



**Wellingborough RFC
Code of Conduct for
Players**

Players should:

- Remember that you play because you want to not to please parents or coaches.
- Encourage all players and do not enter into any type of abuse/ bullying either on the pitch or off the pitch.
- Recognise and appreciate the efforts of coaches, match officials, parents and other players.
- Set a good example by recognising fair play and applauding the good performances of all.
- Be a sportsman and win with dignity and lose with grace.
- Use correct and proper language at all times; no swearing
- Follow and accept the rugby rules of the game do not question the referees decision discuss it later with the coach.
- Control your emotions and do not verbally or physically abuse players, referees, parents or officials.
- Do not bring the game of rugby into disrepute or disciplinary action may follow.

Players are encouraged to:

- Be involved with club activities and become a Club Person.
- Understand that if an individual or group players feel that they are not being treated in a manner that is acceptable, then they have a right to tell an adult either at the rugby club or outside of the game
- Recognise that every player has a right to expect their involvement in rugby to be safe and free from all types of abuse.