# 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

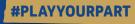
## ...towards REFEREES

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

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