

# PLUM HIGH SCHOOL

Athletic Department

PLAYER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**As an athlete at Plum High School you are expected to:**

1. Demonstrate a sense of dignity under all circumstances.
2. Respect fellow team members and refrain from participation in any type of initiation, harassment or hazing. Report any type of such incidents to your coach, the athletic director or the principal. (PBSD Policy 247)
3. Respect the rules of the game, the officials who administer the rules and their decisions.
4. Respect opponents as fellow students and acknowledge them for striving to do their best while you seek to do your best at the same time.
5. Look at participation in your sport as a learning experience, whether you win or lose.
6. Respect the coaching staff at all times and avoid confrontation at all times.
7. Accept the personal responsibility that comes with your actions.
8. Refrain from using inappropriate language.
9. Maintain your eligibility — you may not be failing two core classes or a total of three classes to be eligible to participate in interscholastic athletics.

You are the spokesperson for our school when you represent us in athletic competition. Your actions are viewed by family, friends, opposing fans, the local community and the media.

Failure to comply with the above expectations may result in disciplinary action and possible removal from the team if is deemed necessary.

Player: **X** \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**As a parent of a student/athlete at Plum High School you are expected to:**

1. Realize that athletics are a part of the educational experience, and that the benefits of involvement go beyond the final score of the contest.
2. Encourage students to do their best, just as we would urge them on with their class work.
3. Respect the task our coaches face and support them as they strive to teach our youth.
4. Respect our opponents as students trying to do their best.
5. Respect the game officials as well as the rules of the game.
6. Develop a sense of dignity under all circumstances.
7. Refrain from using inappropriate language.
8. Refrain from coming on to the field of play, team bench areas, locker rooms or other restricted areas unless invited by a school official or coach.

I understand the expectations listed above and understand that inappropriate behavior or language directed at any party sets a poor example for student/athletes and will not be tolerated. Failure to comply with the stated expectations could lead to ejection from the athletic contest(s).

Parent/Guardian: **X** \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_