



## Deer Park Tigers Football Rules

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT ALL PARENTS AND PLAYERS KNOW AND FOLLOW THE TIGER RULES

1. To be eligible to participate in each scheduled game, players must attend all practices that week leading up to the game.
2. If two practices are missed in one week, whether they are excused or unexcused, that player will not be eligible to participate in the game scheduled for that week unless approved by Head Coach and Athletic Director.
3. If one practice is missed during the week, but it is an **excused** absence, that player **WILL** be allowed to play in the game scheduled for that week.
4. Unexcused absences will be handled by each individual team Head Coach as approved by the Athletic Director. Beginning the Monday prior to the first scheduled game, upon the third cumulative unexcused practice that player will be ineligible to participate in the next scheduled game.
5. No player shall be withheld from participation in a game due to disciplinary reason without the Athletic Director's or President's knowledge of the existing problem first.
6. If a financial balance is due, that player will not be eligible to receive equipment until the balance is paid in full.
7. Players will not be permitted to practice without the required gear (ie: helmet, shoulder pads, jersey, pants with pads when required, shoes, chin strap or MOUTHPIECE) Anyone failing to bring any one piece of the required equipment will not be allowed to participate in practice and that practice will be considered unexcused.
8. A full practice is considered being present for a minimum of  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the scheduled time.

Excused Absences Are As Follows:

1. A Mandatory School related activity—(a note from the school must be presented to the Head Coach)
2. Church related activity—(a note from the church must be presented to the Head Coach)
3. Illness—(a note from the doctor must be presented to the Head Coach)

Please notify your Head Coach of any absence beforehand. Any absence not reported will automatically be unexcused.



## Deer Park Tigers / Starlights Disciplinary Rules

It is important that all parents and players know and follow the Tigers/Starlights disciplinary rules.

Any incident involving a player/member of the Tiger/Starlight organization should be brought to the attention of the Athletic Director/Drill Director immediately.

The Athletic Director/Drill Director will document the incident immediately and will attempt to resolve the situation within 24 hours of occurrence. The Athletic Director/Drill Director will inform the Board of all incidents.

If the Athletic Director/Drill Director is unable to resolve the incident to the satisfaction of both parties, the incident will be brought up to the Tiger's/Starlight's Board. Each party will present their side of the incident to the Board independently. The Board will make a final decision on the incident.

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PARENT SIGNATURE

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DATE

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PLAYER NAME

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PLAYER SIGNATURE

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