

Athlete Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Seffner Christian Academy**

**Application for**

**Homeschool Athletic Participation**

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**Philosophy of Homeschooling Families participating in SCA Athletics**

Seffner Christian Academy recognizes that the parents are ultimately responsible for the education of their children. As such, some parents will choose a program of home education that specifically meets the needs of their children. Seffner Christian Academy will seek to support home education families within the guidelines approved by the school board.

**Only students in grades 6th-12th are eligible for SCA athletics.**

In order for a student to try out for a team, the application process must be completed in the following steps.

**1) Application Packet**

Please submit all of these items to the athletics office (aknox@scacrusaders.com) in one package, not separately.

- Application
- Enrollment Agreement
- Statement of Faith
- Signature Page from Athletic Handbook
- Birth Certificate (copy)
- Report Card (most recent copy)
- Medical Release Form (notarized)
- Reference Form
- \$50 non-refundable portion of the \$500 enrollment fee

**2) Interview**

Upon receipt of the application packet, the athletic office will contact you within 48 hours to schedule an interview with an athletic administrator. The athlete and at least one parent must attend the interview. Interview times are:

Tuesdays 8:00-8:25 and 10:25-10:55; and Wednesdays 8:00-8:25 and 8:30-8:55

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Within 24 hours of the completed interview, you will be contacted to either proceed to the next step of the enrollment checklist or to be informed that we will not continue the process of enrolling your athlete in SCA Athletics. SCA reserves the right to accept or deny admission based on the information provided in the completed application packet and interview.

### 3) FHSAA Paperwork

FHSAA documentation, as required by the state of Florida, must be submitted before tryouts; see attached instructions.

- EL 7
- EL7V
- GA4, if applicable (10th-12th only)
- Athletic Clearance Account, created and completed

Clearance with these forms may take up to 48 hours.

### 4) Tryouts

Once FHSAA paperwork has been cleared, you will receive an email communication with verification that the homeschool athlete is permitted to try out for his/her sport; the coach of that sport will also receive this verification.

### 5) Enrollment Fee

Upon being placed on a team, the remaining \$450 of the enrollment fee must be paid before the homeschool athlete may start practice/participate with the team.

### 6) Sports Fee

Upon being placed on a team, the fee for that sport and its player pack (up to \$100) must be paid within 15 days of the acceptance date. Fees per sport:

- Football- \$600 Varsity team; \$400 MS team (6th-8th grades)
- All other Varsity teams- \$150.00
- All other MS (6th-8th grades) teams- \$100

*Seffner Christian Academy admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, and activities made available to students of the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, athletics, or any other school-administered programs.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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### STUDENT

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Application \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Age as of Sept. 1st \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Who does the student reside with? ( ) Mother ( ) Father  
( ) Step-Mother ( ) Step-Father ( ) Grandparents ( ) Other

### FAMILY

1. Natural Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: ( ) Married ( ) Widowed ( ) Separated ( ) Divorced ( ) Remarried ( ) Single  
Pick-Up Allowed? ( ) Yes ( ) No

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Church \_\_\_\_\_ Pastor \_\_\_\_\_

Attend Regularly? ( ) Yes ( ) No

2. Natural Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: ( ) Married ( ) Widowed ( ) Separated ( ) Divorced ( ) Remarried ( ) Single  
Pick-Up Allowed? ( ) Yes ( ) No

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Church \_\_\_\_\_ Pastor \_\_\_\_\_

Attend Regularly? ( ) Yes ( ) No

3. Who has legal custody of the child for whom this application is made?  
\_\_\_\_\_

A current copy of any legal documents must be kept on file in the office. It is the sole responsibility of the parent to provide the school with any changes or updated legal documents.

4. Name of person responsible for fees: \_\_\_\_\_

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### EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

List below all schools your child has attended (include home schooling).

