

**MARIAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL  
ATHLETICS DEPARTMENT COVID-19  
WINTER ATHLETIC TEAM PROCEDURES**

Coaches/Athletes/Parents/Guardians,

Marian Catholic High School is making every attempt and adjustment necessary to provide the safest measures on campus, while allowing our sports activities to resume. The following, as well as the reopening plan, are the procedures that must take place in order to ensure these safety measures are met.

**1. Before practices and home contests:** Each team (this includes players and coaches) is required to be screened for their temperatures at the school kiosk located in the gymnasium by the ticket booth lobby doors. Everyone must have their masks on and be socially distanced during this process. The team coach will supervise this process. If you **do not** have a temperature of 100.4 or higher you will be cleared by the kiosk and your coach will direct you to report to your practice area. If you **do** have a temperature of 100.4 or higher the kiosk will turn red and notify the coach. At this time the coach and student athlete will follow the protocol listed in the athletic safety plan. That student athlete will not be allowed to stay on school grounds and will need to go home immediately. The head coach will need to notify the parent/guardian, athletic director and athletic trainer.

**2. Before traveling to away contests:** Each team (this includes players and coaches) is required to be screened for their temperatures at the school kiosk. Everyone must have their masks on and be socially distanced during this process. The team head coach will supervise this process. If you **do not** have a temperature of 100.4 or higher you will be cleared by the kiosk and your coach will direct you to report to your team bus. Head coaches will fill out the league screening form which will need to be submitted to the home teams athletic trainer upon arrival. If you **do** have a temperature of 100.4 or higher the kiosk will turn red and notify the coach. The kiosk will also send a notification to the administration. At this time the coach and student athlete will follow the protocol listed in the athletic safety plan. That student athlete will not be allowed to travel with the team, will need to leave school grounds and go home immediately. The head coach will need to notify the parent/guardian, athletic director and athletic trainer.

**3. Traveling on a team bus:** All team members are required to sanitize their hands before entering the bus. All team members must have their mask on properly and practice social distancing as they enter the bus. Masks must stay on during the bus ride. Only permitted to have two people per seat.

**4. Social distancing, wearing safety masks and sanitizing hands will be enforced at all times.** Student athletes are not required to wear masks when they are engaged in physical activity.

5. The student athletes may only use the locker rooms to change quickly before and after practice. Masks need to be on at all times. Teams are not allowed to meet/gather/hangout in the locker rooms. Athletes must take home their personal equipment and wash/sanitize it on a daily basis. Student athletes are not allowed to store personal belongings in the locker room overnight.

6. Everyone must provide their own water and water bottle. Teams are not allowed to set up water stations and share water.

7. All team equipment must be sanitized by a designated coach at the end of each practice and contest.

8. Dismissal: Once the team practice/contest concludes, and all team equipment is disinfected by the coaching staff, that team must leave the school grounds. Teams are only allowed to stay for the duration of the scheduled practice/contest time and not gather or hangout after. The scheduled practice/contest times will be approved by the athletic director.

9. Student athletes are required to be at their practice/contest facility at all times and supervised by a team coach. They are not allowed to wonder/hangout around school grounds or inside the school building (this includes going to academic lockers).

\* If you are exhibiting ANY symptoms or signs of ILLNESS, you MUST stay home. If you are even questioning whether or not you should attend, **PLEASE, STAY HOME.**

\*\* Parents/Guardians dropping off and/or picking up a student athlete will need to stay in their cars when dropping off and picking up. Coaches, athletes, medical staff, game officials, and school administration are only permitted to be at the athletic facilities.

**There are absolutely NO exceptions to any of the above. In order to have a winter athletic season, these are the necessary steps that we must follow.**

**Thank you for your cooperation.**

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