

ROANOKE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Executive Director of Administration

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*Located behind the Roanoke County Public Safety Center

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Dear Parents of Roanoke County Athletes,

As Roanoke County Public Schools continues to open up opportunities for middle and high school sports programs, we want to do so as safely as possible. Parents of student-athletes are asked to read and follow the guidelines below:

- All parents/guardians of Roanoke County Public School (RCPS) student-athletes are expected to notify the school nurse if the athlete or anyone in the household is exhibiting any signs or symptoms of COVID-19, awaiting test results or tests positive, even if asymptomatic. These individuals should be held out of ALL practices and games until the recommended isolation or quarantine period has expired.
- Student-athletes who have tested positive for COVID-19 during the sports season should not exercise until they are cleared by a physician. Documentation from the physician releasing the student-athlete should be provided to the school athletic director, as it will be attached to the current VHSL physical form on file with the school.
*Guidance provided by the American Academy of Pediatric COVID-19 Interim Guidance: Return to Sports December 2, 2020

My signature on this document indicates that I have read and acknowledge the above guidelines RCPS has for all student-athletes as it relates to the impact of COVID-19.

Parent Signature


Date

Student-athlete Signature

Date

*Please return this signed document to the school to be held on file with the athletic director

Sincerely,


Dr. Rhonda Stegall
Executive Director of Administration