



AKSIL FOOTBALL PLAYER/PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT AGREEMENT FORM

Acceptance into AKSIL Football is a privilege that carries with it certain responsibilities. AKSIL Players and parents are expected to engage in the highest standards of conduct at all “Club-Related Events” (which includes all practices, games, and team travel). By joining the Club, players and parents agree to the following as your actions reflect not only upon yourself but also upon your team and AKSIL

Players Code of Conduct:

- I agree to be COMMITTED, be punctual, and be prepared (having the approved club uniform on, soccer shoes, shin guards, soccer ball) for all trainings and games unless excused by the Coach.
- I understand that if I miss too many practices or games, or if I do not perform well during practice, or misbehave during the games, it will affect my position on the team.
- I will play within the spirit and laws of the game and show the highest standard of sportsmanship.
- I will work hard to improve my soccer skills, play for fun and enjoyment of the game.
- I will be a team player and cooperate, will not criticize or argue and be respectful to all coaches, teammates, parents, opponents, and match officials. I will also adhere to all instructions.
- I will maintain respectful exuberance when winning and emotional discipline when losing. Be a gracious and composed athlete in victory and dignified in defeat.
- I will not use abusive or profane language at practices or during games.
- I will maintain a positive attitude toward my teammates and coaches, abide by coach’s decisions regarding playing time and position and give my very best to the end of the game, regardless of the score.
- I will not under any circumstances participate in physical violence or threats of physical violence before, during or after any game or practice. Fighting or physical violence will result in a mandatory suspension; fighting after a suspension may result in dismissal from AKSIL.
- I will not consume alcohol, tobacco or any illegal drugs.

Parents Code of Conduct:

- I will set a good example by modeling the highest standard of sportsmanship and maintain a professional relationship with my child’s coach and avoid a confrontation immediately following the game (wait 24hours before confronting coach). Constructive criticism is encouraged.
- I will encourage my child to try to resolve issues with the coach themselves, as appropriate for their age. If parental involvement is necessary, parents are encouraged to wait a ‘cooling off’ day after any incident before discussing the matter with the coach.
- I will do my very best to have my young player be on time for trainings and games.
- I will not under any circumstance use abusive or profane language at my child or any other child or threaten any physical abuse to any coach or referee.
- I will not dispute any call made by match officials or argue with them as well as opposing fans

- I will refrain from attempting to coach my child or other children from the sideline during the game. Please leave the coaching to the coach. The player and coaches greatly appreciate your enthusiasm. Please use it to encourage and cheer the team on rather than try to direct the players.
- I will only provide positive comments and support to the players and it is understood that coaches and NOT parents shall provide instructional input during games. Parents' verbal encouragement is most important to the players. Your child and other players on the team are directly impacted by the mood that is set on the sidelines.
- I will refrain from making negative comments during games to any players. Such comments are very damaging and unacceptable. The players are under considerable pressure on the field, and are aware of errors they make. Minimize their pressure and appreciate what a wonderful job your child is doing and the progress he/she is making by showing your positive support.
- I understand that the game is for the children not for the adults and will support coach's decisions regarding field positions and other similar situations.
- I will never criticize or berate a coach, player or opponent in a public manner. Circulating rumors, openly criticizing club/coach/team in an open environment in an attempt to create drama or "following" to further a personal agenda will not be tolerated and might lead to immediate dismissal.
- I will maintain respectful exuberance when winning and emotional discipline when losing. Be a gracious and composed parent.
- I will give consistent support to coaches and team managers, whether winning or losing. In winning they deserve our congratulations, in losing our encouragement.
- Parents are encouraged to discuss (at an appropriate time for the coach) any questions that they have regarding the development and progress of their child, and what might be done to maximize his or her improvement.

In the event a player or parent engages in any of the above-listed behaviors, the Football Director will determine the appropriate disciplinary action. All decisions to suspend or dismiss a player from the Club for any of the above behaviors will be made in consultation with the General Manager and Board of Directors and will be final.

Player's Name: _____

Signature: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____