



## Upper School Athletic Requirements:

**Brentwood Academy requires four (4) athletic credits for graduation. These credits may be obtained by:**

- Participating in a BA team sport and offseason workouts for that sport
- Enrolling in a BA Physical Education (PE) class
- Obtaining approval to participate in an External Athletic Program (EAP\*) (Upper School only)

## External Athletic Program (EAP):

Brentwood Academy upper school students may apply for an off-campus athletic program or EAP. Students who choose this option to earn athletic credit must compete on the BA-equivalent team. For example, a student who swims with a club team must also compete for the BA Aqua Eagles. While there may be others, examples of programs that qualify for EAP include year-round swimming, golf, and club hockey.

## Applying for EAP:

The application for EAP may be found under the Athletics section at [www.baeagles.com](http://www.baeagles.com) and must be submitted prior to the start of the coming season. The application must be submitted prior to the start of school (fall), December 1 (winter), and March 1 (spring). Upper school students participating in an EAP do not need to sign out with Cathy Locke each day.

## Upper School Athletic PE:

Upper school athletic PE credits take place during the school day Monday - Thursday from 3:00 PM - 3:45 PM. Team sport practices begin at 3:00 PM and end per the team's schedule. Some BA sports teams hold practice on Fridays.

## Upper School PE Coaches for '23 - '24:

Q1 Boys - Jose Chavira    Girls- Caitlyn Brinkley

Q2 Boys - Matt Brown    Girls- Caitlyn Brinkley

Q3 Boys - Steve Widmaier    Girls- Kala Gill

Q4 Boys - Steve Widmaier    Girls - Kala Gill



## **Middle School Athletic Requirements:**

Brentwood Academy requires all middle school students to participate on a BA team or in a BA physical education class each quarter. Details are as follows:

If a student tries out for a team and is cut, the student must choose another athletic option.

Although the BA dance program is part of the Fine Arts department (not athletics), dance PE and/or being a member of the BA dance team fulfills the athletic requirement.

Tryouts for 6th Grade Basketball and MS Basketball will be held after Thanksgiving.

Athletic expectations continue until academic classes end in quarter 4.

Students are encouraged to help BA teams before defaulting to the PE option.

MS athletic class offerings take place during the school day Monday - Thursday from 2:15 PM - 3:15 PM. Team sports practices begin at 2:15 PM and end each day per the team's schedule. On Fridays, middle school team sports will practice at the coach's discretion.