
**CARROLL COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS**

BOARD POLICY JJIB: INTERSCHOLASTIC AND COROLLARY ATHLETIC FEE

The Board of Education of Carroll County believes that, for many students, extracurricular activities help to promote educational achievement. However, the cost of extracurricular activities, particularly interscholastic and corollary athletics, has out-paced the ability of the Carroll County Public Schools to adequately fund such activity. Accordingly, in an effort to maintain interscholastic and corollary athletic activities, a per activity fee will be charged to each student involved in an interscholastic and corollary athletic activity.

The following regulations will be followed to implement this policy:

1. Students who participate in an interscholastic athletic activity (ninth grade, junior varsity, and varsity athletic teams, including cheerleading squads) are required to pay a fee of \$105.00 per activity. No parent will pay more than \$150.00 for one season for multiple children in activities. Parents who select an online method of payment will bear the cost of any administrative or convenience fees.
2. Students who participate in a corollary athletic activity are required to pay a fee of \$50.00 per activity. No parent will pay more than \$150.00 for one season for multiple children in activities. Parents who select an online method of payment will bear the cost of any administrative or convenience fees.
3. This fee must be paid prior to the first athletic contest.
4. The interscholastic and corollary athletic fee will be waived for students enrolled in the Free and Reduced Meal program and for students in rare and exigent circumstances as determined by the Superintendent/designee.
5. The athletic fee may be reimbursed at a 50% rate if the student-athlete's team has participated in 20% or less of their regular-season schedule at the time the student-athlete is no longer a member of the team (i.e., the student no longer practices, plays, or travels with the team and has turned in the uniform). This reimbursement request must be made in writing to the school's principal prior to the final regular season game of that team's season.

6. Each high school will submit payment to the school system for the number of student athletes that are listed on its state eligibility rosters, less those athletes participating in the Free and Reduced Meal program. Schools must submit their payment to the school system by the following dates:
 - September 15 - Fall Sports
 - December 15 - Winter Sports
 - April 15 - Spring Sports

5. The Supervisor of Athletics shall enforce these administrative regulations.

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