# Athletic Affiliation Agreement with The University of Texas at

Arlington

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### Overview of Recommendations

- Partnership with University of Texas at Arlington (UTA)
- Clinical training for athletic trainer interns at Duncanville ISD
- Five-year term with option to terminate early
- No exchange of funds between parties

#### University Responsibilities

- Assign only qualified, prepared students
- Provide faculty oversight and coordinate with district liaison
- Supply evaluation criteria and assign grades
- Remove interns if rules, safety, or confidentiality are violated

#### District Responsibilities

- Provide facilities, equipment, and resources for training
- Assign a licensed Facility Liaison for intern supervision
- Maintain compliance with licensing and accreditation standards
- Offer orientation and ensure adherence to district rules



- Builds partnership with a leading athletic training program
- Supports future pipeline of athletic trainers
- Enhances services for student-athletes without added cost
- Flexible terms protect district safety and policy compliance

## QUESTIONS?