

## Humber Junior Squash Academy -Participants (Ages 5-11) Code of Conduct

Every child attending an activity organised through the Humber Junior Squash Academy is required to abide by the following code of practice. It is the coaches' responsibility to read this code of conduct to children and young people at the beginning of an activity. Appropriate examples should be used.

Persistent bad or inappropriate behaviour which breaks this code of conduct will be discussed with parents/guardians/teachers and may result in future involvement in activities being refused.

- Be a good sport e.g. shake hands after playing a game
- Always show respect to the coach and abide by their decisions e.g. listen to what the coach has to say
- Play within the rules and respect officials and their decisions e.g. thank referees/ umpires at the end of the session
- Play fair at all times, it is the taking part that counts not winning at all costs
- Respect others regardless of their gender, disability, race, ethnicity and religious belief e.g. let everyone join in
- Do not misbehave e.g. fighting or bullying
- Speak out about anything you are not happy with
- Make sure you always bring your sports kit and remove all jewellery e.g. bring your trainers and take your earrings out
- Treat all equipment with respect e.g. do not hit rackets against walls
- Inform the coach of any injuries or illness you have before the start of the session e.g. hurt your knee, feel unwell
- Do not eat or chew gum during the session
- Stay with coaches at all times unless dismissed or collected from the session e.g. ask permission to go to the toilet