

## **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Extracurricular activities provide important learning experiences and personal challenges that complement the basic school curriculum. Elementary/middle and high schools will strive to provide extracurricular activities that enhance Catholic school education such as clubs, dance and musical performing groups, drama, forensics, government, social activities, student publications, school team sports, etc.

At the high school level, all activities will be conducted in compliance with diocesan directives as well as the standards and guidelines of the Utah High School Activities Association. Local school standards may exceed these.

All extracurricular school activities in the school are to be conducted under the supervision of the principal and/or a designee, according to the following guidelines:

1. Extracurricular activities must be conducted according to school rules regarding parent/guardian permission, transportation of students, medical release, signed permission to miss class, etc.
2. Extracurricular activities and practice time will be scheduled so as to preserve the integrity of the basic instructional program.
3. Extracurricular activities must be conducted by personnel instructed in relevant diocesan/school and Safe Environment policies. (Includes coaches, drivers, advisors. etc.)
4. Guidelines for transportation of students as stated in Policy 4500 must be followed.