2022 8th Grade CPMS Football

Practice

- We will practice Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday from 6-8 pm
- Monday focus on Offense/Tuesday focus on Defense/ Wednesday focus on special teams and game prep
- We will practice indoors if there is inclement weather. Please have players wear/bring a pair of tennis shoes everyday.
- Practice is vital to the success of our team and overall player development.
 Please help make sure your player attends everyday. If they are at school, they should be at practice as well.

Games

- Attached is a game schedule
- Away games: Students will stay after school and ride a bus to and from game location.
- Home games: Students will go home after school and return to locker room before the game.
- We will need three parent volunteers for each of the five home games to help with the first down markers on the sideline (chain gang.) If you would like to volunteer please sign up.
- Subway before away games- The past two years we have participated in a Subway deal that is optional for players before away games. A parent volunteer has picked up and delivered the food to the school. Please message me if you are interested in volunteering.

Uniforms/Equipment

- All players are issued shoulder pads, helmets, and mouthpiece.
- Player package includes a practice jersey that players keep.
- Only game jerseys will be washed by the school. Please have players take home other laundry occasionally.
- Game pants and socks
 - We will keep the same pants/sock colors this year. Blue pants and Orange socks
 - Many players ordered their pants from Sports Plus last year. Cost for pants/socks this year is \$32. These pants come with built-in pads.
 Message me with any questions

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Academic and Behavior Expectations

- -Every CPMS football player is a student-athlete representing the team both in the classroom and on the field.
- -Student-athletes are expected to maintain his/her grades and display appropriate behavior at school. Failure to do so will result in loss of playing time on the field.

Academic

• All students are academically eligible at the beginning of the school year. Student-athletes will receive mandatory grade checks every 4.5 weeks. Students who are failing 2 or more classes will be placed on a two-week academic probation program. The student may continue to practice, however they will not be allowed to participate in or travel to any contests. At the conclusion of the two-week probation, the Athletic Director and the student's teacher will assess the academic progress of the student. If sufficient progress is made the student will be removed from academic probation. If academic progress isn't achieved, the student will remain on probation for additional two-week intervals.

Behavior/School Attendance

- To participate or attend a school-related activity the student MUST have been in attendance at school the day of the event or the Friday preceding a weekend event, unless prior arrangements with school administration have been made.
- Students who have been assigned ASD, Thursday School, ISS or OSS may not attend any extracurricular events on the assigned dates.

Parent/Guardian signature	
Student-Athlete signature	
Please sign and return to Coach Bailey	