Name of School	Street Address	City	State	Zip Code	Dates Attended (Month/Year)

Reason for leaving last school: \_\_\_\_\_

Has any grade been repeated? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, list: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason \_\_\_\_\_

Has applicant had any discipline problems or been suspended or expelled? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Has the applicant ever been arrested? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
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Does applicant have any physical, emotional, or mental problems or handicaps that may affect activities? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Has the applicant ever taken any type of psychiatric, psychological, or educational testing other than the regularly administered school achievement tests? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Has the applicant ever been seen by a psychologist or psychiatrist? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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PARENT: Please state clearly why you want your child to participate in Seffner Christian Academy's athletic program.

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### **ATHLETE QUESTIONNAIRE**

Please state why you wish to participate in Seffner Christian Academy's athletic program.

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If you died today, do you know where you would spend eternity? Explain.

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Write a paragraph about how you make decisions regarding clothes, movies, music, T.V., and friends.

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## STUDENT AND FAMILY COMMITMENT

### Purpose Statement:

Seffner Christian Academy is a school dedicated to the glory of God. It is in existence to help you grow spiritually, emotionally, physically, and academically. We believe that the biblical writer was correct when he said, "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom."

In a very brief manner, let's look at some of the stated purposes of Seffner Christian Academy:

1. To teach that God is the creator and sustainer of the universe, and that the Lord Jesus Christ is the divine Son of God who came to earth to die for your sins.
2. To teach that God has spoken to us through the Bible, the only infallible Word of God, and to teach you how to study it, understand it, and apply its principles to every part of your daily life.
3. To inspire and motivate you toward a total personal commitment to Jesus Christ so that you might live by and believe personally His Good News, allowing Him to change and shape you.
4. To help you love, obey, respect and help others, as God desires you to look at life from His point of view.
5. To develop within you the ability to assume responsibility for the tasks that have been given you to do, and to be responsible in the way you behave and treat others.
6. To develop your mental abilities for they are given to you by God so that you may take your place in society as a mature, competent, alert, and well-trained person.
7. To help you grow as a thankful and responsible citizen of the country in which God has placed you, to understand our American heritage in order that you may better understand and appreciate the other cultures and peoples of the world.

As a Christian school, we are committed to the teachings of the Bible, and we are persuaded that there should be a direct relationship between what a Christian athlete believes and how he/she behaves. Seffner Christian Academy athletes must commit themselves to:

Abstain from involvement with tobacco, drugs, alcohol, sexual immorality, and profane language on or off campus, and submit without reservation to the authority of your parents, coaches, and school officials as given to them by the Lord. This is a committed lifestyle, not just during school hours, but twenty-four hours per day. Violations are considered as breaking a firm commitment that each athlete makes when voluntarily

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choosing to participate in SCA Athletics. Participation in drugs, alcohol and/or sexual immorality, on or off campus, will lead to immediate dismissal from all teams at Seffner Christian Academy. As a member of Seffner Christian Academy, you will be expected to exert a positive influence in your social relationships and to be a responsible member of the Seffner Christian Academy community.

Lifestyle Statement

Seffner Christian Academy is a Christian institution providing an education in a distinct Christian environment. We believe that its Biblical role is to work in conjunction with the home to mold students to be Christ-like. On those occasions in which the atmosphere or conduct within a particular home is counter to or in opposition to the Biblical lifestyle that the school teaches, the school reserves the right, within its sole discretion, to refuse admission of an applicant or to discontinue enrollment of an athlete. This includes, but is not necessarily limited to, living in, condoning, or supporting sexual immorality; practicing homosexual lifestyle or alternative gender identity; promoting such practices; or otherwise having the inability to support the moral principles of the school. (Leviticus 20:13a, Romans 1:27, Matthew 19:4-6)

I have read the purpose statement and lifestyle statement of Seffner Christian Academy and choose to faithfully abide by the school's policies that govern these areas.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Printed Name                      Parent Signature                      Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Athlete Printed Name                      Athlete Signature                      Date

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## **POLICY INFORMATION**

### APPEARANCE POLICY

- Male Athletes:
  - Hair must not touch the eyebrows, cover the eyes, or overlap the collar.
  - Face must be clean-shaven. Sideburns must not come past the bottom of the ear.
  - Earrings may not be worn on school grounds, to any school events, or any time that an athlete is representing SCA in any capacity (banquets, home/away games, graduation, practices, workouts, before school, after school tournaments, etc.).
  
