

Bridge City ISD Athletic Events

The following will be our protocol for all of our sporting events for this school year. The plan may change as UIL, TEA, CDC, and Local policies change. We will have to be consistent in order to ensure the safety and well-being of our student athletes during this time. Your assistance in this is required and appreciated.

Athletes and Coaches:

- Student athletes will bring their own water bottle to practice and games every day. There will be water available only to refill their bottles.
- Face coverings will be worn by all athletes while not actively competing in the games. Players on the benches during inside contests will be required to have their face covering on.
- Coaches will be required to have a face covering on while coaching inside sports. Coaches during outdoor sports will be required to have a face covering on when not able to be 6 feet away from others.
- Per UIL guidelines, there will be no post game handshakes with the opposing teams. Once your game has finished, athletes and coaches will immediately return to the locker rooms. Post-game talks will occur inside.

Parents and Spectators:

- Spectators are not allowed to interact with our athletes on the field or courts at the conclusion of games. Once the game ends, spectators will be required to exit the gym.
- Spectators are not allowed to enter the track or field at the stadium during or after games. There will be no mingling with fans or parents at the conclusion of games.
- Per UIL guidelines, anyone entering a UIL sanctioned event will be required to wear a face covering. Spectators **MUST** have a face covering on when entering the gates unless you have a medical condition that prevents that. Face coverings should be worn while in the stands unless you can practice social distancing, eating, or drinking.