



Brampton Soccer Club - Est. 2019
One Club. One Vision. Stronger Together.

PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT

The Brampton Soccer Club is committed to providing a safe and welcoming environment where all players can develop and thrive. Parents/Guardians play a crucial role in shaping their child's experience in the sport. Positive relationships between Parents/Guardians, players, and coaches are essential to fostering a supportive team environment.

For the purpose of this code, "Parents/Guardians" refers to both Parents and Guardians. This code applies to all Parents/Guardians who are members of the Brampton Soccer Club or have children who are members. Parents/Guardians must adhere to this code at all times while participating in any Brampton Soccer Club practice, game, or activity.

Parent/Guardian Responsibilities

- **Model Positive Behavior** – Conduct yourself with fairness, integrity, open communication, and mutual respect.
- **Set a Good Example** – Demonstrate responsible behavior and encourage your child to do the same. You are primarily responsible for your child's conduct and attitude on the field.
- **Show Respect** – Treat all individuals—including teammates, coaches, officials, volunteers, and other Parents/Guardians—with dignity, courtesy, and respect.
- **Avoid Inappropriate Behavior** – Refrain from using profane, insulting, harassing, sexist, racist, abusive, or otherwise offensive language or behavior.
- **Promote Sportsmanship** – Emphasize values such as respect, teamwork, cooperation, and fair competition. Praise effort, participation, and skill development.
- **Encourage Life Balance** – Help your child maintain a healthy balance between soccer and other aspects of life.
- **Promote a Healthy Lifestyle** – Encourage nutritious food choices and an active lifestyle.
- **Set Realistic Expectations** – Focus on your child's enjoyment and development rather than winning.
- **Build Confidence** – Support your child's skill development without comparing them to others.
- **Celebrate Achievements** – Acknowledge progress, effort, and milestones in their soccer journey.
- **Prioritize Well-being** – Support your child's overall growth by ensuring proper rest, nutrition, training, and emotional well-being.
- **Ensure Proper Equipment** – Make sure your child wears appropriate soccer attire, including cleats, futsal or turf shoes (as required), shin guards, and sport spectacles if needed.
- **Prohibit Alcohol & Drugs** – Never provide alcohol or drugs to minors at any club event, activity, or competition.

- **Follow Local Laws** – Adhere to City of Brampton By-laws regarding alcohol and drug consumption in city parks and facilities.
- **Comply with Smoking Laws** – Follow the Smoke-Free Ontario Act, 2017 regarding legal smoking and vaping areas.
- **Reject Performance Enhancing Drugs** – Never promote or provide performance-enhancing substances.
- **Protect the Club’s Reputation** – Avoid any behavior that could harm the reputation of the Brampton Soccer Club.
- **Uphold the Code of Conduct** – Support and encourage other Parents/Guardians to follow these guidelines.
- **Follow Organizational Rules** – Adhere to the policies and ethics of the Brampton Soccer Club, Peel Halton Soccer Association, Ontario Soccer, and Canada Soccer.
- **Discourage Profanity & Violence** – Never promote or engage in inappropriate language or violent behavior.
- **Embrace Diversity** – Foster a culture of tolerance, inclusivity, and respect for all.

By following this code, Parents/Guardians help create a positive and enriching environment where all players can develop their skills, enjoy the sport, and grow as individuals.