle Cell Trait/Anemia Overnight in hospital	
List Dates for: Last Tetanus Shot:		Measles Immunization:		Meningitis Vaccine:	
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To the best of our knowledge, we have given true & accurate information & hereby grant permission for the physical screening evaluation. We understand the evaluation involves a limited examination and the screening is not intended to nor will it prevent injury or sudden death. We further understand that if the examination is provided without expectation of payment, there shall be no cause of action pursuant to Louisiana R.S. 9:2798 against the team volunteer health-care provider and/or employer under Louisiana law.

This waiver, executed on the date below by the undersigned medical doctor, osteopathic doctor, nurse practitioner or physician's assistant and parent of the student athlete named above, is done so in compliance with Louisiana law with the full understanding that there shall be no cause of action for any loss or damage caused by any act or omission related to the health care services if rendered voluntarily and without expectation of payment herein unless such loss or damage was caused by gross negligence. Additionally,

1. If, in the judgment of a school representative, the named student-athlete needs care or treatment as a result of an injury		
or sickness, I do hereby request, consent and authorize for such care as may be deemed necessary	Yes	No
2. I understand that if the medical status of my child changes in any significant manner after his/her physical examination,		
I will notify his/her principal of the change immediately	Yes	No
3. I give my permission for the athletic trainer to release information concerning my child's injuries to the head coach/athletic		
director/principal of his/her school	Yes	No
4. By my signature below, I am agreeing to allow my child's medical history/exam form and all eligibility forms to be reviewe		
by the LHSAA or its Representative(s)	Yes	No

Date Signed by Parent

Signature of Parent

Typed or Printed Name of Parent

II. COMPLETED ANNUALLY BY MEDICAL DOCTOR (MD), OSTEOPATHIC DR. (DO), NURSE PRACTITIONER (APRN) or PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANT (PA)

Height			Weight	Blood Pressure		Pulse	
GENERAL MED	ICAL EXAM	:	OPTIONAL E	XAMS:	ORTHOPAEDIC EX	(AM :	
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[] Not cleared for: __contact __non-contact

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Printed Name of MD, DO, APRN or PA

Signature of MD, DO, APRN or PA

Date of Medical Examination

This physical expires 13 months from the date it was signed and dated by the MD, DO, APRN or PA.

Louisiana High School Athletic Association

Athletic Participation/Parental Permission Form

athletic contest and shall be ke	and signed by the student-athlete's parent prior to opt on file with the school. <u>It shall remain in effect for</u>	the remainder of the student's		
eligibility unless the student transfers to another member school. This form is subject to review/inspection by the LHSAA or its representative.				
PART I: STUDENT INFORM	IATION (Please Print)			
	1iddle)	School Year:		
Date of Birth:	Last Four Digits of SSN	:		
Home Address:				
City:	Zip:			
My child entered ninth grade ir	n(month and year). Last semeste High School.	er/year he/she attended		
	ARE YOU ELIGIBLE?			
A student athlete in an LHSAA sc	hool must meet the following rules to be eligible for interso	cholastic athletic competition:		
RULE	COMMENTS			
BONA FIDE STUDENT	A student shall be enrolled in and attending an LHSAA taking the required number of subjects which shall be cript unless student is a special education student or ir must be counted as a student on the daily attendanc Attendance in one class makes you a student at that se	recorded on the student's official trans- the 8 th grade or below. A student shall e records of the school he/she attends.		
ENROLLMENT	A student shall be enrolled and attending a school in the semester at any school or will be ineligible for the first			
AGE	A student shall not become 19 years of age prior to Se	ptember 1 of this year.		
PROOF OF AGE	A student shall provide legal proof of age, which meets handbook, to the school administrator to be kept on file			
CONSECUTIVE SEMESTERS	Once a student shall enter the ninth grade, he/she sh play athletics. (EXCEPTION: Hold-Back Repeat Stude handbook)			
SCHOLASTIC	For regular education high school students at the end pass at least six subjects in all subjects taken.	of the first semester a student shall		
	At the end of the year and prior to the next school ye least six units with an overall "C" average for the e determined by the LEA in all units taken. All seniors semester.	entire previous school year as		
	Special education students must consult the school pri scholastic information.	incipal, athletic director, or coach for		
RESIDENCE AND SCHOOL TRANSFERS	Upon entering high school for the first time, a stude member school located in the attendance zone in whic parent(s)/guardian(s) or any other household with who past calendar year and be immediately eligible unless transfer to another member school in the same attendat ineligible for one calendar year.	the student resides with his/her om the student has been residing for the an applicable exception applies. A		
UNDUE INFLUENCE	If a student shall has been recruited to a school for ineligible as long as the student attends that school.	athletic purposes, he/she shall remain		
AMATEUR	A student cannot play high school athletics if he/she lo	ses their amateur status.		
INDEPENDENT TEAM	In certain sports a student cannot play on a school te same sport season.	am and an independent team during the		

