

## 2020 Summer Performance Guidelines

The Oklahoma Secondary School Activity Association (OSSAA) in conjunction with State Agencies, Physicians, and the Center for Disease Control (CDC) has determined that it is safe as of Monday, June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020 to return to athletic activities. In order to insure the health and safety of all of our student-athletes, coaching staff, and other Miami Public Schools personnel, we will be implementing the following guidelines during our summer athletics activities. (*The situation surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic is fluid and adjustments may need to be made at any given time*):

### DROP OFF/PICK UP

- Athletes grades 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> drop off/pick up will be at the HS practice gym southeast door, 6<sup>th</sup> grade athletes drop off/pick up will be at the WRMS basketball gym main entrance.
- Personnel dropping off athletes are to stay in their vehicles and not enter any athletic facilities with their student-athlete. No one will be permitted inside the facilities unless they are an enrolled student-athlete or a staff member of Miami Public Schools.

### CHECK IN

- Each person entering the facility (student-athletes, coaches, and staff) must have their temperature checked upon arrival. Any individual with a temperature registering 100.4 degrees or above will not be permitted to stay. Any person not allowed to participate that day may return the next day.

### WEIGHT ROOM

- Hand sanitizer, disinfectant spray, and cleaning wipes will be available at each rack. Athletes will be asked to sanitize hands and clean equipment after use of any weight room equipment.
- Any equipment used will be disinfected by the coaching staff after each group exits the weight room prior to the arrival of the next group.
- Groups will consist of no more than twenty-five athletes.
- Max allotted time in the weight room per group will be thirty minutes.
- No shared bottles, towels, gloves, or any other personal equipment will take place

### PRACTICE GYM

- Hand sanitizer, disinfectant spray, and cleaning wipes will be available to use as necessary.
- Any area of the gym affected by human contact or perspiration will be disinfected by the coaching staff after each group exits the gym prior to the arrival of the next group.
- Groups will consist of no more than twenty-five athletes.
- Max allotted time in the gym area per group will be thirty minutes.
- No shared bottles, towels, gloves, or any other personal equipment will take place

### TRACK/PRACTICE FIELDS

- Hand sanitizer, disinfectant spray, and cleaning wipes will be available to use as necessary.
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- No shared bottles, towels, gloves, or any other personal equipment will take place



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## 2020 Summer Performance FAQ's

**Question:** Do I need an updated physical in order to participate on June 1<sup>st</sup>?

**Answer:** No, you have until July 13<sup>th</sup> to get your updated physical on file

**Question:** When can I register my student-athlete online for the 2020-2021 school year?

**Answer:** Student-Athlete registration through FamilyID is open now and can begin immediately

**Question:** Does the check-in screening need to occur each day before summer performance?

**Answer:** Yes, each person must be screened each day prior to participating in any activity

**Question:** If a person is sent home due to a "yes" answer or high temperature on the screening form, can that person participate the following day?

**Answer:** Yes, as long as they pass the screening the next day

**Question:** Does my student-athlete have to wear a mask to participate?

**Answer:** No, facemasks are not required to be worn by the student-athlete

**Question:** Can softball, cheer, and dance host tryouts in June?

**Answer:** Yes, tryouts are permitted to take place

**Question:** Will the student-athlete be disciplined for poor attendance?

**Answer:** No, although participation is highly encouraged, there is no punishment for those athletes who choose to not participate during the summer

**Question:** Will I still receive awards for perfect or high attendance?

**Answer:** No, we will not be giving out incentive awards this summer

**Question:** Can I attend and watch the workouts as a parent, guardian, family member, etc.?

**Answer:** No, only enrolled student-athletes and Miami Public Schools personnel will be allowed inside the athletic facilities

**Question:** Can sixth grade athletes attend the individual sport focus days?

**Answer:** Yes, as long as they have communicated with the head coach of that sport

**Question:** Which sports can sixth grade athletes attend on individual sport focus days?

**Answer:** Softball, Basketball, and Baseball

**Questions:** Will the locker rooms be available during summer performance?

**Answer:** No, all locker rooms will be locked and not available to athletes to use



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## 2020-2021 Waiver Liability Form

The athletic department at Miami Public Schools (“MPS”) plans to resume athletic activities beginning June 1, 2020 and has put in place preventative measures to help reduce the spread of COVID-19. MPS cannot guarantee that you or your student-athlete(s) will not become infected with COVID-19. Furthermore, attending the voluntary activities held at any location at MPS could increase the risk of contracting COVID-19.

By signing this agreement you acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that you or your student-athlete(s) may be exposed to, or infected by COVID-19, by attending the voluntary activities or any athletic practice and/or games, and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, or death. You understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at MPS may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of yourself and others, including, but not limited to: MPS employees, volunteers, activity participants, and their families. You voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to your student-athlete(s) or yourself that you or your student-athlete(s) may experience or incur in connection with attendance at MPS or participation in activities/programs at MPS.

On your behalf, and on behalf of your student-athlete(s), you hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless MPS, its employees, agents, and representatives, of and from all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto any of the risks as described above. You understand and agree that this release includes any claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of MPS, its employees, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID-19 Infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any MPS program.

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Signature of Parent/Guardian

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Date

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Printed name of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Printed names of student(s) & grade:**

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Student Name

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Grade

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Student Name

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Grade

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