

- I will not promote, distribute or use illegal substances as defined in Utah Code and the UHSAA alcohol, drugs and tobacco policy (Article 10).
- I cannot participate on a college team or a team that includes professional athletes (Article 1, Section 5 & 6).
- I will not compete for money or accept any cash awards in any organized athletic activity (Article 1, Section 6).
- I could lose eligibility for one full year if involved with recruiting. Recruiting of student-athletes by a member school, coach, coaching staff, boosters or anyone else is considered a serious violation of UHSAA rules regarding the imposition of undue influence for the purposes of athletics. In the case of a student who, upon first entry, attempts to establish eligibility at a high school outside the boundary of their residence, the following may be considered as evidence of recruiting and if proven, the athlete could lose eligibility for one full year and may result in serious sanctions against the school (Article 1, Section 9 & 10):
 - Students have attended a sports related camp with coaches associated with a UHSAA member school outside the school boundaries of their residence or
 - Students have participated with a “club”, “super-league”, “all-star”, or “select” team or other similar organization with players, coaches, or anyone associated with a UHSAA member school outside the school boundaries of their residence or
 - Students or their parents/guardian have contacted or been contacted by a coach, booster or other(s) associated with a UHSAA member school outside the school boundaries of their residence.

PART 3-PLEDGE: Read through the UHSAA Sportsmanship Pledge.

UHSAA SPORTSMANSHIP PLEDGE

I accept the responsibilities that come with the privilege of participating and make a pledge to exhibit appropriate sporting behavior and be a positive role model for my team, school and community.



I PLEDGE TO:

1. Play with honesty and integrity, adhering to the rules of the sport and the UHSAA rules, regulations and By-Laws.
2. Demonstrate respect for the game and all those that participate. (i.e. teammates, opponents, coaches, officials, spectators and fans).
3. Display self-control and appropriate behavior when participating and by cheering FOR my team and NOT against the opponent. “Do Rowdy Right!”

“Raise the Bar” - Sportsmanship Matters!

Raise-the-Bar is the UHSAA Statewide Sportsmanship Program for all member schools.

Together we can make a positive difference in the lives of or students, schools and communities!

PART 4-Signatures: Read through the commitment statement then sign your name.

SIGNATURES REQUIRED BY PROSPECTIVE ATHLETE, PARENT AND COACH

*We hereby certify that we understand the UHSAA By-Laws outlined on this form and agree to abide by these and all others outlined in the UHSAA Handbook located under the “Publications” tab at www.uhsaa.org. We certify that the student-athlete is eligible to participate in UHSAA activities according to the UHSAA eligibility rules and By-Laws. We also agree to abide by the **SPORTSMANSHIP PLEDGE** stated above. We pledge to **RESPECT THE GAME AND ALL THOSE PARTICIPATING.***

Signature of Student-Athlete

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Signature of Coach

Date