

# **KENNEDY GIRLS HOCKEY**

## **RULES and GUIDELINES** **(PLAYER and TEAM)**

- A. Player must, at all times, be progressing towards passing grades in all classes.**
- B. Player must be in school or have valid excuse for absence to be eligible to participate in that days activity.**
- C. Player must inform coaching staff with a valid excuse if unable to attend practice or game.**
- D. Players must report all injuries to the coaching staff.**
- E. Serious injuries (i.e. – concussion) will require medical approval before returning to the ice.**
- F. Foul language will not be tolerated at anytime while participating on the Kennedy Girls Hockey Team (this includes, but is not limited to, games, practices, locker rooms, arenas). If after warning, should that language persist, disciplinary action will be taken.**
- G. Abuse or showing disrespect to officials, teammates, opponents, or coaching staff will not be tolerated. Loss of playing time will result if this action is detrimental to the team.**
- H. Locker room etiquette is expected to be adhered to by all players.**
- I. Unexcused absence from practice could result in loss of playing time.**
- J. Tardiness for team events with out a valid excuse is grounds for disciplinary action.**
- K. Players will ride the team bus to and from all games when a bus is furnished (exceptions must be cleared in advance of the game and only by a parent/guardian).**
- L. All cell phones will be turned OFF and immediately put away BEFORE entering ANY arena proper. This is defined as the ice sheet, locker rooms, and stands area. If**

**you use your phone to listen to music, you need to find another source for your music entertainment. State High School rules prohibit cell phone use in locker rooms. Our team rule is extending this expectation as stated above. If you are found in violation of the above “in locker room” rule, you will face discipline from Kennedy High School. If found in violation in the arena proper area, team sanctions such as but not specific to loss of playing time, can be imposed. An emergency exception can be made as to cell phone use if approved by a member of the Kennedy High School Girls coaching staff BEFORE use is made.**