

athletes are expected to treat their opponents, officials, spectators, and other participants with respect. Every participant in sport has a responsibility to ensure that they do not engage in behaviour that is disrespectful or abusive to others. (Part II, section 3, clause 1, subsection 1, paragraph 1, section 1, part II, section 1, subsection 1, clause 1, paragraph 1)

- Varsity and club athletes are expected to treat everyone with courtesy and respect.
- Varsity and club athletes must abide by the rules and regulations of their sport, as set out by the regional and/or national sport-governing body. Varsity and club athletes, *especially in contact sports such as football, basketball, and ice hockey, must understand the rules of their sport, and the risks involved in their sport.*
- Varsity and club athletes are expected to avoid the use of anabolic steroids or other illegal performance-enhancing substances (e.g., EPO), as outlined by the Centre for Ethics in Sport. Varsity and club athletes who engage in or support the use of performance-enhancing substances will be subject to disciplinary action.
- Varsity and club athletes are expected to avoid any negative interaction or conflict with officials, coaches, or spectators during competition. Varsity and club athletes must remain professional at all times and respect the rights of others.
- Varsity and club athletes are expected to avoid the illegal use of “recreational” drugs (e.g., marijuana, alcohol) and “recreational” use of alcohol. Varsity and club athletes are expected to refrain from providing recreational drugs to others.
- Varsity and club athletes are expected to exhibit conduct at all times which complements the university program.
- Varsity and club athletes are expected to recognize and to pursue academic success.

E. Withdrawal From University

Students may withdraw from the university if they are unable to continue their studies due to financial difficulties, personal circumstances, or other reasons. Students who withdraw from the university are required to provide written notice to the university administration. Students who withdraw from the university are required to pay tuition fees for the term in which they withdrew.

F. Academic Appeal Procedures

Students who believe they have been denied access to the university or who believe they have been denied admission to the university may appeal the decision of the university administration. Appeals must be filed in writing within one month of the decision being made.