A student shall <u>annually</u> pass a physical examination given by a licensed physician/ nurse practitioner that is in collaboration with a licensed physician or a licensed physician's assistant under the supervision of a licensed physician and complete an LHSAA Medical History Evaluation form prior to participating.
A school shall <u>only</u> be required to have this form completed and signed prior to <u>the first time</u> a student participates in LHSAA athletics at the school <u>unless the student transfers</u>
to another member school.
A school shall only be required to have this form completed and signed prior to the first time a student participates in LHSAA athletics at the school.
Shall not participate in any interscholastic contest on any team at any school at any level.

LHSAA ELIGIBILITY RULES APPLY TO STUDENT-ATHLETES ON ALL TEAMS AT ALL LEVELS OF PLAY AT ALL LHSAA SCHOOLS

Eligibility to participate in interscholastic athletics is a privilege a student earns by meeting standards outlined on this form and other regulations and policies set by the LHSAA and the student's school. If you have questions or do not fully understand an eligibility rule, check with your child's principal, athletic director or coach. By following the intent and spirit of the rules, you can help prevent violations which may penalize the student, his/her team and/or his/her school.

ONE INELIGIBLE STUDENT MAY DISQUALIFY YOUR WHOLE TEAM - KNOW THE ELIGIBLITY RULES

PART II – PARENTAL PERMISSION

I have read and reviewed the general requirements for high school athletic eligibility on this form and have discussed these requirements with my child. I understand additional questions/explanations and specific circumstances should be directed to my child's principal, athletic director or coach.

I certify the home address listed on this form is my sole bona fide residence and that I will notify the school principal immediately of any change in my residence, since such a move may alter the eligibility status of my child. All other information given is also accurate and current.

I give my permission for the athletic trainer to release information concerning my child's injuries to the head coach/ athletic director/principal of his/her school. Additionally, I give the LHSAA or it representative(s) permission to review my child's scholastic records and all required eligibility forms however submitted by the school or myself.

If the medical status of my child changes in any significant manner after he/she passes his/her physical examination, I will notify his/her principal of the change immediately.

I hereby give my consent and approval for my child to participate in any of the following LHSAA sports:

BASEBALL	GOLF	SWIMMING
BASKETBALL	GYMNASTICS	TENNIS
BOWLING	POWERLIFTING	TRACK AND FIELD
CROSS COUNTRY	SOCCER	VOLLEYBALL
FOOTBALL	SOFTBALL	WRESTLING

I certify all the information is correct, that I have read the summary of LHSAA eligibility rules below and I am in compliance with these standards. I also acknowledge that my child, by my signature below, has my permission to participate in interscholastic athletics during his attendance at this school. I also understand that this form shall only be completed prior to my child's first participation in any athletic contest of any sport and shall remain in effect for his/her entire athletic eligibility unless he/she transfers to another member school.

