

Napoleon Athletics

Dual Sport Contract

*Dual Sport Requirements:

- Student-Athlete and Parent/Guardian must agree on participation and primary/secondary choice
- Coaches must agree to and follow the contract guidelines
- Student must maintain 2.5 Cumulative GPA
- Athletic Director must sign and approve the contract

If any of these requirements are not met, the student-athlete will not be able to continue with both sports. An athlete must declare a primary sport before the season begins. Student-athletes will not be allowed to dual sport after an official start date of a season. Contracts must be turned in prior to the MHSAA season start date. Once a primary sport is chosen, the following guidelines must be met:

1. **Practice day conflicts** – the primary sport takes precedence.

Athletes are expected to attend **non-conflicting practices** on days when both sports are practicing – however, athletes should not participate in high-intensity running sessions multiple times in the same day. To simplify this issue, on **even calendar dates** athletes will participate fully in primary sport practices and be restricted to skill/drill work and light conditioning in the secondary sport and on **odd calendar dates** athletes will participate fully in secondary sport practices and be restricted to skill/drill work and light conditioning in the primary sport.

2. **Game day conflicts** – the primary sport takes precedence.
3. **Practice/Game day conflicts** – the game takes precedence. Athletes are not expected to attend practice for one sport on a day when they have a game in another.
4. A student-athlete may not quit the primary sport and continue to participate in the secondary sport.
5. If a student-athlete becomes ineligible at any time during the season, the secondary sport will be dropped.
6. During MHSAA tournaments, higher levels will take precedence (e.g. MHSAA State Track Finals vs. MHSAA Baseball District).
7. Injuries and fatigue should be reported to coaches and the athletic trainer when symptoms appear. Student health and safety will always be our #1 priority when working with dual sport athletes.

Primary: _____

Secondary: _____

Coach Signature: _____

Coach Signature: _____

Athlete Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

GPA: _____

Date: _____

Athletes need to communicate with both coaches on a daily basis