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**SAFETY: ATHLETIC PROGRAM**

The school system will take all possible steps to see that physical risks to students participating in the interscholastic athletic program shall be kept to a minimum by:

1. Requiring physicals of participants.
2. Requiring strict adherence to medical advice regarding the activities of an injured athlete.
3. Making every effort to obtain well-qualified officials to handle all modified, junior varsity and varsity games.
4. Providing appropriate equipment and requiring its use at all times.
5. Providing certified coaches for every sport whenever possible.
6. Providing supervision of athletes and other students present at games and practices.

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