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## CIFSDS ATHLETIC PROGRAM /TEAM QUESTIONNAIRE

Reference: \_\_\_\_\_ High School \_\_\_\_\_ Program  
*School name* *Name of sport*

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Please respond to the following statements regarding any athletic program at your school based on your experience this school year at the level that your child participates using the following scale: ***Dk= don't know; 1=strongly agree; 3=agree; or 5=strongly disagree.*** One survey per family, please.

### PROGRAM'S COMMITMENT TO "PURSUIT OF VICTORY WITH HONOR"

1. The program protects the opportunity to participate for those students who meet the established standards. Dk 1 2 3 4 5

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2. The program provides a fair and equitable framework in which interscholastic athletic competition can take place. Dk 1 2 3 4 5

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3. The program provides uniform standards for all participants in the program. Dk 1 2 3 4 5

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4. The program avoids the appearance of conflict of interests in the selection of players. Dk 1 2 3 4 5

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5. The program avoids the appearance of a conflict of interests in determining playing time for players. Dk 1 2 3 4 5

6. The program discourages students who transfer to the program for athletic reasons. Dk 1 2 3 4 5

7. The program discourages those individuals who recruit athletes to the program for athletic reasons. Dk 1 2 3 4 5

#### CONFERENCES:

City Dk 1 2 3 4 5

Coastal Dk 1 2 3 4 5

Grossmont Dk 1 2 3 4 5

Metropolitan Dk 1 2 3 4 5

North County Dk 1 2 3 4 5

Southeastern Dk 1 2 3 4 5

Southern Dk 1 2 3 4 5

11. The head coach conscientiously seeks to improve the physical and mental health of all players and does not permit the pressures of winning, or other outside pressures, to influence him in preparing the players for their future as individuals rather than as athletes. Dk 1 2 3 4 5

**Player Recruitment and Retention**

12. The program requires parents, coaches and athletes to disclose any and all pre-enrollment contact to the athletic director or the CIFSDS Dk 1 2 3 4 5
13. The program does not strive to be a magnet program that players from other programs want to come to because it is a winning program with showcase and scholarship opportunities. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
14. The program is a school and community based program and is not looking to attract players from other schools and programs. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
15. Participants in the program are not displaced by transferring players without a fair opportunity to compete. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
16. New transferring players to the program do not receive special treatment or given greater opportunity to participate. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
17. Competition for a position on a team in the program is fair. Dk 1 2 3 4 5

**Program Costs and Fees**

18. There is no required financial expenditure to parents and players to participate in the program. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
19. The school provides all required uniforms, equipment, and facilities need to compete in the sport. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
20. There is strict financial accountability of any funds required from parents or players to participate in the program. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
21. All financial expenditures for participation in the program are coordinated through school personnel only. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
22. There is no expectation that program fees be paid whether a player participate in the off season program or not. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
23. Program fees are paid directly to the school/school district and an accounting is provided to the parents. Dk 1 2 3 4 5

**Program Administration**

24. Coaches in the program are accessible to players and parents to discuss concerns in confidence. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
25. In effect, participation in the program is dependent upon year round participation on out of season teams. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
26. In effect, participation in the program is dependent on participation in outside lessons from a sole provider. Dk 1 2 3 4 5

27. Coaches in the program dedicate their expertise year round to player development and are not remunerated by any source other than the governing board of the school district. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
28. The facilities of the program are dedicated to the school sports program and are not used for the personal financial gain of any private business entities providing a service to the players in the program or to the program. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
29. Participants in the program are, in effect, required to participate in specific programs outside the season sport. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
30. Specific programs required for participants outside the season of sport are approved by the district governing board. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
31. Voluntary programs such as off season conditioning, practice and club team participation are in effect mandatory. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
32. Participants in the program are not displaced by athletes transferring from other programs. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
33. All participants in the program are subject to the same rules and procedures e.g. pitchers only pitch; pitchers do not play field positions, etc. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
34. There are no promises made to transferring athletes to the program regarding playing time, position, etc. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
35. Team selection is based only on performance during the CIFSDS approved days for the start of the season. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
36. Tryouts are conducted during a set evaluation period that is reasonable in length and provides a fair and equal opportunity for all participants. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
37. My child has been treated fairly. Dk 1 2 3 4 5
38. My child will not suffer retribution if I complain about the program Dk 1 2 3 4 5

My child participates on the (circle): F JV V level.

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If you have questions or wish to provide additional information or comments, please call 858-292-8165. Thank you for taking the time to give us your input in our effort to make high school sports a wonderful educational experience for your student.