

Parents Good Practice

Whether you played yourself, or if you are new to football, the game is a great activity that can be enjoyed by all the family.

Kids love playing, and they like their parents to take an interest. What they don't like is when mums and dads get too involved from the touchline, or put too much pressure on them to do well.

#PlayYourPart by trying to implement these simple steps with your children;

- Offer praise, encouragement and applause – for both sides.
- Stand in the designated area for spectators.
- Praise for effort and attitude not just talent.
- Don't follow your son/daughter up and down the touchline.
- Focus on the process not the result.
- Focus on your child's enjoyment.
- Don't issue instructions from the touchline.
- Avoid pressuring your child about winning or losing.

