



TheFA
**Charter
Standard.**



Club Code of Conduct



YOUNG PLAYERS

PLAY YOUR PART

When playing football, I will:

- Always play my best for the benefit of the team
- Play fairly and be friendly
- Play by the rules and respect the Referee
- Shake hands with the other team – win or lose
- Listen carefully to what my Coach tells me
- Understand that a coach has to do what's best for the team
- Talk to someone I trust or the club welfare officer if I'm unhappy about anything at my club
- Encourage my team mates
- Respect the facilities, home or away

I understand that if I do not follow the Code, I may

- Be asked to apologise to whoever I've upset
- Receive a formal warning
- See my training and game time limited
- Be dropped, substituted or suspended from training and match days



SENIOR AND ADULT PLAYERS

PLAY YOUR PART

On and off the field, I will:

- Stick to the rules and celebrate the spirit of the game
- Respect my coaches and team mates at all times
- Always show respect to everyone involved in the game
- Never engage in public criticism of the match official(s) and abide by their final decisions
- Win or lose with dignity. Shake hands at the end of every game
- Be aware of the potential impact of bad language on others
- Never engage in abusive language, bullying or intimidating behaviour

I understand that if I do not follow the Code, I may:

- Be asked to apologise to whoever I've upset
- Receive a formal warning
- Be required to attend an FA educational course
- Be dropped, substituted or suspended from training and match days
- Be asked to leave the club and/or issued a club fine



COACHES, TEAM MANAGERS AND CLUB OFFICIALS

PLAY YOUR PART

On and off the field, I will:

- Always show respect to everyone involved in the game
- Stick to the rules and celebrate the spirit of the game
- Encourage fair play and high standards of behaviour
- Always respect the referee and encourage the players to do the same
- Never enter the field of play without the referee's permission
- Never engage in, or tolerate, offensive, insulting or abusive behaviour
- Be aware of the potential impact of bad language on others
- Be gracious in victory and defeat
- Respect the facilities, home and away
- Represent the club in the highest regard at all times
- In the event of unsavoury incidents, report the same to the club committee

When working with players, I will:

- Place the well-being, safety and enjoyment of each player above everything
- Never tolerate any form of bullying
- Ensure all activities are suited for the players' age and ability
- Work with others (e.g. officials, doctors, welfare officers, physiotherapists) for each player's best interests
- Strive to improve myself at all times
- Be responsible of ensuring all required certifications are in date at all times

I understand that if I do not follow the Code, I may be:

- Required to meet with the club committee, league or CFA Welfare Officer
- Suspended by the club from attending training and matches
- Suspended or fined by the County FA
- Required to leave, lose my position and/or have my licence withdrawn




SPECTATORS AND PARENTS/CARERS

PLAY YOUR PART

I will:

- Have fun. Its what we are here for!
- Celbrate effory and good play from both sides
- Always respect the referee and coaches and encourage players to do the same
- If I have any concerns, approach the coaches in a private and respectful manner
- Always stay behind the respect barrier
- When players make mistakes, offer then encouragement
- Encourage, do not coach
- Never engage in, or tollerate, offensive, insulting or abusive behaviour
- Always offer help to set up and pack away on training and match days

I understand that if I do not follow the Code, I may be:

- Issued with a verbal warning or asked to leave the club
 - Required to meet with the club committee, leageu or CFA Welfare Officer
 - Obliged to undertake an FA educational course
 - Requested not to attend any future training or games, be spspended or have my membership removed
 - Required to leave the club along with any dependends and/or issued a club fine
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ALL

PLAY YOUR PART

We will:

- Ensure all club fees are paid on time
- Be responsible for all training kit and match day kit. Remember, this is the property of the club
- Ensure all fees are up to date and kit returned should I leave the club. In the absence, the club reserves the right to withhold the player registration card
- Respect all club volunteers and officials at all times
- **HAVE FUN**