



# EQUIPMENT WAIVER

**\*For use should a player provide their own equipment\***

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The Ontario Varsity Football League and its members strive to provide the safest playing environment possible.

This letter confirms that \_\_\_\_\_ and/or guardian that any equipment worn or used which is not provided by an Ontario Varsity Football League (OVFL) member will be properly maintained and used as per the manufacturers specifications and that the league and its member teams are not liable for the misuse or failure of the replaced equipment. (Example of but not all inclusive of replaced equipment is shoulder pads, helmets, and visors).

It is mandatory that helmet visors shall be clear in colour and have an accepted safety rating (CSA). Tinted visors ( yellow ) are only allowed at the discretion of the League when that member club receives written permission from a physician stating the foresaid player requires tinting for medical reasons. Mirrored and dark tinted visors are disallowed.

It is the responsibility of the player to ensure the equipment used meets requirements of the Ontario Varsity Football League, its membership and the Canadian Amateur Rule Book.

For safety reasons the Ontario Varsity Football League strongly recommends that the only equipment used be provided by the member team/league. In the event a player chooses to use equipment not provided by the member team/league the member team/league and/or the OVFL will not be liable for any injury that is cause by or attributed to the misuse, failure or maintenance of equipment.

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**Member Association**

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**Player First & Last Name (Please Print Clearly)**

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**Player Signature**

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**Date**

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**Parent or Guardian Signature**  
*(if under 18 years of age)*

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**Date**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, acknowledge by way of an initial that the equipment meets the requirements of the manufactures specifications, and the Canadian Amateur Football Rule Book.

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**Initials**