

Athletics Philosophy



Atlanta Classical Academy encourages students, families, and faculty to pursue the core virtues of our school:

courage, courtesy, honesty, perseverance, self-government, and service. These core virtues form the basis for the philosophy behind all athletic endeavors at Atlanta Classical. We will compete to the best of our ability, striving to attain virtue, knowledge, and happiness. Atlanta Classical Academy recognizes that athletic teams enhance the atmosphere of the student body, providing students, parents, and faculty with the opportunity to express school spirit and build community. Athletic competition inspires and elevates the minds and characters of those who compete and those who watch. Therefore, all members of the Atlanta Classical family can support the athletic program in a variety of ways, including coaching, transportation, concession help, and attending events. A successful program is a demonstration of the entire school working together.

TEAM POLICIES & RULES

GENERAL RULES:

- Do the best you can.
- Do it the right way.
- Always a class act.
- Treat others the way you want to be treated.
- Act in a manner that is beneficial to our virtues.

PRACTICE POLICIES:

- Tardiness will not be tolerated. Players should arrive 10 minutes before practice and should be completely dressed at the time of practice.
 - If a player is going to miss a practice, she must call the coach that day no text.
- If a player has an excused absence he will not start the next game or if he's not a starter he will not play in the first quarter.
- If a player has an unexcused absence he will miss the entire game.
- Three unexcused practices will result in dismissal from the team.
- If a player has an unexcused absence from class, he will not be allowed to play or practice on that day.
- If your sick we still need to learn and understand playbook if you plan to play in the upcoming game.

ATHLETIC CODE:

- The athletic code will be honored in our basketball program.
- Violations during season will follow school guidelines along with other considerations regarding extra punishment from the team.
 - It is a privilege not a right to be a part of a team.

ATTITUDE:

- Be committed to your academics.
- Be committed to having class.
- Be committed to doing the right thing.
- Be committed to the program.
- Be committed to your teammates.

