



Millbrook RFC Junior Section

Code of Conduct for Parents

1. **Deliver** your child to the squad coach at the appointed time (normally 10.00 am) and ensure the coach is aware you have placed your child in his care. Coaches will normally not take responsibility for your child before 10.00 am.
2. **When** you place your child in the care of the squad coach, confirm at what time your child will need to be collected (normally 12.00 pm).
3. **Inform** the squad coach of any health problems your child may be having. If a puffer/ inhaler may be required for your child, ensure you provide one.
4. **Ensure** when attending a rugby session your child brings a drink, wears the correct rugby strip, has a mouth guard plenty of warm clothing (particularly during winter months), a change of clothes and a towel. As with most sports your child should take a hot shower immediately after a rugby session. This is part of the warm down process and also helps remove winter mud.
5. **Avoid** taking mud covered footwear, clothes and bags into the clubhouse of Millbrook or other clubs you may visit.
6. **Complete** all registration documentation and pay subscriptions promptly to ensure your child is insured under the RFU Insurance scheme.
7. **Acknowledge** the value and importance of volunteer coaches and referees. They give freely of their time and resources to provide rugby for children and not a Sunday morning crèche.
8. **Foster** enthusiastic participation; do not force an unwilling child to participate in rugby.
9. **Educate** your child to always to play by the Laws of the Game.
10. **Instill** in children an understanding and enjoyment of the value of coaching.