Date:	Parent's Signature:
	(Print Name)
	Relationship to Student
	Telephone No: ()

LHSAA Residence Eligibility Form

USE THIS FORM IN YOUR CONSIDERATION OF A STUDENT'S ELIGIBILITY DUE TO A TRANSFER TO YOUR SCHOOL

The student must actually be attending the school before the Residence Eligibility Form is completed. This form is to be completed by the student's parent/guardian and filed with the school for transfer approval in regards to athletic eligibility. (If there is no change in residence associated with the student's changing schools, a letter of explanation must be attached to this form.)

1.	Student's Name			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
2.	Student's Birth Date:		Age	Student's School Gra	ide:	
3.	YesNo	Has the student	t ever repeated a grade since	e first entering the 6th	grade? If yes, p	lease explain.
4.	At what address does	the student curre	ently reside?		···· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	 Who does th 	e student reside	with?			
	b. What is the s	student's relations	ship to this person(s)?			
5.	Length of time studen	t has resided at a	above address:			
6.	New School:					
7.	Last School Attended	School	Street	City	State Z	Zip Phone
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	ist be completed					
A.	Previous Attendand	ce Zone				
B	Attendance Current 2	Zone				
B .	Former Principal:		······································		<u> </u>	
9.			(city, state, zip)			
10.	Reason for transfer/m	ove?	·····			
11.			prced either of the parents/gu			
	employn	nent? If <u>yes,</u> expl	lain			
12.	Status of previous res	idence?sold	under contract for sal	e leased vac	ant still ow	n previously renting
	leasing					
13.		Are any member	rs of the family still residing a	t the previous residen	ce?	
14.			12 currently attending school			
		-				
15.	Yes No	Are there other f	amily members in grades K-	12 attending a differen	t school other th	an the
			fer student is now attending?			
16.	Parent/Guardian curre	nt employer?		<u> </u>		
	Parent/Guardian forme					
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'B N	ent's Signature			Date		

Witnessed by: Notary and/or school administrator (This form must be signed by notary and/or administrator of receiving school.)

Witness Signature

Date

Providing false or misleading information on this form may result in penalty to student or school or both. A copy of this form must be retained on file by the receiving school for the duration of the student's attendance.

Woodlawn High Athletics

Informed Consent / Emergency Treatment Release / Hold Harmless / Insurance Declaration

I have been informed that my son / daughter wishes to participate in an interscholastic sport while attending Woodlawn High School. In signing this form, I understand that any sport he / she participates is a high risk sport and I am aware that there is a possibility of injury, ranging from minor to severe and life threatening. I also understand that he / she must meet certain eligibility requirements prescribed by the Louisiana High School Athletic Association, East Baton Rouge Parish Schools, and Woodlawn High School. I am willing to abide by those rules, as administered through the Louisiana High School Athletic Association and Woodlawn High School Administration and Athletic Staff.

In the event that my son / daughter is injured during strength or conditioning, practice or athletic competition:

- Permission is given to the certified athletic trainer and / or coaching staff to provide basic and emergency care until such time that a parent or guardian is notified
- Permission is given to the certified athletic trainer to provide continued care and treatment of athletic injuries under the supervision of our team physician.
- Should a medical emergency arise, and parents can't be notified permission is given to the certified athletic trainer and / or coaching staff to seek emergency treatment and be transferred to the hospital of the parent's preference or nearest hospital for emergency treatment. Permission is also granted to the medical facility and any attending physician to provide medical treatment and perform any diagnostic imaging or testing as the attending physician deems necessary.

The East Baton Rouge School Board and its members, employees, agents, assigns and insurers shall be held harmless from and against any liability for any accidents involving the student while participating in such athletic activities and any injuries suffered by the student during, or as a result of, such participation. Woodlawn High School nor the East Baton Rouge Parish School Board shall be held responsible for any medical or emergency transportation bills that may be incurred while participating in an athletic practice, competition or event. I understand that as the parent or guardian that I am responsible for all medical bills that may be incurred while participating in strength and conditioning, practice, competition or any other event associated with the participation in a school sponsored interscholastic sport.

