

## **Code of Conduct for Parents, Peers and Supporters**

- Attendance at a game is a privilege
- Respect decisions made by the match officials
- Be a good role model by positively supporting teams in every way possible and be generous with praise
- Become aware of the competition rules and keep winning in its proper place
- Respect other spectators, coaches and participants
- Be a fan not a fanatic
- Recognise and respect the performances of players in both teams, not just the team that you are supporting
- Accept victory modestly and defeat graciously, remembering that the team you are supporting will be judged by your reactions
- Do not 'boo' anyone
- Stand or sit in the place that you have been allocated for the match
- Do not interfere with instructions given by the teacher/coach in charge of the team
- Remember that nearly all those who control school soccer matches are volunteers, giving of their time freely and without any financial reward in most cases respect them for this.
- Watch from the opposite side of the pitch from the managers to allow the managers to work with the players
- Parents must not enter the field of play or dressing room areas at any point during, or at the end of the match unless requested to do by match officials
- If you are unsettled by anything please bring it to the attention of your team manager