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MEMORANDUM FOR JROTC RAIDER TEAM MEMBERS AND PARENTS

SUBJECT: Policies and Procedures for Participation on the JROTC Raider Team.

1. This memorandum is to inform cadets and their families of the expectations of participation, grading policy and operating policies of the Raider Team. The goal of the Raider Team is to increase Cadets, leadership, physical fitness, and collaboration skills through physically and mentally rigorous events.
2. General information: The Raider team is a JROTC extra-curricular activity open to all cadets who are willing to make the commitment described in this policy. Those who are unwilling or unable to live up to this commitment will not be allowed to participate. The Raider Team is a physically oriented team that requires running, push-ups, pull-ups, sit ups and other physical activities. Events include Raider Challenges, and Cadet Challenges against other schools in DPS, around the state of Colorado and potentially in Daytona Beach, FL for Nationals.
3. Grading: This practice is listed in Infinite Campus as period 8 and Cadets will receive 2.5 credits a semester if they attend as required. Points are given for each practice and competition attended and for wear of the uniform on Fridays
4. Uniform: Raiders are expected to wear the prescribed uniform for practice and events. The last school day of each week, Raiders are expected to wear the ACU uniform with boots all day in school. New raiders will be expected to attend four weeks of practice (12) with no absences before they are issued the ACU uniform. Raiders who miss more than three (3) unexcused practices in a month will be required to turn in the ACU uniform and attend six (6) consecutive practices to get it back. The uniform for Raiders practice is running shoes, shorts, T-shirt, sweat pants and sweat shirt. The uniform for all Raider events is ACUs w/ a purple North or JROTC t- shirt, with shorts and running shoes carried. Raiders who receive a failing grade for weekly uniform inspection on Wednesday/Thursday will not be allowed to wear the ACU on Friday and will receive a failing grade.
5. Schedule: Practice is an essential part of the Raider team ethos. It is essential to gain skills required to do well at events and to build strong team work. The Raider Team will practice Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 6:15am to 7:30am. Absences will only be excused by a note from a teacher or parent.
6. Attendance: Cadets whose overall GPA falls below 2.0 of who have an F in any class listed in Infinite Campus progress and eligibly will be allowed to participate in Raider practices but will not be allowed to participate in Raider events. Cadets who miss a practice or scheduled event will only be excused with a note from a teacher or parent. Three (3) or more unexcused practices in a month will result in removal from the Raider team for a semester.
7. Raider Cords and Arc Pins: The black and yellow Raider cords will be issued to Cadets who have competed in two (2) or more competitions.. Raider Arc Pins will be issued to Cadets who have competed in one (1) competition.

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