- Female Athletes:
  - Dress in accordance with dress code policies in regards to length of shorts/shirts, banquet attire, and practice guidelines on school grounds, to any school events, or any time that an athlete is representing SCA in any capacity (banquets, home/away games, graduation, practices, workouts, before school, after school, tournaments, etc.).
  
- All Athletes:
  - Hair must be a natural color.
  - Body piercings or tattoos are not permitted. Any existing tattoos must be covered at all times at any school related event.

Failure to comply with appearance policies could result in removal from practice, games, teams, or special occasions (ie. banquets).

### TRANSPORTATION POLICY

- Teams will travel to all games on school transportation.
- Homeschool students are expected to ride to all games with the team.
- Homeschool students are not permitted to transport other students in their vehicles.

### CHAPEL POLICY

- Athletes in grades 7-12 must commit to attend weekly Chapel services during the season in which they participate. Chapel is Tuesday morning 9:25-10:05. Check-in up to 20 minutes prior at the main gate on campus.



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FINANCIAL POLICY

Initial after each item

- \$50 non-refundable enrollment fee submitted with application packet\_\_\_\_\_
- Remaining balance of \$450 paid immediately upon placement on a team\_\_\_\_\_
- Sport fee submitted within 15 days of placement on a team\_\_\_\_\_
  - Football- Varsity \$600; MS (6th-8th grades) \$400\_\_\_\_\_
  - All other Varsity sports- \$150\_\_\_\_\_
  - All other MS sports (6th-8th grades)- \$100\_\_\_\_\_
  - Player Pack fee up to \$100\_\_\_\_\_
- Late charge of \$35 for sport fees for not being paid by due date\_\_\_\_\_
- Suspension from sport for fee not being paid by due date\_\_\_\_\_

I have read the above appearance, transportation, and financial policies and agree to abide by these policies. I understand that failure to abide by these policies can cause my athlete to be suspended and/ or dismissed from the team.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Printed Name                      Parent Signature                      Date

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Athlete Printed Name                      Athlete Signature                      Date

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**MEDICAL RELEASE FORM**

To: Emergency Personnel

I hereby give my consent to any emergency medical personnel to administer necessary treatment to my child, \_\_\_\_\_, in the event of an emergency at which time I cannot be reached. I give consent to transport by ambulance if the situation warrants it.

I hereby grant permission for my son/daughter to participate in any and all sports and all extra-curricular activities. I waive, release, absolve, and hold blameless First Free Will Baptist Church and Seffner Christian Academy and their administrators, teachers, supervisors, physical education directors, managers, persons transporting my child to and from school activities and other participants, from any claim arising out of an injury or sickness to my child.

I authorize the personnel at Seffner Christian Academy to administer first aid to my child in the event of their involvement in an accident, injury or sickness.

**THIS FORM MUST BE NOTARIZED**

\_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN  
State of Florida \_\_\_\_\_ County of Hillsborough DRIVERS LICENSE # \_\_\_\_\_  
On the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, before me came \_\_\_\_\_,  
to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the same.

