



## Youth Training

### Code of Respect: Kids

#### When playing football, I will:

- Have fun and help others do the same.
- Take pride in representing CCFC and show everyone what it means to represent CCFC.
- Be positive and encourage others.
- Listen carefully to our coaches.
- Treat others the way I want to be treated.
- Not treat anyone differently because of their skin colour, religion, language, where their family are from, whether they are boys or girls or any other reason.
- Always show everyone respect.
- Always try my best for the benefit of the team and my teammates.
- Play fairly and not cheat.
- Play by the rules and respect the referee/coach's decisions.
- Be 'good sports', shake hands and say well done, win or lose.
- Talk to someone I trust or the club welfare officer if I'm unhappy about anything at my club (or when I see that someone is upset or when they are having a hard time).
- Help to make sure that everyone who participates has a great experience.
- Never post anything unfriendly or hurtful on social media, text message, or online.

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

- Be asked to apologise.
- Receive a formal warning.
- Be suspended from training.
- Be asked to leave the club.



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### Code of Respect: Coaches

#### As a coach, I will:

- Promote and uphold the values of the club, ensuring all participants understand the importance of respect, teamwork, and fair play.
- Promote diversity and inclusion with zero tolerance for discrimination.
- Create a positive and inclusive environment where every child feels welcome and valued, regardless of their background, characteristics or ability.
- Plan and deliver sessions that are safe, engaging, and appropriate for the age and skill level of the participants.
- Encourage all players to try their best, praising effort and improvement as much as results.
- Applaud effort as well as success, recognising the importance of improvement and teamwork.
- Respect the rules of the game and the officials' decisions, setting a good example for players and parents.
- Show respect to the parents, acknowledging their role in supporting their child's development and addressing any concerns they might have in a respectful and constructive manner.
- Ensure the safety and well-being of all players, conducting regular checks of equipment and facilities, and being aware of any health or medical conditions.
- Provide equal playing time where possible, giving all players the opportunity to participate and develop.

- Continue my own development as a coach, staying informed about best practices and new techniques.
- Be a role model in behavior, demonstrating good sportsmanship, encouraging team-work, championing inclusion and non-discrimination, showing patience, and understanding at all times.
- Talk to the club welfare officer if I have any concerns about the well-being of any player.
- Promptly report any safeguarding concerns, including any allegations of bullying, harassment, discrimination or abuse to the welfare officer, when I become aware of them.

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### Code of Respect: Parents

#### As a parent, I will:

- Encourage and support my child in their football activities and foster a positive attitude towards training and matches.
- Respect the decisions of coaches and officials and encourage my child to do the same.
- Show respect to the coaches, understanding that they are volunteers or professionals dedicated to helping all children develop their skills and enjoy the sport.
- Ensure that my child understands the importance of inclusion and non-discrimination in football and in the society, and that he or she acts accordingly.
- Communicate any concerns directly with the club's welfare officer or coach.
- Applaud effort as well as success, recognising the importance of improvement and teamwork.
- Set a good example by recognising fair play and applauding the efforts of all players, not just my own child.
- Be considerate on social media: only post identifiable images of my own children, and never anything unfriendly or hurtful.
- Encourage respect for all players, coaches, officials, and spectators, promoting an inclusive and welcoming environment.
- Ensure my child arrives on time for training and matches and is collected promptly afterwards.
- Ensure my child has appropriate kit, including footwear and shin pads (we have a boot box of used boots and can provide shin pads if parents need financial assistance).

- Respect that coaches are running sessions and avoid entering the training area without permission, understanding that it can be disruptive and make it difficult for the coach to manage the group.
- Support the club's efforts to create a fun, safe, and inclusive environment for all participants.
- Talk to the coach or welfare officer if I or my child are unhappy about anything at the club.
- Promptly report any safeguarding concerns, including any allegations of bullying, harassment, discrimination or abuse to the welfare officer, when I become aware of them.

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