



Dear Parent/Guardian

Parent Guidelines and Policy

Please find below the BUFC code of conduct for parents to adhere to during training & match days.

- Please ensure that the kit provided is maintained, this is the property of Bolton United Football Club. If any items of the kit is damaged or lost then we will expect a replacement to be purchased by you.
- Any players who decide to leave the club will be expected to return the kit to the football club.
- Please **send your child to training and match days on time** every week.
- Management needs to be informed if your child will not be able to attend training or Match day.
- Please ensure your child has the correct football gear on both training days & match days e.g. shin pads.
- There is no guarantee that your child will be picked for the team if he misses a training session.
- **BUFC has a zero tolerance policy when it comes to abusive language**, either from any players or parents, both on training days as well as match days.
- All children should be praised during the match. Please **do not be critical of any child's performance**.
- Please **respect the manager's decision** when it comes to team selection.
- On match days **you are representing BUFC, therefore show respect & good character** to the opposite team and their supporters.
- **Do not shout or be abusive** towards the referee. **Do not shout instructions** to the players, leave this to the managers and their assistants.
- If your child is taking medication e.g. inhalers for asthma, please ensure they bring it to both training as well as on match days.
- There is a **no smoking policy on both training days and match days**. Parents are **not permitted to smoke** anywhere on the playing fields.
- Please remember that **football is meant to be fun & enjoyable**. This is our club so let's work together and make it an enjoyable success.

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BUFC Chairman