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

**EMERGENCY INFORMATION:**

Child's Doctor \_\_\_\_\_ Office Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Insurance Name \_\_\_\_\_ Policy # \_\_\_\_\_  
Hospital Preference \_\_\_\_\_

**PICK-UP/EMERGENCY LIST:** Please list the people who are allowed to pick up your child from Seffner Christian Academy AND can be contacted in case of an emergency. It is the sole responsibility of the parent to notify the school of any changes to this list.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home #: \_\_\_\_\_ Work #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_ Other # \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home #: \_\_\_\_\_ Work #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_ Other # \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home #: \_\_\_\_\_ Work #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_ Other # \_\_\_\_\_

**Medical History:**

Previous hospitalization? ( ) No ( ) Yes- If yes, why? \_\_\_\_\_ Is child allergic to anything? ( ) No ( ) Yes - If yes, what? \_\_\_\_\_ Any previous diseases or illness? ( ) No ( ) Yes- -If yes, what? \_\_\_\_\_ Is the child under the care of a doctor? ( ) No ( ) Yes -If yes, for what reason? \_\_\_\_\_  
Does child take any prescribed medications on a daily basis? ( ) No ( ) Yes- If yes, please list below:  
\_\_\_\_\_

NOTICE: No medication will be dispensed without a written prescription (i.e. Tylenol, Motrin, etc) Any history of convulsions? ( ) No ( ) Yes- If yes, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_ Are there any special instructions that we should know about? ( ) No ( ) Yes- If yes, please list. \_\_\_\_\_

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## HOMESCHOOL ATHLETE ENROLLMENT AGREEMENT

So that each parent and athlete understands school and athletic policies, we ask that you read the following information, initial next to each statement, and sign this form indicating your agreement and understanding of the policies set forth.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Students are to show respect in relation to and in speaking with SCA employees.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ The use of profanity, tobacco, nicotine, alcoholic beverages, illegal or unauthorized drugs on campus or off campus, at any time, are serious violations of the standards of Seffner Christian Academy and may lead to suspension or dismissal from the team. On campus, drug and nicotine testing of athletes may be conducted at any time and for any reason.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Athletes are not allowed to leave the school grounds during activity hours without permission from parents and proper school authorities.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ The School is not responsible for the loss of personal property, whether the loss occurs by theft or other cause.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Seffner Christian Academy reserves the right of dismissal of any student who persistently and willfully neglects his athletic commitment, exercises poor citizenship, reflects adversely on the Christian principles of the school, or generally fails to cooperate with coaches or administration. He or she may be indefinitely expelled.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Any student known to deface or destroy school property will be assessed the full cost of repairs and be subject to possible disciplinary action, including dismissal from the team.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ It is the sole responsibility of the parent to provide the athletic office with updated records and legal documents (including custody arrangements).
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Seffner Christian Academy admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate in the administration of its educational policies, admission policies, scholarships, athletic, and other school administrative programs.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ An athletic handbook will be furnished to each student and family via the school website. As parents, and students, we agree to read and adhere to the policies and guidelines set forth in the athletic handbook.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Any form of homosexuality (including self-identification), lesbianism, bisexuality, transgender lifestyle/identity, fornication or pornography is a violation of the standards of SCA and will lead to dismissal from the team or non-admittance.
11. \_\_\_\_\_ As parents, we agree that Seffner Christian Academy may use my child's picture in its promotional and periodical literature for athletic and social media use.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ I agree to the financial policies of an SCA Homeschool Athlete, and I understand that payments for Homeschool Enrollment and Team Fees must be paid on time. Should my fees not be paid on time, I will be charged a late fee of \$35. If my payment is past due, my child will be removed from the team until my account is made current.
13. \_\_\_\_\_ My child is permitted to take part in all sport activities related to the team, and I absolve the school and church from liability to me or my child in case of accident or injury to my child while on campus or during any school sponsored event. I am aware that my athlete reports all sports-related medical concerns to the Athletic Trainer.
14. \_\_\_\_\_ As parents, we sincerely pledge our loyalty to the aims and ideals of the school and athletic program.
15. \_\_\_\_\_ As parents, we hereby invest authority in the athletic department, coaches, and administration concerning the discipline of our child as necessary. We further agree that we will support the faculty and administration in discipline at home as needed.
16. \_\_\_\_\_ As parents, we agree, in accordance with the principle of Matthew 18:15-17, to bring any and all questions and criticisms to the person most directly involved. If we have a question about a specific athletic action or procedure, we will contact the appropriate coach. If a satisfactory conclusion is not reached, we will then contact the appropriate athletic administrator.
17. \_\_\_\_\_ I agree to comply with and support the spiritual, moral, dress, and disciplinary standards and policies of the school and further agree that the school has full discretion in the discipline of my child while under school supervision.

