

Deer Park ISD  
ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT



## Athletic Participation Fees

The athletic participation fee applies to high school and junior high students participating in baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis, track or volleyball. Students participating in one or more of these activities will be assessed one \$50 fee, regardless of the number of activities in which they participate. Families will not pay more than \$100, even if there are more than two students in the household who participate in one or more of the designated activities.

- **Waiver of Fee** - Students who qualify for free and reduced lunch will be exempt from paying the participation fee. Parents **must** complete the “Pay to Participate Fee Payment form” and check the box stating that they are requesting a waiver. If a student does not qualify for free or reduced lunch and has extenuating circumstances, their parent should contact the athletic office.
- **Payment of this fee does not guarantee a specific position or playing time on a team.**
- **Refunds** – refunds will be made only to those students who try out and do not make a team based on a coach’s decision. Students who leave their team for any other reason including disciplinary removal will not be issued a refund. The Director of Athletics should receive request for refunds no later than 30 days after the student was cut. The parent should contact the athletic office via email ([creel@dpisd.org](mailto:creel@dpisd.org) or [jdavidson@dpisd.org](mailto:jdavidson@dpisd.org)) or by letter requesting a refund for their son/daughter. Information required includes: son/daughters name, grade, school, the sport that their son/daughter was involved in, the name, phone number and current address of the parent requesting the refund.

If you have any questions, please call the Athletic Office at 832-668-7241