

All members of the local media must display a complimentary media pass when covering JPS games and activities.

Reporters and photographers from television stations, newspapers, and radio stations and/or cable television systems shall be allowed access to all games on the day of games.

Locker rooms **ARE CLOSED** to the news media.

Coaches are responsible for selecting players to participate in media interviews. Players and coaches are permitted to grant interviews. Only pre-game and post-game interview sessions are permitted to media during game/activity day. Postgame media interviews should be limited to 5 minutes and only reflect details about a previous or upcoming athletic game, activity, or event. Time limits on interviews can be extended for special coverage with advance approval.

Media interviews are not permitted during classroom instructional times on school days. Requests for media coverage of afternoon team practices must be approved in advance by the JPS Athletics Department (601) 960-8825 **or** Public Engagement Office (601) 960-8935.