

CODE OF CONDUCT (UNDER 18s)

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This Code of Conduct applies to junior players (under 18's):

The code of conduct shall apply to all organised Devon Cricket activity. *(including but not limited to: Schools Festivals, Youth Development Cricket, County Age Group, Emerging Player Programme, Academy Training, Women & Girls Festivals)*

All categories mentioned will:

- You are always expected to be respectful.
- In joining the activity, you are agreeing not to act in a violent manner or use bad language.
- Look after all Devon Cricket property and equipment.
- Do not argue with umpires, managers, coaches or other players.
- Applaud good cricket, whoever plays it.
- Watch and support your team and fellow players, even when not playing.
- Listen and learn - follow instructions. Do not talk when the coach or manager is talking. Be sure you understand, what you are being asked to do, if you don't, ASK.
- Encourage each other and be supportive at all times.
- Keep good time - arrive early for training sessions and matches
- Advise the manager in good time, if you are going to be absent or late.
- Enjoy yourselves, work hard, always try your best and show a positive attitude at all times. Have Fun!
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person within the context of cricket
- Treat everyone equally and not discriminate on the grounds of age, gender, disability, race, ethnic origin, nationality, colour, parental or marital status, religious belief, class or social background, sexual preference or political belief
- Not condone, or allow to go unchallenged, any form of discrimination if witnessed
- Whilst partaking in Devon Cricket activity you are not permitted to drink alcohol, smoke or use illicit substances
- Promote the positive aspects of cricket, for example fair play
- Recognise good performance not just match results

Relevant Policies

This policy should be read in conjunction with the following policies:

- ECB Safeguarding Procedures
- Safe Hands Policies
- General Conduct Regulations

Review

This policy does not form part of an employee's contract of employment and the Company may amend it at any time. This policy reflects current legislation at the time of writing. Any changes to this legislation will take precedence.