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







...towards COACHES

RESPECT the coaches' decisions - should you have an issue to raise, do this at an appropriate time and in a **RESPECTFUL** manner

Do not challenge or disrupt the **LEARNING** environment established by the coach, even if you have personal disagreements

...towards CLUBS

Win or lose with dignity - be **RESPECTFUL** and shake hands with the opposing team at the end of every game

RESPECT the badge and values of your own club

Do not **DISRESPECT** the other team's coaches, players or spectators

Never **ENGAGE** in public criticism of the match officials, players or coaches

...towards PLAYERS

ENGAGE in fair play

Ensure your own **SAFETY** by wearing the correct footwear, shinpads and appropriate clothing

...towards SPECTATORS

POSITIVELY show acts of appreciation towards spectators at games wherever possible Do not engage in **UNSAFE** play

Do not **DISRESPECT** others by using negative, hostile or intimidating language

Never ENGAGE in confrontational conversations with spectators

...towards REFEREES

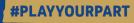
ENGAGE with referees by meeting, greeting and thanking

Be **RESPECTFUL** by using appropriate language

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

Do not create an **UNSAFE** environment for referees by allowing poor behaviours from yourself, or your own teammates, to go unchecked

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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