



Freedom RG

Parents/Guardians

Code of Conduct

**Parents/Guardians are expected to:**

1. Support their child with a positive attitude inside and outside the Club training sessions or participating events
2. Encourage their child to value their own performance and not just focusing on results. Winning is not within their control, while their own effort is!
3. Encourage their child to take responsibilities of their actions and behaviour before, during or after training or other Club's participating events
4. Ensure their child understands that they must follow the instructions of the coaching staff at all times and shouldn't leave the Sports Hall unaccompanied by a responsible adult
5. Appreciate and respect the efforts of the coaches, member of staff or volunteers in the development of their children and understand that success in gymnastics takes many years of hard work and dedication.
6. Recognise their child's efforts, improvement and success in every form and accept that not always their child may be the winner of medals in competitions and should accept the results delivered by British Gymnastics officials or Club officials
7. Encourage their child to understand and accept that when competing not always they may win a medal, however that is not the end and is just a new step towards better results (we want our gymnasts to have a can-do and positive attitude)
8. Support the efforts of the coaches and member of staff and assist where possible by lending your help and expertise to further the objects of the Club.

Parents/Guardians must:

1. Ensure their child arrives on time for their scheduled training sessions and they are picked up when training session ends.
2. Accompany their child into the Sports Hall and ensure their child's coach or Club's member of staff is present
3. Collect their child from the Sports Hall at the end of the training session and promptly inform the Club's coach or member of staff if another responsible adult will collect them
4. Ensure their child is appropriately dressed for gymnastics and has their gymnastics equipment, a water bottle, hair tied up, no jewellery etc.
5. Inform the coaches of any condition their child has that may affect their and other children's well-being and participation in the training.
6. Ensure all necessary paperwork is complete, training and competition fees are paid on time. In case of any problems, parents/guardians can discuss confidentially with the Club's Secretary.
7. Share and report any concerns they may to the Club's Welfare Officer or their child's coach have to guarantee the safety and welfare of all Club members.