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18. \_\_\_\_\_ I understand that if I, or any agent acting in my behalf or on behalf of my child, brings any legal action against the school, athletic program, or its agents and such legal action is found in favor of the school or its agents, I will be responsible to pay all legal fees and other expenses related to such action. All disputes shall be settled in binding arbitration.

19. \_\_\_\_\_ SCA reserves the right with or without cause to search lockers, backpacks, cellphones, devices, and vehicles while on school grounds or school related functions off campus.

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Parent Signature

Date

Student Signature

Date

Athlete Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## STATEMENT OF FAITH

- A. There is one God eternally existing in three persons: the Father, Son and Holy Spirit (Matthew 28:19).
- B. The Bible is the Word of God, verbally inspired, infallible and inerrant in all that it says (II Timothy 3:16, I Thessalonians 2:13).
- C. The Lord Jesus Christ is fully God (John 1:1), fully man (John 1:14), born of a virgin (Matthew 1:23), lived a sinless life (Hebrews 4:15), performed miracles (John 4:29), shed His blood and died a substitutionary death (Hebrews 10:10,12,19), arose bodily from the dead (I Corinthians 15:12-20), ascended to and sits in glory at the Father's right hand (Hebrews 1:3) and is to return for His own (John 14:3).
- D. Man is by nature and practice a sinner, separated from God and can become God's child only by faith in the Lord Jesus Christ and His work of redemption on Calvary (Jeremiah 17:9, Romans 2:23, Ephesians 2:8,9 and Romans 10:9,10).
- E. Those who are born into God's family have eternal life and those who are not remain in spiritual death and will be separated from God forever in hell (John 3:18,36, Matthew 25:46).
- F. The Holy Spirit lives in the believer and enables the child of God to walk in purity of life and submission to the will of God (Ephesians 1:13,14 Galatians 2:22,23).
- G. All believers are united together by the Holy Spirit in the body of Christ for the purpose of causing the growth of the body and building itself up in love (I Corinthians 12:13, Ephesians 4:16).
- H. The triune God created from nothing all that is in the span of six days (Genesis 1).
- I. The ministry of the local church is God's established instrument for carrying out the Great Commission. The body of Christ, the church, is composed of all born again believers who have by faith accepted Christ as Lord.
- J. The Bible is part of our daily curriculum. This Statement constitutes the doctrinal boundaries wherein we take a firm stand.
- The original King James Version of the Bible will be used in all teaching and Bible memory activities.
- K. Human Sexuality. We believe that God has commanded that no intimate sexual activity be engaged outside of a marriage between a man and woman (Hebrews 13:4 and I Corinthians 7:1-4). We believe that any form of homosexuality, lesbianism, self-identification, bisexuality, transgender identity/lifestyle, bestiality, incest, fornication, adultery and pornography are sinful in the sight of God and the church (Genesis 2:24, Leviticus 18:1-30, Romans 1:26-29, I Corinthians 5:1 and 6:9, I Thessalonians 4:2-7). We believe that the only legitimate marriage is the joining of one man and one woman by mutual covenant (Genesis 2:24, Romans 7:2). We believe that men and women are spiritually equal in position before God (Galatians 3:28), but that God has ordained distinct and separate spiritual functions for men and woman in the home and the church (Colossians 3:18, I Timothy 2:8-15). The husband is to be the leader of the home, and men are to be leaders (pastors and deacons) of the church (I Timothy 3:4-5, 12). Accordingly, only men are eligible for licensure and ordination by the church.
- L. Abortion. We believe that human life begins at conception and that the unborn child is a living human being. Abortion

