



THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF HARPER WOODS

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DATE: April 6, 2021
TO: Harper Woods School District – Athletic Community
FROM: Kierre Gaut, Athletic Director
RE: Mandatory Weekly Covid-19 Testing

As we welcome our athletes back in the buildings and to our practices, we want to make you aware of the new Michigan MDHHS rule that requires every athlete to be tested one (1) time per week.

In order for an athlete to participate in school sports, we will be testing our athletes once every week for COVID-19 by using an antigen test.

This requirement applies to all high school and middle school participants between the ages of 13–19 years. Student athletes under 12 years of age are not required to be tested.

Prior to starting the practice season, each student athlete will be required to complete and sign 2 forms provided by MDHHS. Those forms will be provided to the athlete by the coach or the Athletic Director. Please make sure that your student athlete completes those forms prior to joining the team practices.

There are many things that can be done to keep our schools, homes, and communities “COVID-19 free” and protect ourselves and loved ones:

- Children and adults should stay home when ill.
- Washing hands often with soap and running warm water for at least 20 seconds.
- If a hand washing station is not available, use hand sanitizer properly. Gels, rubs, and hand wipes must contain at least 60% alcohol. Dispose of wipes in the trash after use.
- Practice Good Respiratory Etiquette (cover a cough with elbow versus hand).
- Follow guidance for wearing a face covering and social distancing.

If you have questions, please contact the Athletic Director at (586) 209-2400 or email at kierre.gaut@hwschools.org.

Respectfully,

X _____ (SIGNATURE)

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