## GEORGIA TECH ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION Tutoring Agreement

## **Student Responsibilities**

- 1. I will attend class regularly. My tutor is not a professor and attending tutoring sessions *cannot* take the place of classroom attendance. I understand that tutoring is supplemental to the classroom experience.
- 2. I will adhere to my tutoring schedule. My tutoring schedule is considered a commitment, and I will keep it in mind when making any other appointments.
- 3. I will take the time to learn my tutor's name and communicate my goals regarding tutoring and the course.
- 4. I will be on time to my tutoring appointments. I will make every effort to contact the Tutor Coordinator if I am running late. My tutor is only obligated to wait 15 minutes and if I arrive after this, it will be considered an unexcused absence.
- 5. If I am ill, or have a family emergency, I am allowed an "excused" absence IF I notify the Tutor Coordinator [or my academic coordinator, if she cannot be reached] 24 hours prior to my scheduled session.
- 6. I understand that following **2 unexcused absences** per subject, I will receive written notification that my tutoring services will be suspended for the current semester, as well as a message sent to my academic coach & Head Coach/Assistant Coach responsible for academics. I also understand that 2 tardies will count as an absence.
- 7. I will come to my sessions prepared with the relevant course materials, study materials, and proper notation equipment.
- 8. I will read assigned class material and make my best effort to complete assigned problems, homework, or assignments *before* coming to my tutoring appointment so that I may present questions about concerns and/or issues to my tutor. My tutor's role is to help me gain a better understanding of the material.
- 9. I understand that my tutor will not do my work for me or help me more than I am willing to help myself.
- 10. I understand that there is no food or drink allowed in my tutoring session. In addition hats, electronic devices, and tobacco/tobacco-less products are also prohibited as I am entering a learning environment and will remove all distractions.
- 11. I will provide the Tutor Coordinator with a completed evaluation of my tutor at the end of the academic semester.

## **Peer Tutor Responsibilities**

- 1. I will attend all scheduled tutoring sessions. I have made a commitment this semester and I will do what is necessary to keep it.
- 2. I will always do my best to be punctual and keep scheduled tutoring sessions. I will contact the Tutor Coordinator by phone/e-mail/or text as far in advance as possible if I am running late or must reschedule an appointment.
  - Preferably, sessions should be rescheduled within 48 hours.

- Tutors who miss a scheduled session without notifying the Tutor Coordinator will be marked as a "no-show."
- Tutors who have two "no-shows," or repeated cancellations may be dropped from a student's schedule.
- Wait at least fifteen minutes before marking a student as a "no-show."
- Inform the Tutor Coordinator if a student has two "no-shows."
- 3. I will take the time to learn my assigned student-athlete's name and communicate my commitment to helping students achieve their academic goals. During each tutoring session, my student will receive my total attention.
- 4. I will be prepared for each tutoring session so that I may assist students in identifying problem areas through question & answer and/or using examples to demonstrate concepts and theories, providing more opportunity for practice.
- 5. I will admit my own weaknesses and seek assistance whenever I need it.
- 6. I will confirm the next scheduled session prior to the end of the current session, as well as, help the student develop a plan of study before our next meeting.
- 7. If my student requires study skills intervention beyond my role as a tutor, I will communicate that information to the Tutor Coordinator in the GTAA.
- 8. I will always behave professionally while I am in the tutoring role and will not become personally or romantically involved with my student while I am his/her tutor.

I have read and discussed the information contained in this agreement with my tutor and I fully understand & agree to all the above policies under which my session has been scheduled. I agree to work cooperatively with this tutor to achieve academic success and to fulfill my responsibilities as a tutee. I understand that tutoring may be suspended or discontinued if it is determined that I am not making an effort to benefit from these services.

Student Name (please print):	
Student Signature:	_ Date:
I have read and discussed the information contained in this with this student to assist him/her in achieving academic s	
Tutor Name (please print):	
Tutor Signature:	Date: