

Beaver River Central School District **Interscholastic Code**

At Beaver River Central School, we are very proud of the students who participate on our interscholastic teams. The vast majorities of our students are dedicated to their school and bring credit to themselves, their teams, their coaches, their parents, the school and their community. The Superintendent reserves the right to make modifications to this policy on a case-by-case basis.

To help ensure that your athletic experiences at Beaver River Central School will be rewarding, the following student code has been adopted:

Suspension: Any congruent violation of the Student Code of Conduct and Policies resulting in a suspension from school, either in-school or out-of-school, will result in the consequences listed below.

All students are expected to abide by the Student Code. Support services will also be mandatory.

Student Code Violation:

Consequence	First Violation	Second Violation	Third Violation
# of Game Suspension(s)	1 game	2 games	Season Suspension & loss of team awards
# of Day(s) – Weeks suspended from Competition	1 Day – *1 Week	2 Days – *2 Weeks	*Eight (8) week Suspension
Parent Notification	Required	Required	Required
Referral to Instructional Support Team Required	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mandatory Support Services as Recommended	Yes	Yes	Yes

All suspensions from school will result in loss of athletic privileges as indicated above. Violations are cumulative from grades 7 – 8; 9 – 12 (effective September 1, 2008). Each additional violation will result in an automatic season suspension. Student must remain in counseling until released by the counselor. When counseling is recommended a student who refuses counseling will be suspended from all activities until counseling commences. A coach may impose additional consequences. The Superintendent reserves the right to make modifications to this policy on a case-by-case basis.

Alcohol/Tobacco/Drug Violation/Arrests

The following acts are prohibited for all Beaver River Central School students:

- ◆ The use or possession of tobacco products.
- ◆ The use or possession of alcohol.
- ◆ The illegal use or possession of non-prescription drugs.
- ◆ The abuse or illegal possession of a prescribed drug (i.e. steroid).
- ◆ Serious criminal acts such as felony, assault, weapons possession, out of character behaviors or hazing.
- ◆ Attendance and/or participation at any parties where minors are consuming alcohol and/or illegal drugs. Students found to be attending such parties will be suspended from one game and be required to attend counseling offered at the school. A second violation of this type will result in a suspension of four days of competition. A third violation will result in a season suspension. Any violations thereafter will result in suspension from all participation. Violations

are cumulative grades 6-8 and then again cumulative grades 9-12. The Superintendent reserves the right to handle each penalty in a case-by-case basis.

Students involved in athletics that violate school rules of conduct and discipline or those rules of the team may incur additional penalties. A student may be placed on suspension from interscholastic sports, effective immediately and without warning. While on in-school suspension, students may attend all practices but may not dress for competition. While on out-of-school suspension, students are not allowed to attend any school-sponsored function, including team practices and games.

Quitting: After two weeks of a season, an athlete may not try out for another sport during that same season.

A student has the right to appeal any suspension. The student must notify the principal, in writing, by the end of the second day (4:00 p.m.) after the suspension has been levied. Students may not participate in games, or practices during the appeals process.

Alcohol/Drug/Tobacco Violation

Consequence	First Violation	Second Violation	Third Violation
# of Game Suspension(s)	4 Games	Season suspension & loss of team awards	Suspension from all participation for the remainder of the school year
# of Day(s) – Weeks suspended from Competition	4 Days of Competition - * 4 weeks of competition	*Eight (8) week suspension	
Parent Notification	Yes	Yes	Yes
Contact Law Enforcement	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mandatory Support Services as Recommended	Yes	Yes	Yes
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The following form must be signed by the parent and the student and returned to the coach prior to the first practice.

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My Child and I have read the Student Code and understand the privileges and responsibilities of participating in a BRCS sport..

Parent' Signature _____ Date _____

Student Signature _____ Date _____