



Athlete Code of Conduct

Participation with DME Sports Academy is a privilege and should be looked upon as such by the athlete. Each member of our teams should exhibit good sportsmanship in his/her actions at all times both on and off the court. Once you have committed to be an athlete in our club, you have made a choice to uphold certain standards expected of athletes:

1. I will display good sportsmanship and respect my competitors, parents, event staff and referees at all times. The use of profanity is unacceptable anywhere and at any time. I will leave all facilities in clean condition and take care of equipment at all times.
2. I am expected to act in a first class manner and should act with high moral and social standards while representing DME.
3. I am expected to wear DME apparel and it is to be worn at all practices and competitions at all times. It is to be worn in a neat and mannerly fashion (i.e., shirts tucked in). Any time I wear clothing with the DME name, I am representing DME.
4. I am expected to refrain from all illegal substances. There will be no consumption of alcoholic beverages, drugs, chewing tobacco, or smoking materials.
5. I will use social media in a positive way. I will not forward or post vulgar messages, texts, or photographs that reflect negatively on me, my team or other individuals of DME. Whenever possible, I will discourage others from postings that could be deemed unflattering or damaging to others.
6. I will report any and all injuries to my coach or Club Management.
7. I will not fraternize with coaches or members of Club Management.
8. I will familiarize myself with general knowledge of AAU and USAV rules and regulations. I will be an active member of the organization in which my team participates and have a valid membership for the entire season.
9. I understand that rules may be added at the discretion of Club Management should a situation demand it.

The rules outlined here are intended as a guide to successful participation. As a member of this DME, I will be expected to understand and abide by these rules and my team's rules. It is my responsibility to follow them to the fullest. **Failure to abide by the rules above may result in suspension or termination from the club and forfeiture of paid tuition.**

Printed Athlete Name _____

Age _____

Athlete Signature _____

Date _____

Parent Signature _____

Date _____

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