

MIDDLE SCHOOL ATHLETIC PROGRAM

Activities should function as an integral part of the total school curriculum. In striving for excellence, the District's goals are to produce young men and women who have the capacity to become successful citizens in our highly competitive society. Activities should be provided that are best for middle school aged students. Middle schools should not seek to become miniature senior high schools.

Young people gain a great deal from participating in interscholastic athletics and activities. Accordingly, dedication should be stressed, and appropriate skill levels should be established and taught so that students can participate with pride in athletics.

Lessons in sportsmanship, teamwork, competition and how to participate, win and lose gracefully are a vital part of each team in the District's athletic program. The Board of Trustees does not condone "winning at any cost" and discourages any pressures which might tend to neglect good sportsmanship, as well as physical and mental health.

The interscholastic program shall be conducted in accordance with existing Nye County School District Board of Education policy.

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