



Important Athletic Information

If your student is planning to try-out and/or participate in the Centennial High School Athletic Program, please be aware of the following requirement:

No student may participate in any clinic, try-out, practice event, etc. until all of the necessary Athletic Clearance paper work has been submitted to Centennial High School and the Athletics Office has cleared the student to participate. ALL potential student Summer/FALL athletes must have a physical on file with the Athletic Department no later than June 7, 2019 in order to participate in our summer programs. Please call Alisa Fensler, Athletic Secretary, at (951) 739-5692, if you have any questions.

All potential athletes must pick up an athletic clearance packet from the Athletic Office, Front Office, or online at School website and fill all information out completely. Athletes must obtain a physical exam clearance with a doctor of your choice. **The doctor will need to complete and sign the back page of the athletic clearance packet so be sure to take this to the doctor appointment.** If you are not planning on participating in a Summer or Fall program, the completed athletic clearance packet must be returned to the Athletics Office on or before August 19, 2019. It is always helpful when physicals are dated May 31, 2019 or later to avoid the clearance from expiring prior to the end of the athletic season. Completed athletic clearance packets may be dropped off to the Athletics Office or the Front Office at Centennial High School Monday through Friday between 8am – 12 noon or 1pm – 3pm each day.

Student Registration-Legal Name vs. “Other Name”



California law requires that school districts use students’ legal names, not nicknames, in pupil records. The California Code of Regulations, Title 5, Chapter 2, subchapter 2, Article 3, Section 432 states in part...records shall include the following:

- (A) Legal name of pupil
- (B) Date of Birth
- (C) Method of Verification of birth date

To avoid problems for students at the time of graduation, registrars must ensure that students’ **legal names** are on diplomas, not nicknames. Using a nickname would also create a problem for students returning to request their transcripts: by law, transcripts must have a student’s legal name printed on them.