

# **SELF-DISCIPLINE**

#### What is SELF-DISCIPLINE?

**Self-Discipline** is the ability to get yourself to take the correct action regardless of how you feel. **Self-Discipline** is always giving your best in all situations, on and off the field. **Self-Discipline** is having a focus broader than what just matters to you.

#### Why is SELF-DISCIPLINE important?

Having Self-Discipline keeps one focused on the correct priorities.

Self-Discipline brings selfish desires under control in order to achieve a greater end.

Self-Discipline will develop good habits. Habits are our automatic reaction to events.

Being self-disciplined makes you a better a team mate, friend, student and a better person.

### Examples of how to show SELF-DISCIPLINE

Complete responsibilities first before focusing on just having fun;
Complete school assignments before practice
Complete home chores before going out to play
Follow through with coach's instructions instead of doing your own thing.
In a game or in performing a routine, self-discipline is executing your responsibility despite how you feel.
Self-Discipline leads to executing a play correctly.

Watch your thoughts; they become words.
Watch your words; they become actions.
Watch your actions; they become habits.
Watch your habits; they become character.
Watch your character, for it becomes your destiny!!!

## What is the opposite of SELF-DISCIPLINE?

Opposite of Self-Discipline is being undisciplined.

When you don't have discipline, you become unreliable and cannot be counted on to follow through.

Whether you are a student, team mate, or a friend, you become more valuable when others can depend on you because of your consistency in what you do.