Per East Baton Rouge Parish School Board Policy, no student athlete shall be allowed to participate in any strength and conditioning, practice, or interscholastic athletic event without providing prior proof of insurance or the purchase of an insurance policy offered through East Baton Rouge Parish Schools. Parents shall provide proof of insurance by providing a copy of the front and back of a current insurance card and must match the information below. No student will be allowed to participate in strength and conditioning, practice or competition in any way without the proof of insurance.

I wish to purchase insurance coverage provided through East Baton Rouge Parish Schools.

I decline to purchase insurance coverage provided through East Baton Rouge Parish Schools and will provide proof of private insurance by providing insurance information below and a copy of the front and back of a current insurance card.

Any and all medical instructions such as hospital preference drug allergies, asthma medication should be listed on the bottom of this form.

Mother's Cell Phone: Insurance Company: Father's Cell Phone: Policy Holder: Alternate Contact Name: Date of Birth: Alternate Contact Phone: Policy Number: Hospital Preference: Primary Care Physician: Drug Allergies or Special Instructions:	Parent's Signature	Date Signed
Father's Cell Phone: Policy Holder: Alternate Contact Name: Date of Birth: Alternate Contact Phone: Policy Number: Hospital Preference: Primary Care Physician:	Insurance Company:	
Alternate Contact Phone: Policy Number: Hospital Preference: Primary Care Physician:	Policy Holder:	
Hospital Preference: Primary Care Physician:	Date of Birth:	
	Policy Number:	
Drug Allergies or Special Instructions:	Primary Care Physician:	
Drug miergies of special instructions:		
		Insurance Company: Policy Holder: Date of Birth: Policy Number: Primary Care Physician:



LHSAA SUBSTANCE ABUSE/MISUSE CONTRACT AND CONSENT FORM

This form must be completed and signed and kept on file with the school and is subject to inspection by the LHSAA Rules Compliance Team.

As an LHSAA athlete, I, ______, agree to avoid the abuse or misuse of legal or illegal substances, including anabolic steroids and other performance enhancing drugs. I hereby grant permission to be tested for substance abuse/misuse as a participant in any LHSAA sports program. I furthermore agree to cooperate by providing a urine or hair specimen for testing upon the request of my principal. I understand that should my specimen indicate the abuse or misuse of legal or illegal substances, I will be subject to action specified in my School Drug Policy for Student Athletes.

I, ______, parent/guardian of the undersigned student athlete, individually, and on behalf of my child, do hereby grant permission for and consent to said child being tested for substance abuse/misuse in accordance with his/her School Drug Policy for Student Athletes and I understand that if any specimen taken

from him/her indicates abuse or misuse of legal or illegal substances, including anabolic steroids and other performance enhancing drugs, he/she will be subject to action specified in the <u>School Drug Policy for Student Athletes</u> for his/her school.

Dated:	Student Athlete
	Student Athlete
Dated:	
	Parent/Guardian
Dated:	- All
	Principal
Dated:	Efra to A.S
	Head Coach

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1.9 ABUSE AND/OR MISUSE OF ILLEGAL SUBSTANCES - Each member school shall develop and implement a substance abuse/misuse policy including procedures for chemical testing of student-athletes. To be eligible for interscholastic athletics, prior to practicing or participating in a sport at an LHSAA school, a student-athlete and his/her parent(s)/guardian shall sign the LHSAA Substance Abuse/Misuse Contract developed and distributed to all schools by the LHSAA. Once signed, the LHSAA Substance Abuse/Misuse Contract shall remain in effect for the remainder of the student-athlete's eligibility. Schools may also have the student and parent/guardian sign a school issued form in addition to the LHSAA Substance Abuse/Misuse Contract. Schools shall be required to keep the signed form on file at the school.

1.9.1 The penalties for failure to have the required LHSAA Substance Abuse/Misuse Contract(s) for all students completed, properly signed, and maintained in the school files shall be:

1. A school shall be fined \$50 per student, per sport for each LHSAA Substance Abuse/Misuse Form not completed, properly signed, and on file with the school not to exceed \$500 per sport.

