

Paringa Park Primary School believes that children play organised sport for their own enjoyment. Winning is not the focus, but rather participation and skill development.

Our attitude as participants, spectators and coaches should be positive, supporting and encouraging.

Student Code of Behaviour

- Play for the fun of the game and to improve your skills
- Play fairly, safely and by the rules
- Respect your coach, team mates and opponents
- Respect the umpire and abide by their decisions – players should not talk to the umpire during games

Parent / Caregiver Code of Behaviour

- Support your child and encourage them even when they make mistakes
- Children must be willing to play in a sport and must not be forced to play
- Encourage playing by the rules and respecting others
- Help your child work towards skill improvement and good sportsmanship
- Look for opportunities to assist the players, coaches and team managers

Sideline Code of Behaviour for all spectators

- Set a good example with positive behaviour and language from the sidelines
- Encourage your team and reinforce good sportsmanship at all times
- Show respect for your team's opponents – without them there would be no game
- Respect the umpire's judgement and decisions at all times
- Respect the coaches decisions and their right to manage the team on game day and at trainings
- Parents, caregivers or spectators should not enter the playing area for any reason during games
- The only person to approach umpires is the coach

It is **not** the responsibility of coordinators, coaches and team managers to supervise siblings of students participating in training and games. **All non-participants are required to be supervised by parents/caregivers at all times.**

Please remember that all coordinators, coaches and team managers are **volunteers**. Please show appreciation for their time and effort as without them, your child could not participate.

Failure to comply with this code of conduct may result in suspension from play and the team (players) or suspension from attending games (parents/spectators).