PLAYERS

- Participate for your own enjoyment
- Abide by the rules of the sport
- Don’t argue with referees or officials. You may ask your coach to approach the referee/umpire or official during a break or after the competition
- Be a good sport and be gracious in victory and defeat
- Be a positive team member
- Treat all players, coaches, managers, parents, referees/umpires and officials with respect – intolerance, rudeness, poor language and bullying are not acceptable
- Focus and work hard at training and games
- Training sessions and games are compulsory in accordance with the CGGS commitment contract, advise coach, manager or TIC of any foreseen absence
- Look after any item of uniform that the school provides
- Abide by the relevant association/district or ACT Code of Conduct

PARENTS/GUARDIANS/SPECTATORS

- Remember that children participate in sport for their own enjoyment, not yours
- Encourage children to participate – do not force them
- Acknowledge a good effort by your own child or any other player
- Encourage your child to play by the rules
- Never ridicule, criticise or yell at your own child any other player
- Set an example for your child of good spectator conduct
- Respect the decisions of referees/umpires and officials and teach children to do likewise
- Support your volunteer coaches, managers and school administrators
- Respect the authority of the coach. CGGS discourages parental sideline coaching because:
  - a parent can send mixed messages to a student, and they don’t know who to believe. The student will be a better player with only one coach.
  - a parent may only have the interests of one student in mind, whereas the coach has the interests of the whole team.
  - a parent may not know what the coach has discussed with a student/s, or the reasons why the team are doing something in a certain way.
  - a parent can cause friction between themselves and a strong-minded student.
  - a parent may inadvertently frustrate the officials and possibly some of the other team members and parents.
- Respect the opposition and respect the rights, dignity and worth of every young person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion
- Never use verbal or physical abuse
- Abide by the relevant association/district or ACT Code of Conduct
- Exercise duty of care when leaving players at training or matches