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Win the Moment
Winning the moment means focusing on the next right action rather than dwelling on past mistakes or future outcomes. Whether in practice, competition, the classroom, or relationships, Griffin athletes seek to faithfully steward the moment God has placed before them.

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Identity anchors everything.
Our student-athletes are first and foremost children of God. Their value, worth, and purpose are rooted in Christ rather than athletic performance, statistics, awards, or outcomes. Because their identity is secure, they are free to compete boldly, take risks, pursue ambitious goals, and respond to both success and failure with confidence and joy.

Virtue flows from Identity.
Because our identity is secure in Christ, we seek to compete with humility, courage, perseverance, self-control, gratitude, service, and integrity. Athletics provides a unique arena in which these virtues are tested, refined, and displayed. We believe true competitors are not only skilled performers, but people of character who pursue victory in a manner worthy of Christ.

Mastery expresses Identity and Virtue.
We pursue excellence through disciplined preparation, continual improvement, and faithful stewardship of the gifts God has given us. We believe competitive greatness is built through thousands of ordinary moments of effort, sacrifice, and consistency. Mastery is not perfection, but the relentless pursuit of becoming the best version of ourselves and helping our teammates do the same.
Winning matters, but it is not ultimate.

We strive to compete at the highest level possible and pursue championships with passion, discipline, and determination. We prepare to win, expect to compete, and celebrate excellence when it is achieved. Yet we recognize that trophies, records, and awards are temporary, while character and faith endure. Winning is a worthy goal, but it is a poor foundation for identity. The ultimate aim of Griffin Athletics is to develop Christ-centered young men and women who compete with excellence, lead with virtue, and faithfully serve wherever God calls them.