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Cumann na mBunscoil Policy

Killadooley National School will try to ensure that players are encouraged to learn the skills of Football, Hurling and Camogie in a safe and friendly environment. All players are encouraged to participate in training and matches. Winning and losing are an important part of sport but they must be kept in a healthy perspective.

General Code:

- Respect, courtesy and honesty are required from every member of the team.
- Respect must be shown at all times for team mates, coaches, officials, referees, parents / guardians, opponents and visitors.

Code of Conduct – Parents:

1. Always encourage and support you child in their sport.
2. **Behave responsibly** on the sideline
3. Encourage your child to play by the rules
4. Respect the coaches' decisions and encourage your child to do the same.

Players code:

1. Players must **play fairly, do their best, enjoy themselves** and adhere to the playing rules.
2. Respect must be shown for your opponents and team-mates. Decisions by officials and referee's must be accepted graciously.
3. Players should **represent their family and club with pride, dignity and commitment.**
4. Always remember that **Football and Hurling are team sports** and at all times, encourage your fellow team players. Never rebuke a mistake.

Code of Conduct – Coaches / Mentors:

1. Coach by example and **encourage sportsmanship and fair play** on the field of play among players. Ensure that sufficient time and attention is given to all players.
2. Always **encourage and explain** how to correct the mistake.
3. Physical or verbal abuse will not be tolerated.
4. Ensure that training is and **enjoyable experience** for the players.