

# Set the Standards for a great game.

Use your position to set a  
positive example for the people  
you're responsible for and lead  
a better game for everyone.

## Play Your Part (Code of Conduct)

### Coaches, Team Managers and Club Officials

Play your part and support  
The FA's Code of Respect:

#### 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 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



Building society with mutual respect

*We ONLY  
do  
Positive.*

#### 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' ability and age
- Work with others (e.g. officials, doctors, welfare officers, physiotherapists) for each player's best interests
- I will make myself familiar with safeguarding practices & review guidance on **physical contact** (5.6) & **Acceptable Behaviours When Working With Young People** (5.7) documents on the safeguarding section of [EnglandFootball.com](https://www.EnglandFootball.com)

#### 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 matches
- Suspended or fined by the County FA
- Required to leave, lose my position and/or have my license withdrawn

