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POLICY DOCUMENT

SPORT PARTICIPATION AT FLCA

DATE: October 1, 2025

BACKGROUND and PROCEDURE:

The school values team sport and individual play at competitive levels. The FLCA SPORT PARTICIPATION POLICY is directed by the provincial Fairness and Safety in Sport Act.

The Government of Alberta appreciates the commitment to promoting fairness and safety in sport and the continued collaboration in the alignment of institutional policies with the requirements of the *Fairness and Safety in Sport Act* (the Act) and Fairness and Safety in Sport Regulation (the Regulation).

- Please note that this new legislation applies to participants ages 12 years or older in female-only leagues, classes, or divisions of amateur competitive sport. The legislation does not apply to recreational sport, such as intramural activities or physical education classes.
- Additionally, participants are not required to provide a birth registration document at the time of registration. This document is only required if an athlete's eligibility is challenged in accordance with the school's athlete eligibility protocol.
- At the time of registration, participants (or the parents or guardians of minor participants) are only required to confirm in writing that they understand and that the participant meets all the eligibility requirements for participation set out in the Act and Regulation.

These student athletes are also required, as with all FLCA athletes, to maintain academic performance to participate in these sports, and moreover, adhere to various conduct codes, athlete participation form completion, and FLCA Policy documents as posted on the FLCA website - <https://www.flcacademy.org/>.

References: Bill 29 Act, The Province of Alberta LINK:

<https://www.alberta.ca/ensuring-fairness-safety-and-inclusivity-in-sport>

Fairness and Safety in Sport Regulation, The Ministry of Tourism and Sport