



Leighton United Football Club

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR YOUNG PLAYERS

This Code includes requirements set out in the Football Association (FA) Code of Respect for Young Players.

('Young players' are those aged 18 and under)

WHEN PLAYING FOOTBALL FOR LEIGHTON UNITED I WILL:

- Always play my best for the benefit of the team.
- Play fairly and be friendly – not resort to cheating, diving, complaining, or time wasting.
- Play by the rules and respect match officials, accept decisions without protest or dissent.
- Encourage my teammates.
- Not get involved in verbal or physical confrontations with team-mates, the other team, match officials or spectators.
- Listen carefully and respond to what my coach tells me.
- Understand that a coach has to do what is best for the team and not one individual player.
- Respect the facilities home and away.
- Not get involved in unpleasant electronic/social networking communications with members of opposition teams.
- Talk to someone I trust in the club or a club welfare officer if I'm unhappy about anything at the club.

I UNDERSTAND THAT IF I DO NOT FOLLOW THIS CODE I MAY:

- Be asked to apologise to teammates, the other team, referee, coach/team manager or whoever I have upset.
- Receive a formal warning from the team coach or Management Committee.
- Be dropped, substituted, or suspended from training and matches.
- Be required to leave the club.