

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR PUPILS PARTICIPATING IN EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AT SHANKLEA PRIMARY SCHOOL

I. Scope of Rules and Regulations

- **A.** These Rules and Regulations shall apply to all pupils who participate in extra-curricular activities at Shanklea Primary School. For the purposes of these Regulations, except where otherwise indicated, the term "Extra-curricular activity" includes all clubs that happen at our school.
- **B.** If a pupil signs up to take part in an Extra-curricular activity they must be sure they definitely want to attend. Failing to attend is unfair to all the other children who wish to sign up; places are limited and clubs are always oversubscribed.

II. General Principles

Participation in extra-curricular activities is a privilege, not a right.

- **A.** No pupil has any vested right to participate in extra-curricular activities. However, the privilege of participation shall be extended to any pupil who meets the individual criteria for participation and agrees to abide by these Rules and Regulations. Pupils who violate these Rules and Regulations will face further action.
- **B.** Pupils who are allowed to participate in extra-curricular activities, as representatives of the Cramlington area, are held to high standards of behaviour and conduct. All pupils who participate in extra-curricular activities are expected to obey all school rules and regulations at all times, both on and off school property and both in and out of school hours.
- C. Pupils are expected to be respectful to their elders, peers, and competitors from other schools.
- **D.** Pupils are expected to act within the acceptable standards of behaviour for their sport or activity.

III. Prohibited Conduct

Conduct unbecoming for an athlete or a representative of the district.

A. "Conduct unbecoming" shall include the use of disrespectful comments, foul language, physical aggression or insubordination by a pupil, directed toward any other person, including but not limited to game officials, coaches, advisors, teammates, athletes, pupils or team members from opposing teams or schools, fans or spectators. This section applies to all practices and meetings and all times before, during and after games or school-sponsored events, as well as to travel to and from games or school sponsored events.