

# ADRIANO'S SOCCER SCHOOLS



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## BEHAVIOUR POLICY

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### OVERVIEW

Adriano's Soccer Schools wants all of its participants to feel safe and supported. Whether they are attending one of our Holiday Clubs, Advanced Football Centre or private sessions. We are committed to ensuring that all children have an equal opportunity to develop and fulfil their potential. Racism, sexism, xenophobia, homophobia or prejudices against others religion, class or disability will not be tolerated.

### EXPECTATIONS

Adriano's Soccer Schools expect children and their parents and guardians to:

- Comply with our policies and procedures.
- Be polite and considerate to other children, their parents/ guardians, the coaches, venue staff and any members of the public they may encounter whilst attending any services provided by Adriano's Soccer Schools.
- Listen carefully and respond to instructions and requests, especially those concerning safety.
- Respect any equipment owned by Adriano's Soccer Schools.
- Respect the premises.

### PENALTIES

If a child doesn't conform to Adriano's Soccer Schools expectations, the coaches will try to re-engage the child in the activity firstly. If this fails the child will be taken aside and encouraged to focus and participate in a positive manner.

If the child continues displaying bad behaviour, they will be issued with a 'Yellow Card'. If they are being disruptive and affecting others ability to enjoy the activity they may also be asked to sit aside for a set amount of time.

If a 'Yellow Card' needs be issued again in the same day, this will automatically become a 'Red Card'. Their parents will be contacted to collect them.

There may be instances when it is deemed necessary to issue a 'Red Card' immediately.

Examples of when this may occur are as follows (but are not limited to):

- If a child is behaving in an unsafe manner, putting themselves or others at risk.
- Using language deemed grossly offensive.
- Using physical violence against another child or adult.



Depending on the nature of the incident, the coaches reserve the right to either suspend the child from the remaining sessions/ period of time or exclude the child from Adriano's Soccer Schools permanently.

## **DOCUMENTATION**

Where 'Yellow Cards' or 'Red Cards' have been issued, Adriano's Soccer Schools will record the incident and keep it on file until that child is 17 years old.

