

Code of Conduct for Club Parents and Guardians

Club visitors are responsible for ensuring they conform to the standards of conduct, behaviour, equality of treatment, etiquette and good manners outlined in following Code of Conduct. This has been put together in conjunctions with British Gymnastics to help ensure all of our participants and visitors have a positive experience at Majestic Gymnastics.

- 1. Parents/Guardians must have read the Code of Conduct for Participants and enforce the policies outlined.
- 2. Encourage your child to participate, but never force them to take part in the sport.
- 3. Use proper and correct language at all times.
- 4. Keep the club informed if your child is ill or unable to attend a session.

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- 5. Share any concerns or complaints about any aspect of the club through the approved channels. https://www.majesticgymnastics.co.uk/safeguarding
- 6. Should you have a need to liaise with a coach prior to your child's lesson, please inform the receptionist who will notify the coach concerned.

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- 7. Always collect your child promptly at the end of the session.
 - Participants under the age of 16 will not be allowed to leave the premises without a parent or guardian.
- 8. Parents with children under 5 years old must remain on site.
- 9. Parents must not enter the gymnastics hall without permission.
 - If you urgently need to speak to a coach, you should inform the receptionist.
 - If the receptionist is unavailable, ring the doorbell on reception to gain the attention of a coach.
- 10. Under no circumstances are parents or guardians to open the gym door to let a child out of the gymnastics hall.
- 11. Respect the personal judgement/decisions of the coaches.
- 12. Refrain from the public disparagement of the club, coaching, non-coaching staff, gymnasts, volunteers and other parents.
- 13. Respect the rights of others and remain courteous at all times. The club will not tolerate aggressive or threatening behaviour towards any member, employee or volunteer.



Parents/Guardians of Competitive Gymnasts

- 1. Publicly accept officials' judgements.
- 2. Discourage challenging/arguing with officials.
- 3. Help your child recognise good performance, not just good results.
- 4. Set a good example by recognising sportsmanship and applauding the performances of all competitors.
- 5. Keep the club informed when your child is ill or unable to attend the sessions.
 - If a gymnast misses a session three weeks prior to the competition, they will be removed from the event. Exceptional circumstances are considered.

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- 6. Ensure your behaviour is appropriate and aligned with the Code of Conduct when representing the club as a parent during an event.
- 7. Parents/Guardians must not use a club coaches' personal number unless attending an external event or in the case of an emergency. Coaches can be contacted using the following methods.

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- 8. Parents/Guardians must accept that any decision made by a coach is final and will always be in the best interest of the gymnast. Decisions will always be supported by evidence. This includes decisions surrounding:
 - Competition participation; including removing a child from a competition.
 - Class changes; including moving a child to a different class.
 - Team changes; including moving a child to a different team.
 - Learning process; including the skills taught during lessons.