2. A student in violation of this rule shall not be ruled ineligible for this infraction, but shall be withheld from further team practices and interscholastic athletic participation until a copy of this form is completed and submitted to the Executive Director. The completed form must be faxed or postmarked prior to the athlete's participation

Signature of the LHSAA's contract does not necessarily mean the student athlete will be tested.

Woodlawn High Athletics

Athlete Agreement

We, the athletes at Woodlawn high School, realize the task ahead is a great challenge and opportunity which will be met only by total dedication, hours of conditioning, and loyalty to our school, our program, our staff, and teammates. We must have complete mental and physical discipline. We will work to the best of our ability to make a contribution, whether large or small, offense or defense, starter or scout team that will make our position a strong and trusted one. We will help bring our team together through discipline, character, and most importantly "Love for one another"

Traits of a Woodlawn Panther Athlete

- I will respond by saying "Yes sir" or "No Ma'am" when an adult addresses me.
- I will not abuse alcohol.
- I will not smoke.
- I will not use drugs.
- I will not steal.
- I will be loyal to my coaches.
- I will not participate in physical fights against my teammates or classmates.
- I will conduct myself in a respectful manner towards my teachers and classmates.
- I will attempt to excel in my school work.
- I will put my TEAM before SELF at all times.
- I will respect game officials.
- I will always care for all gear issued to me.
- I will not use foul or offensive language at any time.
- I will not make obscene or vulgar gestures via social media. i.e. Twitter, Instagram, Snap Chat
- I will not display any of the above listed characteristics of a Panther Athlete associated with this agreement via social media. i.e. Twitter, Instagram, Snap Chat
- I will ACCEPT victory or DEFEAT with true sportsmanship.
- I understand that any school suspension WILL result in a team suspension and may affect my playing time status and my team status.

I, _______ have read the above Traits of a Woodlawn Panther Athlete and sign this agreement in dedicating myself to becoming a better student-athlete and a better young person.

I,______ have read the above expectations of my son / daughter will
Parent's Name

follow in order to succeed as a Woodlawn Panther Athlete

Date:_____



I hereby consent to the use of any photographs/video tape taken of my child by the East Baton Rouge Parish School System or the media for the purpose of advertising or publicizing events, activities, facilities and programs of the East Baton Rouge Parish School System in newspapers, newsletters, website, other publications, television, radio and other communications and advertising media.

By law, the East Baton Rouge Parish School System protects the privacy of the students and is prohibited from releasing students' personal information.

From time to time representatives of the news media are invited to campus to cover events at our schools. When this happens there is a possibility your child/children may be photographed, videotaped, or interviewed for a news story.

Please mark one of the choices below and return to school.

_____ Yes, I allow my child/children to be identified in any good news district or school publication.

_____ No, I do not want my child/children identified in any good news district or school publication.

PLEASE PRINT

Student's Name:
Address:
City:
State/Zip:
Signature:
Parent or Guardian if above person is under 18:
Parent/Guardian's Name:
Address:
City:
State/Zip:
Signature:

Woodlawn Athletics Parent & Student Concussion Information

Act 314

The Louisiana Legislature in 2011 passed the Louisiana Youth Concussion act. This law requires that all parents, athletes, and coaches be made aware of the following

- The nature and risk of concussions
- The risk associated with continuing to play after a concussion or head injury
- Sign a concussion and head injury information sheet which includes the return to the play protocol

What is a concussion? A concussion is a brain injury that:

- \star Is caused by a bump or blow to the head
- ★ Can change the way your brain normally works
- ★ Can occur during practice or games in any sport
- ★ Can happen even if you haven't been knocked out
- ★ Can be serious even if you've just been "dinged"

Symptoms that may be felt by the Athlete or seen by an Athletic Trainer, Coach, Teammate, or Parent

Headache or "Pressure" in Head	Nausea or Vomiting
Balance Problems or Dizziness	Double or Blurry Vision
Bothered by Light or Noise	Sluggish, Hazy, Foggy, or Groggy
Difficulty Paying Attention	Memory problems
Confusion	Don't Feel Right

