



**CODE OF CONDUCT -The Player/Parent agrees to abide by the following:**

**Standards**

Selected players (subsequent Parents/Carers) are expected to maintain the highest standards of behaviour and self- management at all times.

**Availability**

Players are expected to attend all sessions at the times and locations designated and confirm their availability for participation upon receipt of selection communication. Only sickness and injury are acceptable reasons for withdrawal and exemption from participation for any other reason will only be considered following consultation with the Technical director or Senior Head Coach

**Punctuality** Players are expected to attend all squad activities in accordance with the stipulated time schedule. Any deviation with this may only be undertaken following consultation with the group Coach.

**Standards of Dress**

Players are expected to adopt smart and tidy dress when reporting for all activities and where provided training apparel during designated training sessions/Games

**General Behaviour**

Players/parents are expected to be courteous and show respect towards all Management Staff, club staff, fellow players and officials at all times.

**Bad Language**

The use of foul and abusive language will not be tolerated under any circumstances. This includes on the field of play.

**Mobile Phones**

All mobile phones should be switched off for training sessions, seminars, and at least one hour prior to any match kick off, or other periods advised whilst in the care of Capalaba FC. Phones may be confiscated by staff if they become a nuisance to others and only provided to players in emergency situations.

**Alcohol and Drug Abuse** Players are expected to abide by the FIFA Drugs and Alcohol Abuse Policy at all times. Drug or Alcohol abuse may lead to suspension or permanent expulsion from Capalaba FC. If directed, players must be expected to undertake an official drugs test at any time.



**Smoking**

A no smoking policy is operated at all times. Any player found to be in contravention of this policy may be liable for suspension or possible expulsion.

**Conduct During Matches**

The highest standards of self-discipline are expected from players at all times. All players must conduct themselves in a sportsmanlike manner, showing respect to fellow players and officials alike. Unsportsmanlike behaviour may result in an appearance before Football Director

**Disciplinary Procedures**

The Football director/ Technical directors /Senior First team coach will have ultimate responsibility in all disciplinary matters involving players. Minor behavioural infringements will be dealt with at the time and the source and action recorded. Charges of gross misconduct will be subject to investigation by the technical director. An interview with the player concerned will be undertaken in the presence of a third party, recording officer. A member of staff will act on behalf of the player to protect their interests.

Examples of minor infringements could include

- Unreliability and bad time keeping
- Breaking time curfew
- Inappropriate language or behaviour

**Appropriate sanctions for minor infringements would include-**

- A verbal warning for subsequent minor offences

Examples of Gross Misconduct could include-

- Persistent minor breaches of the player’s code of conduct
- Bullying and harassment Alcohol and substance abuse, abuse of officials
- Serious unsporting behaviour
- Wilful damage of property and equipment
- Inappropriate behaviour detrimental to the image of Capalaba FC
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**Appropriate sanctions for gross misconduct would include – suspension from the club and possible expulsion of subsequent club opportunities**

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Parents signature.....

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