

Dear TNS Families,

Welcome to The New School Athletics Program for the 2019-2020 school year. Our sports program is a great way for students to enjoy the spirit of competition in a safe, structured environment, while using their talents to strive for success and excellence at a high level.

Aside from gaining fundamental athletic skills, students learn the value of practice, preparation and perseverance, how to work together to achieve a common goal and how to succeed and fail with exemplary character.

Together, as parents, guardians, and coaches, we will work to inspire student-athletes to live as leaders on and off the field, and as responsible citizens to the community. We hope that your child will choose to participate in the athletic program here at The New School. Our goal is to provide a positive experience for every student-athlete and family. Your support, however, is by far the most influential to their motivation, perceived competence and overall enjoyment.

The New School offers sports for Junior High and Upper School students. Middle and Lower School sports will run through the Boys & Girls Club. Strength and Conditioning is provided for athletes in grades 7-11. Below you will find a listing of our sports offerings for the 2019-2020 school year:

Upper School and Junior High School

Cross Country (Boys & Girls) Volleyball

(Girls)

Basketball (Boys) Cross Country (Boys &

Track & Field (Boys & Girls) Track & Field

Girls)

Golf (Boys & Girls) Basketball (Boys & Girls)

Tennis (Boys & Girls) Swimming (Boys &

Girls)

Mew 2019-2020 Bowling (Boys & Girls)

Girls)

More information about start dates, season schedules and The New School's collaboration with the Boys & Girls Club will be provided at future parent meetings.

This year, The New School will hold its second season as a member of the 1-A 1 District of the Arkansas Activities Association in basketball, tennis, golf, and track and field.

I am looking forward to working together with you and your child this season!

Sincerely,

Athletics Director

Taria Fenell

^{*}Please note that there are no separate athletic fees to be paid this year to participate in our athletic programs.