

# HOLY ROSARY ACADEMY

## STUDENT ACTIVITIES/ATHLETIC ELIGIBILITY

Holy Rosary Academy encourages its students to participate in extracurricular activities and athletic programs offered through our school. These programs are meant to afford students enjoyment and edification. They are, however, secondary to our academic program at HRA. Therefore, students whose academic performance falls below school expectations will be placed on academic probation. These students may neither practice nor play in games until the probation is lifted.

### Academic Probation

- Students whose previous report card fell below a 2.0 G.P.A. (“C” Average)
- Students whose cumulative G.P.A. on Sycamore falls below a 2.0 (70%) is ineligible for a week.
- Students with an F in any subject.
- Students with excessive absences (more than two days per week)
- Students who have been suspended

### Academic Probation Lifted

- When the next progress report reveals that the grades have improved above a 2.0 (70%)
- As soon as Sycamore cumulative GPA exceeds a 2.0 or 70% and the week of ineligibility has been served.
- When the student no longer has a F in any subject
- When the homework from excessive absences has been made up
- 1 week after a suspension

### **Further circumstances for probation:**

- Students with Saturday detention must fulfill that obligation before they may participate in any game or tournament
- Students who miss the previous Friday or the following Monday after a tournament without administrative approval will be placed on academic probation for the week
- Students who miss more than half the day will not be permitted to participate in the practice or game that day
- Students struggling academically may be asked to forego spirit days, dances, or other extracurricular activities until the grades improve.

Note to Parents: The success of the students is dependent upon 100% commitment on the part of the students to attend EVERY practice, game and event scheduled. Absences from practices, games and events harm the whole and cripple the overall effort of the teams and organizations to succeed. Teaching the students the importance of virtuous self-sacrifice for the good of the team is perhaps the most important part of extracurricular activities.

- Elementary students will be allowed to play sports upon the recommendation of their primary teacher.