

Athletic Department Philosophy

Mission Statement

Waldorf education is based on the conviction that education must engage and nourish the whole child in mind, body and spirit. Therefore, our Rudolf Steiner High School athletic program aims to engage the whole athlete by challenging the head, hands and heart.

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The athletic program operates as an integral part of the total Rudolf Steiner High School educational program. We strive to help our students develop initiative so they can contribute to society through the fullest use of their capacities.

Each student, athlete and coach shall be respected as a human being and challenged to be the best he/she can be. The program will provide for the safety and well being of each individual participant. Participating students should experience enjoyment as well as challenges in their sport. A vital component of the program is the expectation to succeed. The community, school, personnel, coaches and athletes shall all strive to excel. However, the program will not take a “win at all costs” approach. A healthy, competitive attitude is the goal for each student. Knowledgeable coaches will vigorously teach the fundamental skills and strategies of each sport.

Being an athlete on a high school team requires dedication of time and energy. Learning to make a commitment to oneself and teammates is invaluable in a young person’s development. An athlete who never gives up, keeps trying and pushing toward achieving their personal best learns that true success is attained when a person is persistent in their thoughts, feelings and actions. Rudolf Steiner Storm teams exhibit exemplary sportsmanship and attitude, which have made a positive impact with opposing teams, officials and fans.