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constitutes the unjustified, unexcused taking of an unborn human life. Abortion is murder. We reject any teaching that abortions of pregnancies due to rape, incest, birth defects, gender selection, birth or population control, or the mental well being of the mother are acceptable (Job 3:16, Psalm 51:5 and 139:13-16, Isaiah 44:24 and 49:1,5; Jeremiah 1:5, 20:15-18, Luke 1:44

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Parent Signature

Date

Student Signature

Date

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## Seffner Christian Academy



### Athletic Clearance Information

Prior to any athletic participation taking place, all athletes in 6th-12th grade must be cleared through [athleticclearance.com](http://athleticclearance.com). This would include participation in tryouts, in-season practices, summer practices, conditioning, weight training, off-season leagues, etc.

After all documents have been submitted, clearance may take up to 48 hours.

**TIP: Read through this entire packet before beginning [athleticclearance.com](http://athleticclearance.com).**

#### Set Up Athletic Clearance Registration

1. Go to [athleticclearance.com](http://athleticclearance.com).
2. Choose the state of Florida.
3. Create an account with a username and password. (Remember this for future logins.)
4. Register.
5. After you login, choose "Start Clearance Here."
6. Choose the school year for which the athlete will participate.
7. Choose the school name where you will participate. (You may have to type in and add.)
8. Choose Sport.  
If you know you are playing multiple sports, please click "Add New Sport" below the drop-down menu and continue this process for each sport you plan to participate in. If you are unsure, you may still select a sport you are interested in.
9. Complete all required fields for Student Information, Educational History, Medical History, and Signature Forms. (If you have gone through the [athleticclearance.com](http://athleticclearance.com) process before, you will select "Choose Existing Student" from the dropdown menu on those pages. Please do so for Parent Information as well).
10. Continue by signing and uploading the following required documents. Once you have completed the process, you will receive a confirmation email. Once you have been **cleared**, you will receive another email.

Clearance may take up to 48 hours.



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**Required documents to be uploaded for athleticclearance.com:**

1. **FHSAA Physical** [https://fhsaa.com/documents/2020/3/26/el02\\_physical\\_2.pdf](https://fhsaa.com/documents/2020/3/26/el02_physical_2.pdf)

To remain current and cleared, this document must be updated annually on the expiration date of the previous physical. The complete physical must be signed and dated by a physician. All pages must be uploaded in one attachment.

\*Please note that the Department of Health Immunization Form that your child turns in to the school is NOT the same form as an FHSAA Physical.

2. **FHSAA EL3** (digital on athleticclearance.com)

On each athletic clearance account is a digitized form of the FHSAA EL3 Consent and Release from Liability Certificate. This is just a click and sign form, however, it also certifies that each athlete has viewed the NFHS Concussion, Heat Illness, and Sudden Cardiac Arrest courses.

NFHS completion certificates must be uploaded separately to the athletic clearance account. See the information sheet below to order the courses. The links are available on athletic clearance site, but are listed below as well.

<https://nfhslearn.com/courses/concussion-for-students>

<https://nfhslearn.com/courses/sudden-cardiac-arrest>

<https://nfhslearn.com/courses/heat-illness-prevention-2>

These courses need to be completed by the athlete once per school year with a set restart date each July 1.

3. **NFHS Sportsmanship Course** <https://nfhslearn.com/courses/sportsmanship-2>

This course needs to be completed by the parent once per school year with a restart date each July 1.

4. **Parent/Guardian government issued photo ID**

5. **EL7V** (homeschool athletes only) Registration and Verification

[https://fhsaa.com/documents/2020/8/10/el07\\_home\\_reg\\_2020\\_21.pdf?id=187](https://fhsaa.com/documents/2020/8/10/el07_home_reg_2020_21.pdf?id=187)

6. **GA4** (transfer students only) [GA4](#)



# NFHS

## Course Instructions

NFHS completion certificates must be uploaded separately to the athletic clearance account.

