

Barking and Dagenham Schools' Football Association (Primary)



BDSFA Code of Conduct

The BDSFA Code of Conduct helps create a safe, inclusive and positive environment where **enjoyment, learning and respect come first**. All players, coaches, teachers and spectators have an important role to play and are expected to uphold these values at every match.

1. Show Respect at All Times

- Treat everyone with kindness and respect.
- Accept referees' decisions without dissent.
- Use positive language and behaviour: no criticism, arguing or abuse.

2. Promote Fair Play

- Follow the rules and encourage the spirit of schools' football.
- Play and support the game honestly: no cheating, appealing or unfair play.
- Recognise effort and good play from both teams.
- Shake hands with your opponent at the end of the game, regardless of the result.

3. Encourage Positive Behaviour

- Be a role model both on and off the pitch.
- Celebrate effort, teamwork and progress — not just winning.
- Represent your school with pride and respect.
- Most of all... **enjoy the game and have fun!**

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