The mission of Island Christian School is to "Provide quality Christian education to the families of the Florida Keys; educating the mind, body, and spirit while developing a closer relationship with Jesus Christ." The strengths of Island Christian School lie in our strong and sound academic programming, our commitment to producing servant leaders, and our ability to provide extracurricular activities to our students.

Prior to agreeing to participate in an athletic activity, each student and their parents should discuss the time and energy allocations necessary to properly commit to the team. Students and parents should be aware that the team may be composed of players from grades six through twelve with a wide variety of athletic ability and maturity levels. Athletic activity participation should never be allowed to diminish a student's academic ability and it is recommended that the student discontinue participation if academic difficulties arise or if the commitment of time or energy becomes overwhelming. If at any time an administrator, a teacher, or a coach has a concern with the athlete's academic progress, participation may be suspended immediately and not resumed until satisfactory progress is demonstrated.

An important mission of the Island Christian athletics program is to teach and reinforce Christian values relating to sportsmanship, competition, and fair play. It is expected that team personnel, parents, and spectators respect this mission by exhibiting appropriate behavior at athletic events. Anyone not displaying proper behavior will be dismissed from the event and possibly the team.

Rest assured that open communication exists between our classroom teachers, our administrative team, and our athletic coaches. The best interests of our students are the highest priority. Questions concerning athletic participation should be directed to Island Christian School Director of Athletics, Mr. Matthew Bennett at 305-664-4933 ext. 308 or Athletics@islandchristian.org.

I agree to abide by the expectations put forth both on this contract and in the student handbook.

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Athlete Name Printed

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Athlete Signature Date

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Parent/Legal Guardian Signature Date