

Lancaster School District

## **Middle School Athletic Coach**

### **Description of Duties**

#### **Role**

The Coach may coach one or more sport teams in the Tri-District League during the school year. The coach must be familiar with the rules and regulations of the sport(s) and will be responsible for helping each participating student achieve the highest possible level of skill and appreciation for the sport(s), values of discipline and sportsmanship, and an increased level of self-esteem. The coach must have the required first aid/CPR certification. The cost of the certification through a district approved vendor will be reimbursed by the district.

#### **Responsibilities**

- Coaches individual participants in the skills necessary for excellent achievement in the sport involved
- Plans and schedules a regular program of practice during the season
- Works closely with the site principal and other District coaches and principals, as well as other area coaches, in scheduling interscholastic contests
- Works closely with site and/or District leadership teams to establish student eligibility
- Knowledge and completion/submission of appropriate District required forms (Activity Participation Form, Parent Permission Form, Field Trip Request, etc.)
- Enforces discipline and sportsmanlike behavior at all times
- Assists in the provisions of upkeep and maintenance of athletic facilities
- Supervises students at all practices and other sporting events until released to approved adult
- Establishes and maintains a professional working relationship with all other coaches and players
- Keeps abreast of current trends and changes of rules and regulations
- Performs other related duties as assigned

#### **Rate of Compensation**

Flat Amount: \$500 per team coached (not to exceed 15 coaches per school year)

Payment: Total stipend amount to be paid after duties/responsibilities have been completed for the season, and requisite paperwork has been submitted to Payroll.