

DuPage Parochial Basketball Association

Sportsmanship Statement

The schools of the DuPage Parochial Basketball association consider good sportsmanship to be one of the important values that we try to teach our student-athletes. The Association's administrators, coaches, and school principals are committed to supporting and demonstrating good sportsmanship. Nothing less is expected from the fans who attend our games. Therefore, any fan who behaves in an unsportsmanlike or disruptive manner will be dealt with in a firm, appropriate way.

Please be a good sport! Cheer for your team and recognize the good performance by others. Know the rules of the game. Enjoy your role in the contest. Remember that grade school basketball is a learning experience for everyone; coaches will err, players will make mistakes, and referees will sometimes see things differently than the fans. Please keep in mind that everyone is putting forth personal effort towards making the contest a positive experience. Appreciate their efforts rather than condemning them. It is important that fans do not interfere or get over-involved in the game, nor attempt to interact in a negative way with the coaches, players, game officials, and other fans.

Be a good role model and a good representative of your school.

Thank you and enjoy the game!