

Players Expected Behaviours Document

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This agreement covers any player who sits within the Great Britain Training Squad and any other players invited into camps. This Player Code of Conduct is in addition to Table Tennis England's SafeTT Code of Conduct that can be found here: <https://www.tabletennisengland.co.uk/content/uploads/2025/02/SafeTT-Code-Of-Conduct-1.pdf>

Table Tennis England is dedicated to creating an environment that nurtures the enjoyment and enthusiasm of every player within our sport through a safe, positive environment. We want to empower our players to conduct themselves with a sense of personal integrity based on the acceptance of rules, fairness, equality, and respect.

As a member of the GBTS Programme, I agree to:

- Always strive to show the best version of myself
- Take care of my equipment
- Always set a good example with my language and behaviour
- Always be on time
- Always respect players and coaches
- Cooperate fully with the GBTS coaches on camp and any wider events I am tasked with attending
- Cooperate and engage with any programmes I am tasked to complete or attend (e.g., physical programme and testing, educational workshops)
- Players are expected to attend all training opportunities provided to them, unless there is a valid reason behind why they are unable to attend and this is discussed with coaches in advance
- Commit to the behaviours we expect in our programmes listed below:
 - *Passion & Drive* – show I am driven to develop and excel to the next stage
 - *Resilience* – keep fighting to improve even if I have a bad training session/tournament
 - *Curiosity* – not be afraid of trying new things and being creative with my game
 - *Self Management* – take responsibility for things I may need at training/events
 - *Gratitude & Respect* – respect the coaches, players, parents, and officials around me
 - *Adaptability* – show I can adapt to new situations/tasks in training/events
 - *Thrive in Competition* – show my love of competing and always act professional
 - *Takes care* – take care of others around me and support my teammates

In the event that we deem your actions to be gross misconduct, we may be forced to remove you permanently from the programme. This may include areas such as (but not limited to):

- Taking illegal substances or alcohol on camp or at an event
- Serious actual or threatened violence against others
- Verbal abuse towards other people
- Inappropriate use of images and sharing on social media (please refer to SafeTT guidelines here: [Social media, live streaming and photography guidance - Table Tennis England](#))
- Any breach of health and safety or safeguarding
- Absconding from a camp

*If there are breaches against a Table Tennis England code of conduct, policy, or regulation by an affiliated member, the formal reporting, investigation, and disciplinary process should be followed.

Agreement

By signing this agreement, I agree to abide by the code of conduct set out in this document. I understand that failure to abide by the code of conduct may result in any or all of the following actions being taken:

I may:

- receive a verbal or written warning
- be temporarily removed from the programme
- be permanently removed from the programme

I have read and understood the above code of conduct and agree to be bound by it.

Parents should sign the document on behalf of players to confirm that the content has been discussed with and understood by the player.

Parent Signature:

Name of player (print):

Date: