COLLEGE ATHLETIC PREP COWLES

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course is designed to introduce students to the processes and procedures pertaining to establishing initial eligibility for participation in intercollegiate athletics. Requirements necessary to register with the NCAA clearinghouse will be covered along with academic standards, financial parameters and athletic considerations pertaining to college athletics. Topics of discussion will also include the overall recruitment process, contacting college coaches, deadlines, improving confidence, increasing communication skills, and how to build a portfolio that will help with the recruiting process. The Athletic Quest curriculum will be used in this class.

GRADING SCALE

This course will use a point system to determine a letter grade. Assignments, quizzes, projects, and tests are each given a total points possible. Participation points will be given each day of attendance. Your letter grade is a percentage of the points earned.

A =	93 % - 100 %	C =	74 % - 76 %
A- =	90 % - 92 %	C- =	70 % - 73 %
B+ =	87 % - 89 %	D + =	67 % - 69 %
B =	84 % - 86 %	D =	64% - 66 %
B- =	80 % - 83 %	D- =	60 % - 63 %
C+ =	77 % - 79 %	F =	0 % - 59 %

CLASSROOM POLICIES AND EXPECTATIONS

It is important that you are on time, and willing to participate and contribute in class. Please be prepared daily with a pen or pencil and notebook. Be respectful to the instructor and your classmates. Sleeping, disruptive behavior, leaving class, and improper dress all have undesirable effects on a learning environment.

PERSONAL ELECTRONICS: iPods, MP3 players, and cell phones are not permitted during classroom instruction. Please leave these items in your locker or backpack.

ABSENT & LATE WORK MAKEUP PROCEDURES

Students will have <u>5 school days</u> to turn in makeup work for <u>EXCUSED</u> absences. Late work will lose 20% of the total points for the assignment, quiz, etc. Truancies cannot be made up. Cheating, plagiarism on assignments, quizzes, projects, tests, etc. will result in no credit for the assignment, quiz, project, and/or test. Please check the class calendar on my website for information regarding daily class discussions and activities. **Daily points will be awarded for starter questions and participation—it's extremely important you attend every day.**

OFFICE HOURS AND CONTACT INFORMATION

Days available: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday mornings 7:00-7:25 am Athletic Director office: 1316 (by the ATM) Classroom: 2724 Office phone: (801) 256-5332 Email: <u>darby.cowles@jordandistrict.org</u> Website: <u>www.coachcowles.weebly.com</u>

We have read and discussed the disclosure for COLLEGE ATHLETIC PREP and understand its content and agree to its terms.

Student Name (PRINTED)	Period
Student Signature	Date
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date