

# WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING AND RELEASE (Waiver/Release)

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

I am the Participant, or parent or legal guardian of each minor child (“Participant”) identified on this form. Each Participant on this Waiver/Release is participating in an athletic activity sponsored by the above-identified school, voluntarily and at our own risk, and understand and agree to the following:

**COVID-19 is a virus with no known cure or vaccine, and is highly contagious. Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD) is undertaking efforts to protect participants in athletic activities, including COVID-19 testing, social distancing measures, and sanitization of school facilities to minimize the risk of exposure to and transmission of COVID-19, but cannot guarantee that those efforts will prevent the transmission of COVID-19 while on campus and/or participating in school-sponsored athletic activities. LAUSD is allowing such athletic activities to proceed in recognition that such activities can promote and enhance the mental and physical health and well-being of its students, but encourages students and parents to seriously consider the potential risks of such participation as a result of COVID-19.**

I/We can be exposed to or contract COVID-19 while on campus and/or participating in school-sponsored athletic activities. I have read and understood the above warning concerning COVID-19. I/We choose to accept and assume the risk of contracting COVID-19 to participate in school-sponsored athletic activities. These athletic activities are of such value to me that I accept and assume the risk of being exposed to, contracting, and/or spreading COVID-19 in order to participate in these activities. I/We understand that if I/We are not comfortable or cannot agree to execute this Waiver/Release then I/We may not participate in school-sponsored athletic activities.

I/We hereby expressly waive, and release LAUSD, the Board of Education of LAUSD, and its members, employees and agents, from any and all rights, claims, lawsuits or damages of any nature whatsoever arising directly or indirectly from COVID-19 infection or transmission related to my participation in a school-sponsored athletic activities. I understand that this waiver means I give up my right to bring any claims, including for personal injuries, death, disease, or any other loss, including but not limited to claims of negligence, and give up any claim I may have to seek damages, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen. I understand and agree that this waiver and release is intended to be interpreted broadly in favor of LAUSD.

Also, this Waiver/Release shall apply to any and all school-sponsored athletic activities occurring from the date below until June 30, 2021, or revoked in writing by Participant, whichever date is earlier. Revocation of this Waiver/Release shall not affect any rights of LAUSD et al. with respect to athletic activities occurring prior to such revocation or termination and is intended to survive revocation or termination of this Waiver/Release.

I/We attest that I/We are 18 years or older and if any minor child is identified on this form, that I/We are the parent or legal guardian of such minor child.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

This form is provided on behalf of:  
[ ] The minor children identified as:

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_