



Notts County Football Club

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Schoolboy Code of Conduct Season 2019-2020

Overview

We all have a responsibility to promote high standards of behaviour in the game.

As a player, you have a big part to play. That's why The FA is asking every player to follow a Respect Code of Conduct.

- When playing football, training, working or learning, I will:
 - Always play to the best of my ability
 - Play fairly – I will not cheat, complain or waste time
 - Respect my team mates, the other team, the referee or my coach/manager
 - Play by the rules as directed by the referee
 - Shake hands with the other team and referee at the end of the match
 - Listen and respond to what my coach/manager tells me
 - Talk to someone I trust or the DSO if I am unhappy with anything at the club
 - Act in accordance with the Club's zero tolerance to discrimination in all areas
- You may be subject to any of the following actions if you do not follow this code of conduct
 - Be subject to a disciplinary action including a written warning or being asked to leave the academy
 - Be required to apologise to my team-mates, the other team, referee or team manager
 - Be dropped or substituted
 - Be suspended from training
 - Your parent or carer will be informed of any issues you may have with this code of conduct

Report Times:

- Players to report ready to train daily as instructed by Academy Manager /Coach or other member of staff.
- Players to report to games as specified by the Academy Manager or Coach
- All other timings will be specified by the Academy Manager or Coach

Dress Code:

- Players to report to training in NCFC kit
- Flip flops / slides to be worn at all times whilst showering
- Baseball caps are not to be worn when wearing the academy kit
- No jewellery (ear rings, rings, bracelets, necklaces, studs) to be worn during training or matches
- Players will be advised of the dress code at any club functions
- Predominantly white trainers to be worn on games days with club tracksuit

Training / Match Dress Code:

- Shin pads to be worn at all times
- Shirts tucked in

Etiquette:

- The Academy expects politeness and good manners to be shown to everyone that players come into contact with at all times

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- Players are to respect the facilities at Meadow Lane and anywhere else they may play or train and ensure that they behave in a professional manner

Use of Agents:

- IT IS NCFC's POLICY THAT AGENTS AND REPRESENTATIVES WILL NOT BE USED UNTIL THE SIGNING OF A PROFESSIONAL CONTRACT
- We therefore, will not correspond with advisors

Notts County Football Club Policy on Bullying and Cyber Bullying

Notts County Football Club will not tolerate bullying or cyber bullying in any form either 'Direct or by 'Proxy'.

Definitions:

Cyber bullying - When a player is tormented, threatened, harassed, humiliated, embarrassed or targeted by another player using the internet, social networking sites, interactive and digital technologies or mobile telephones.

Direct – When a message is sent directly.

Proxy – When a player uses others to help bully.

Safeguarding

The academy Designated Safeguarding Officer (DSO) is Claire Burrows, her contact details are available to players and parents. You must report any concerns you have to the DSO or any member of academy staff.

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Player's Signature

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Print Name

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Parent's Signature
Name

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Print

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Review History

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3	May 2018	Safeguarding added	Academy Manager
4	June 2019	Reviewed	Claire Burrows DSO