

Participant Code of Conduct



Introduction

We hope you are looking forward to taking part in a sports event!

Sports are lots of fun and a great way to stay fit and healthy, make friends and develop important skills such as teamwork, communication and respect.

It is important we act in a particular way to ensure everyone is safe, having fun and being fair. This code of conduct is a set of guidelines that should be followed to make sure this sports event is a positive environment for everyone.

If you don't follow these rules or don't behave kindly, you might have to sit out for a while or miss part of the activity.

Remember, you can always speak to a trusted adult if you feel worried or unsafe when you are taking part in an event.

Values

We always try to promote and demonstrate the School Games values within our events, and these can be seen throughout the points of the code of conduct.



Treat people fairly

Treat everyone fairly and with respect. This includes your own team mates, other participants, teachers, officials, leaders and anyone else who may be present.



Equipment and Facilities

Respect the equipment and facilities you are using. Report any broken equipment and ensure to return anything you have borrowed.



Rules

Make sure to listen when the rules are being explained – even if you've played before! Whilst competing, respect the rules and the decisions made by the referees. Clarify any rules you're unsure of.



Act Appropriately

Stay calm and kind, even if things don't go the way you might have wanted. Play for fun, enjoyment and to better your skills.



Teamwork & Effort

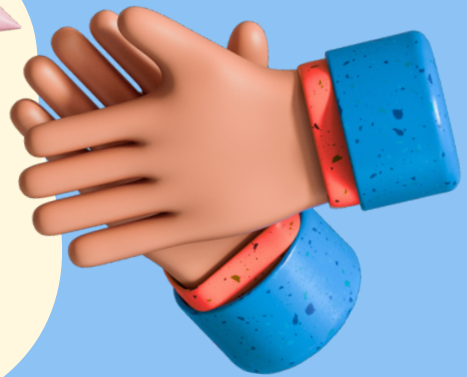
Work together with your team, celebrate successes and support each other through challenges. Always give 100% effort.



Be a Good Sportsperson

Be a good sport. Congratulate all teams/participants, be respectful, whatever the outcome.

Be inclusive – support everyone regardless of background or ability.



Safety

Follow any instructions given at the start of the event by the SSP & your teacher.

Speak to an adult if you feel hurt, unwell or worried about anything.



Communication

Always try to use positive communication when speaking to your team mates, other teams and members of staff. Use kind words and interact respectfully.

