

Guidelines for Home-School Athletes

Home-schooled athletes are required to pay the following:

- Registration: \$150.00 (non-refundable)
- Sports fee: \$50.00 (per sport)
- Tuition for one class: \$560.00
- Book fee: to be determined according to class taken

Home-schooled athletes are required to:

- complete all applicable paperwork
- must have a current physical
- adequate insurance to cover any injuries he/she might incur
- must furnish transcripts of their grades
- must furnish a copy of birth certificate.

In order to participate in A.L.A. Athletics, a home-schooled student must take one class on campus. That class must be for the entire year – (1 credit for grades 9-12). Academic requirements are the same for all athletics.

In order to be academically eligible for sports at Abundant Life Academy, a student must maintain a "77" over-all average and cannot have an "F" in Bible or any two or more subjects on his/her report card. The student can be evaluated after two weeks into the new nine-week period to see if eligible at that time. If the student is eligible at that time, he/she may play ball and will be monitored bi-weekly. If the student is not eligible at that time, he/she will be re-evaluated at the next report card period. If a home-schooled student does not complete his/her academic requirement, he/she will no longer be allowed to participate in A.L.A. sports.

TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must have a notarized release form signed by the parents in the office
2. Must travel with team (exception: If parents attend game, the student may return from game with parents, but *permission slips must be in the office before departure.*)
3. Travel attire to all games -- *All athletes must dress according to the guidelines set by the coach.*

Abundant Life Academy offers the following sports: Football, Cheerleading, Volleyball, Basketball, Softball, and Baseball

We must limit the number of home-schooled athletes per roster. Our desired ratio is 3:1 A.L.A. to home-schooled athletes. (For example, if there are 24 football players on our roster, 18 would be A.L.A. students and 6 would be home-schooled.) Therefore, there may need to be a "cut" if too many home-schooled students tryout for a particular team. Any exceptions to these guidelines must be approved by the Pastor and Board of Directors of Abundant Life Ministries.