



Parent/Guardian Code of Conduct

In addition to Softball Australia's values and general Code of Conduct, as a parent or guardian of any person involved with Softball Australia, a Member State or an affiliated association or club you must meet the following requirements in regard to your conduct during that activity.

- 1 Remember that your child participates in sport for their own enjoyment, not yours.
- 2 Focus on your child's efforts and performance rather than winning or losing.
- 3 Never ridicule or yell at your child and other children for making a mistake or losing a competition.
- 4 Show appreciation for good performance and skilful plays by all players, including opposing players.
- 5 Respect the decisions of officials and coaches and teach young people to do the same.
- 6 Do not physically or verbally abuse anyone associated with the sport (player, coach, umpire etc).
- 7 Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.
- 8 Refrain from engaging in any behaviour that is in breach of Softball Australia's Member Protection Policy.