Parent's should look for these Symptoms of Concussion or Head Injury

Appears Dazed or Stunned	Confused About Assignment or Position
Forgets Instructions	Unsure of Game, Score, or Opponent
Moves Clumsily	Answers Questions Slowly
Loses Consciousness (even briefly)	Shows Changes in Behavior and / or Personality

Can't Recall Events Prior to Hit or Fall

Should these Symptoms Appear or Worsen then Seek Further Medical Attention

Worsening Headaches	Vomiting	
Decreased Level of Consciousness	Dilated Pupils	
Increased Confusion	Stumbling / Loss of Balance	
Weakness in One Arm / Leg	Blurred Vision	

Increased Irritability

It is okay to	Do Not	
Use Tylenol	Use Aspirin, Aleve, Advil or other NSAID products	
Ice pack to head / neck for comfort	Drink alcohol	
Eat a light meal	Eat spicy foods	
Go to sleep	Drive a car	

What do I do next?

If the athlete or anyone associated with the athlete detects signs of a concussion then the athlete should be immediately removed from play and referred to a medical doctor or a doctor of Osteopathic Medicine for further evaluation.

- → When in doubt sit them out
- → On-site evaluation by appropriate health-care professional: Physician, Certified Athletic Trainer, EMT and removed from play for the remainder of that day's competition.
- → Athlete is medically cleared by a Medical Doctor or Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine
- → Step-wise protocol for return to learn and return to play is initiated as determined by a physician
- → Upon completion of Return to Play protocol athlete is then released by attending physician.

Return to Play Protocol

The return to play protocol has been established by a medical doctor. It is a stage progression in which the athlete takes one stage at a time. If at any time the symptoms of a concussion return, the athlete will not progress to the next stage. There is no definite time table for the return to play.

We are fortunate that our athletes will have baseline data available for the doctors to review. The baseline data will include memory function as well as balance. The baseline data will also give physicians objective data in which to make decisions.

Return to Play Protocol Steps

- 1. Rest athlete should sleep: no television, no video games, no text messaging, rest the brain
- 2. Return to Class athlete returns to academic activities, however, athlete may need modifications in assignments, suggested modifications would be extended time, modified length of assignments.
- 3. Light aerobic activity athlete participates in aerobic activity either inside or outside.
- 4. Sport Specific Training athlete participates in drills specific to their sport with a higher intensity than light aerobic activity
- 5. Non-Contact training drills athlete progresses to sport specific drills but there is no contact. Athlete wears full uniform and increases intensity.
- 6. Full-Contact training drills athlete after having been medically cleared for full-contact participates in team drills where contact is allowed.
- 7. Return to Competition athlete is allowed to return to full competition after being re-evaluated by attending physician.

Additional Resources

Brain 101 - The Concussion Playbook

Heads Up: Concussion in High School Sports

Louisiana High School Athletic Association Parent and Student-Athlete Concussion Statement

□ I understand that it is my responsibility to report all injuries and illnesses to my coach, athletic trainer and/or team physician.

□ I have read and understand the Concussion Fact Sheet.

After reading the Concussion Fact Sheet, I am aware of the following information:

Parent Initial	Student Initial	
		A concussion is a brain injury, which I am responsible for reporting to my coach , athletic trainer, or team physician.
		A concussion can affect my ability to perform everyday activities, and affect reaction time, balance, sleep, and classroom performance
		You cannot see a concussion, but you might notice some of the symptoms right away. Other symptoms can show up hours or days after the injury.
		If I suspect a teammate has a concussion, I am responsible for reporting the injury to my coach, athletic trainer, or team physician.
		I will not return to play in a game or practice if I have received a blow to the head or body that results in concussion-related symptoms.
		Following concussion the brain needs time to heal. You are much more likely to have a repeat concussion if you return to play before your symptoms resolve.
		In rare cases, repeat concussions can cause permanent brain damage, and even death.

Signature of Student-Athlete

Printed name of Student-Athlete

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Printed name of Parent/Guardian

