

SPORTS PROCEDURES

Tryouts for teams (baseball, softball, volleyball, basketball, track, scholastic bowl, and cheerleading):

- Coaches will conduct tryouts and select a range of numbers for athletes to be selected for the team.
- All programs requiring user fees will allow grades 5 through 8 to try out, with the exception of cheerleading entering grades 6-8 only.
- Mandatory attendance with no unexcused absences will be required for all team tryouts. Excused absences are allowed with coach's prior knowledge.
- Alternates and managers may be added to all sports teams at the coach's discretion. Alternates pay ½ sports fee. Managers may have the opportunity to advance to the team if ineligibility or injury occurs.
- Playing time is solely the coach's decision, assuming the player meets eligibility requirements as defined in the handbook
- Coaches have the right to establish their team rules that are approved by administration prior to distribution in addition to Robein's rules. The coaches will have the right to discipline, suspend, or remove a player from a team if the player violates the team rules.
- It is strongly recommended that the same uniforms are used for seventh and eighth grade teams due to the fact that many students play on both teams. This is to be considered when purchasing new uniforms.
- Students must choose between boys basketball or cheerleading.

ROBEIN EXTRACURRICULAR CODE

The following activities are included in the extra curricular code: Baseball, Softball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Volleyball, Track, and other interscholastic athletic team affiliations with Robein Grade School. This includes Scholastic Bowl, Student Council, Speech Contest, or any other student organization of the school.

Being part of a school athletic team or organization is a privilege. The following procedures are to be followed by all students in a school activity:

- Students must conduct themselves as respectful to the team, school, and community represented.
- PBIS guidelines of the school are to be followed.
- Violation of school guidelines takes precedence over rules set by the coach or the organization.
- Robein students are to comply with the rules and regulations set forth for participation in IESA activities. Copies of the IESA rules may be found on the website <http://www.iesa.org>.
- Any student receiving an in-school or out-of-school suspension may not attend or participate in any extracurricular activity on the day or days of the suspension. Any athlete/participant receiving a second suspension during a single sport/event season will be dismissed from the team.

ELIGIBILITY GRADES 5-8

Grades are checked every Wednesday. A student will be ineligible if he/she is carrying two grades of "D" for one week in their major subject courses (Literature, English, Math, Science, and Social Studies). In addition, any grade of "F" on a Wednesday grade check in a major subject course will cause a student to be ineligible on the following Monday through Saturday as set forth by the IESA regulations and eligibility policy of the Robein Board of Education. Students who are ineligible for a total of 3 weeks will be dismissed from the sport/activity without reimbursement of fees.

Students in grades 5-8 who are not athletes and are on the weekly Ineligibility List may attend home events/games provided they are supervised by their parent or guardian. (To determine weekly grades, parents/guardians need to access Skyward from the Robein School website. Passwords for Skyward may be obtained by calling the office.)