### **Registration**

1. Go to [www.nfhslearn.com](http://www.nfhslearn.com).
2. "Sign In" to your account using the e-mail address and password you provided at time of registering for an [nfhslearn.com](http://nfhslearn.com) account.
  - If you do not have an account, "Register" for an account. Remember to save your password and username for the following year or if you need to access your certificates of completion at any time.
3. Click "Courses" at the top of the page.
4. Scroll down to the specific course from the list of courses.
5. Click "View Course".
6. Click "Order Course." This is free, it will show as 0 for cost.
7. Select "Myself" if the course will be completed by you. Be sure that you type your name correctly for the course certificate.
8. Click "Continue" and follow the on-screen prompts to finish the checkout process.  
(Note: There is no fee for these courses.)

### **Beginning a Course**

1. From your "Dashboard," click "My Courses". The options under my courses will only populate if you ordered courses from the steps listed above.
2. Click "Begin Course" on the course you wish to take.
3. Download the certificate of completion for EACH COURSE. The school does NOT get notified upon course completion, and the certificates must be uploaded to your athletic clearance account.

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### ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION REFERENCE FORM

**This form must be completed by a non-family member. Preferably a Sunday school teacher, youth group worker, employer, or coach.**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

For each section, mark the description that best fits the athlete.

Obedience	<input type="checkbox"/> Responds well to authority <input type="checkbox"/> Unpredictable <input type="checkbox"/> Defiant
Emotional	<input type="checkbox"/> Usually well-controlled <input type="checkbox"/> Excitable; moody; upsets others <input type="checkbox"/> Apathetic; irresponsible
Industry	<input type="checkbox"/> Dependable worker <input type="checkbox"/> Works just enough to get by
Socialability	<input type="checkbox"/> Prefers to spend time with others <input type="checkbox"/> Prefers to be solitary <input type="checkbox"/> Has difficulty relating to others <input type="checkbox"/> Tends to be bossy, argumentative <input type="checkbox"/> Talkative; tends to disrupt
Judgment	<input type="checkbox"/> Unusually high maturity <input type="checkbox"/> Average common sense <input type="checkbox"/> Immature
Responsibility	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent; volunteers for tasks <input type="checkbox"/> Usually accepts when asked <input type="checkbox"/> Often irresponsible
Parent Involvement	<input type="checkbox"/> Eagerly seeks to involve themselves <input type="checkbox"/> Must be contacted to encourage their involvement <input type="checkbox"/> Always cooperative and supportive <input type="checkbox"/> Often defensive and unsupportive <input type="checkbox"/> Have remained uninvolved

I recommend this applicant for character and personal promise:

Enthusiastically  Strongly  Fairly Strongly  Without Enthusiasm  Not Recommended

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact information: \_\_\_\_\_

Athlete Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Forms may be returned to [aholmes@scacrusaders.com](mailto:aholmes@scacrusaders.com) or via mail to 11605 Hwy 92 East Seffner, FL 33584 - Attention: Athletic Department.**

## SCA HOMESCHOOL ATHLETIC ENROLLMENT CHECKLIST

### Step 1- Application Packet

- Application
- Enrollment Agreement
- Statement of Faith
- Signature Page from Athletic Handbook
- Birth Certificate
- Report Card
- Medical Release Form
- Reference Form
- \$50 non-refundable portion of the \$500 enrollment fee

### Step 2- Interview

- Interview with SCA Athletic Office
- Permission via email from SCA to proceed with enrollment

### Step 3- FHSAA Paperwork

- Submit to SCA Athletic Office EL 7
- Submit to SCA Athletic Office EL7V
- Submit to SCA Athletic Office GA4 if applicable (10th-12th only)
- Create and Complete Athletic Clearance Account

### Step 4- Tryout

- Receive verification email from the SCA Athletic Office to participate in tryouts

### Step 5- Enrollment Fee

- Upon being placed on a team, pay the remaining \$450 balance of the enrollment fee before continuing in the SCA athletic program

### Step 6- Sports Fee

Athlete Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Pay the team sport fee within 15 days of the roster to continue in the SCA athletic program