

THE DO'S AND DONT'S OF MATCHDAY BEHAVIOUR FOR

COACHES



...towards COACHES



ENGAGE and greet opposition coaches as you would wish to be treated, before, during and after a match

Role model positive touchline behaviours in a calm, **RESPECTFUL** and professional manner

Do not **ENGAGE** in **DISRESPECTFUL** and unprofessional touchline behaviour with opposition coaches

...towards CLUBS

RESPECT the opposition, and the badge and values of your own club

Ensure the **SAFETY** of all through pitch and equipment inspections, and the use of **RESPECT** barriers and technical areas

Do not **DISRESPECT** the other teams coaches, players and spectators - report any concerns through the official channels

Do not affect the **SAFETY** of others by entering the field of play without reasonable judgement or permission

...towards PLAYERS

ENGAGE players through meeting their needs first

Allow players equal opportunities to **LEARN**

RESPECT players by being clear, consistent and caring with your behaviours

Use simple, relevant and appropriate language to help players **LEARN**

Do not **DISENGAGE** players using negative, hostile or intimidating language

Do not create an **UNSAFE** and uncertain psychological environment through the use of inconsistent behaviours

...towards SPECTATORS

ENGAGE parents in the **LEARNING** outcomes before the match

Remind spectators of their obligations to be **RESPECTFUL** before, during and after the match

Do not **DISRESPECT** referees through negative, hostile or intimidating behaviours

Do not create an **UNSAFE** environment for referees by allowing poor behaviours from your own members to go unchecked

...towards REFEREES

ENGAGE referees through meeting, greeting and thanking

Inform the referee if your players need more support with **LEARNING** the laws of the game

Do not allow spectators to create an **UNSAFE** and **DISRESPECTFUL** environment by allowing poor behaviour from the sidelines

Creating a united **#EssexFootball** environment that tackles inequalities, delivers inspirational football opportunities and improves health **For All**

Be part of the reason why people love the game, not leave the game.
Be a positive role model.

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