

# GLENELG PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## EXPECTATIONS OF OUT OF HOURS SCHOOL SPORT PARTICIPANTS

### STUDENT / PLAYERS CODE OF CONDUCT

Students / players are required to:

- Play for the enjoyment.
- Be a good sport - deliberate violence or bad language should never be used towards opponents, coaches, referees or umpires.
- Work hard for your team mates as well as for yourself.
- Treat all team mates and opponents with respect.
- Learn the rules and play by them at all times.
- Cooperate with team mates, opponents and game officials.
- Control your behaviour on and off the field.
- Remember that the goals of the game are to have fun, improve my skills and feel good.
- Behave in a manner that respects the rights of others regardless of mediums of communication used for example digital mediums such as Twitter, Facebook, emails and texts.
- Respect and abide by officials decisions.
- Shake hands at the end of the match.

### PARENT / CAREGIVER AND SPECTATOR CODE OF CONDUCT

Parents / caregivers and spectators are required to:

- Encourage participation of your child(ren).
- Provide a model of good sporting spirit for your child(ren) to copy.
- Be courteous and respectful in your communications with players, team officials, game officials and sports administrators.
- Encourage honest effort, skilled performance and team loyalty.
- Make any new parents or spectators feel welcome on all occasions.
- Do not interfere with the conduct of any events. If you disagree with an official raise the issue through the appropriate channels rather than question the official's judgement in public.
- Make your presence and support as positive as possible.
- When visiting another school or venue, respect the host school or venue premise and rules.
- Demonstrate appropriate social behaviour by avoiding offensive language, aggressive behaviour, harassing players, teachers, coaches and officials.
- Remember the children play for fun and enjoyment. Don't let your behaviour detract from their enjoyment and never ridicule or yell at them for making mistakes or losing a competition.
- Support skilled performances and team play with generous applause and congratulate all participants on their performance regardless of the game's outcome.
- Encourage players to play in accordance with the rules and the officials decisions.

