



2018 LSU BAT GIRLS POLICIES

LSU Bat Girls are expected to conduct themselves in a professional manner both on and off the field. The following policies must be followed to ensure the success of the Bat Girls Program. You must uphold each and every policy listed below.

1. Being an LSU Bat Girl cannot be placed secondary to other non-academic activities. If a Bat Girl is a member of a non-academic organization, it is necessary to make prior arrangements so that the Bat Girl can attend all required events and games. Approved absences such as death in the family or serious illness will be granted only by permission of the sponsor. If you are unable to attend, you must find a replacement and notify the sponsor. **Failure to do so will result in dismissal.**
2. Bat Girls are not allowed to work in the LSU Athletic Department.
3. Bat Girls must refrain from improper or illegal use of alcohol, drugs and nicotine.
4. Bat Girls must refrain from improper personal behavior. Smoking and drinking are not permitted in Bat Girl uniforms or while in attendance at any Bat Girl event or game. Uniforms are not to be worn outside of Bat Girl events and LSU Baseball games.
5. Bat Girl uniforms are to be cared for properly and returned in the same condition it was received. You are responsible for the care and cleaning of your uniform. If Bat Girl uniform is not presentable, the Bat Girl will not be allowed to work the game. The equipment and uniforms Bat Girls receive are loaned to them by the Athletic Department and are to be returned at the end of their use. If an item is lost or damaged (beyond normal wear and tear) it is the Bat Girl's responsibility to replace it. Failure to return all items or to replace damaged or lost equipment will necessitate the filing of a financial hold with the Registrar until compensation is made.
6. Bat girls are not allowed to pose for pictures requested by businesses. Other than pictures with fans, please refrain from being photographed unless sponsor grants permission.
7. Attendance Policy:
 - Bat Girls are required to make all meetings before and during the season. One unexcused absence may result in a Bat Girl being removed from her position.
 - If a Bat Girl cannot work a game, she must call the sponsor with her replacement's name at least 48 hours in advance. Failure to get in touch with the sponsor will be considered an unexcused absence.
 - All girls working the game will be required to be at the field, in uniform, two and a half hours prior to the start of the game, unless otherwise noted by the sponsor.
 - Bat Girls are not to socialize with players before, during the game or after the game on the Alex Box premises. While socialization with players outside of games is permitted, inappropriate fraternization will result in immediate dismissal from the team.
 - Bat Girls are not permitted to leave a game, no matter the score or how many people are left in the stands, unless she is dismissed by the sponsor.
 - Bat Girls are required to wear their nametags to every game, as well as wear the proper uniform for that day.
 - The sponsor reserves the right to remove any girl from the squad that does not comply with all the rules.
8. Facebook must be maintained in a positive manner. This rule also applies to all social media platforms including but not limited to Twitter, YouTube, Instagram, Pinterest, Snapchat, etc.

Bat Girls function to assist the baseball team and enhance the fan atmosphere at LSU Baseball games. Any action that is deemed contradictory to this comprehensive goal is at the discretion of LSU and is punishable by dismissal from the squad.