



Code of Conduct FSUS Girls Soccer



This Code of Conduct is the standard of behavior which is expected of all players, coaches, and parents involved with the FSUS Girls Soccer Program. It is in effect at all practices, matches, and any other team function. If a team is attending a function lasting more than one day, such as a tournament, this Code is in effect at all times during the stay. It is an obligation of the players and parents to be mindful of the effect of their behavior on themselves and on others.

All players and parents will adhere to all rules and regulations and will refrain from illegal and inappropriate behavior that would detract from a positive image of the team(s) or be detrimental to its performance objectives. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

1. Players and parents will strive to represent the Florida State University School with the highest standard of integrity, dignity, sportsmanship, and citizenship and will encourage the same behavior from others.
2. During practices, all players are expected to conduct themselves in a manner which enables and promotes a learning atmosphere for everyone present. Abusive language and behavior or disrespectful acts toward teammates or coaches will not be tolerated.
3. Theft or stealing of any sort, vandalism or willful damage to any facilities or equipment will not be tolerated. Littering of any kind at practices or matches will not be excused. Inappropriate behavior, such as throwing items, rude remarks and physical contact will not be permitted.
4. Sportsmanlike conduct is the rule at all times. This includes showing respect for officials, competitors, teammates, coaches, parents, and the public. A player represents the FSUS Girls Soccer Program at all times. An individual's actions reflect on the program both on and off the field and players and parents are to behave appropriately at all times.
5. Dealings with the members of the coaching staff and others will be conducted in a reasonable, honorable, ethical, and respectful manner at all times.
6. Team members, coaches, and spectators must refrain from any offensive actions, words, or gestures, including obscenities, disrespectful cheers, or other inappropriate forms of behavior.
7. At matches and practices, team members must stay with the team until dismissed by the coach.
8. Use of alcohol or illegal substances is not permitted.
9. The spirit of being a cohesive team unit is of paramount importance at matches. With this in mind, personal desires and interpersonal relationships must be sacrificed in the interest of promoting team unity.
10. All personal, administrative, and financial commitments made to the FSUS Girls Soccer Program or to any of the teams, coaches, trainers, representatives or other programs will be honored.
11. Other acts of misconduct determined by the coaching staff to be in conflict with the mission, goals, and policies of the FSUS Girls Soccer Program will result in disciplinary action.

Violations of this Code of Conduct will result in disciplinary action up to and including immediate expulsion or non-retention for the following year as determined by the coaching staff of the FSUS Girls Soccer Program and/or the administrative staff of the Florida State University School.

[Player and parent(s) must sign. Once complete, detach this portion and return it to your coach.]

I have read the Code of Conduct of the FSUS Girls Soccer Program and understand the behavior that is expected of me.

Signature of Player

Printed Player Name Date

Signature of Parent

Printed Parent Name Date

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Printed Parent Name Date