



**Lovejoy ISD Athletics
Student-Athlete Drug/Alcohol Contract**

It is a privilege and an honor to be a Lovejoy Leopard. Being a member of a team is not only a position of honor, but also one of responsibility and accountability.

Student-Athlete Pledge

I understand that Lovejoy ISD has high expectations regarding
My behavior at school-related activities as well as away from school.

I have those same expectations for my own behavior. Therefore:

I pledge

**Not to possess or drink alcoholic beverages, possess or consume
Illegal drugs or prescription drugs not prescribed to me,
Possess or use any drug paraphernalia, or attend or remain at (without proper parent supervision)
Any activity where alcohol or illegal drugs are present or being consumed.**

I understand that if I violate this pledge while NOT at school or at a school-sponsored or school-related activity, I will be subject to disciplinary action as detailed on page 2 of this contract.

I understand that if I violate this pledge while AT school or at a school-sponsored/related activity, I will be subject to disciplinary action as detailed on page 2 of this contract, PLUS all applicable consequences contained in the LISD Student Code of Conduct.

If I am found to be in violation of this pledge, I understand that I will have the opportunity to discuss with my coach, LISD Athletic Director and LHS Principal the facts involved in the violation before a decision is made regarding the disciplinary action to be imposed.

A student-athlete is considered to be in violation of the Lovejoy Athletics Student-Athlete Contract under the following circumstances:

1. Any possession or use of alcohol, illegal drugs (including prescription drugs prescribed to someone other than the student-athlete) or drug paraphernalia.
2. Willfully attending or remaining at an activity (without proper parent supervision) where the student knows alcohol or illegal drugs are being consumed.
3. Positive test under the LISD drug/alcohol testing protocol.

In the event that compelling evidence, which can be substantiated, is presented to the Athletic Director and/or LHS Principal, a thorough investigation will be completed. All decisions made by the Athletic Director and/or Principal shall be based on the facts and all athletes will be dealt with in a consistent manner. The head coach will participate in the investigation as assigned and will enforce the sanctions laid out in these guidelines.

All violations of this contract and consequences for such violations will be determined by the Athletic Director and LHS Principal according to the following guidelines and the LISD Student Code of Conduct.

Minimum Consequences for First Confirmed Positive Test

1. Conference with parent(s) and student
2. Structured intervention plan put in place to support the individual needs of the student (school based counseling to address peer pressure and coping skills, student advocate assigned, student goal setting, Lovejoy ISD case manager assigned to monitor student progress, etc)
3. Student will be randomly drug/alcohol tested every 6 weeks. Cost of the follow up drug testing will be at the expense of the parent.
4. Student shall be suspended for 10% of their competitive regular season.

Minimum Consequences for Second Confirmed Positive Test

1. Conference with parent(s) and student
2. Structured intervention plan to be revised and determined the level of support needed for the student (drug/alcohol counseling from outside of LISD, drug/alcohol screener, Lovejoy ISD case manager to communicate with any outside providers, etc.)
3. Student will continue to be randomly drug/alcohol tested every 6 weeks. Cost of all follow up drug/alcohol tests will be at the expense of the parent
4. Student shall be suspended for 20% of their competitive regular season.

Minimum Consequences for Third Confirmed Positive Test

1. Conference with parent(s) and student
2. Revisit intervention plan to determine what revisions are needed (Student to attend a 12 step recovery program, consider campus placement adjustment etc.)
3. Lovejoy ISD case manager model to continue
4. Student will continue to be randomly drug/alcohol tested every 4 weeks. Cost of all following drug tests will be at the expense of the parent.
5. Student shall be suspended for 30% of their competitive regular season.

I understand the above violations of the LISD Student-Athlete Contract and Pledge the consequences for such violations.

Print Student Name / Sport / Grade

Print Parent/Guardian Name

Student Signature / Date

Parent/Guardian Signature / Date