



## **Athlete's Bill of Rights**

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McFarland High School student-athletes will have equal opportunities when participating in school athletics in accordance with the California Department of Education. All McFarland High School student-athletes will

1. have the right to fair and equitable treatment and you shall not be discriminated against based on your sex.
2. have the right to be provided with an equitable opportunity to participate in all academic extracurricular activities, including athletics.
3. have the right to inquire of the athletic director of your school as to the athletic opportunities offered by the school.
4. have the right to apply for athletic scholarships.
5. have the right to receive equitable treatment and benefits in the provision of all of the following:
  1. Equipment and supplies.
  2. Scheduling of games and practices.
  3. Transportation and daily allowances.
  4. Access to tutoring.
  5. Coaching.
  6. Locker rooms.
  7. Practice and competitive facilities.
  8. Medical and training facilities and services.
  9. Publicity.
6. have the right to have access to a gender equity coordinator to answer questions regarding gender equity laws.
7. have the right to contact the State Department of Education and the California Interscholastic Federation to access information on gender equity laws.
8. have the right to file a confidential discrimination complaint with the United States Office of Civil Rights or the State Department of Education if you believe you have been discriminated against or if you believe you have received unequal treatment on the basis of your sex.
9. have the right to pursue civil remedies if you have been discriminated against.
10. have the right to be protected against retaliation if you file a discrimination complaint.