

LINCOLN YOUTH BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION PLAYERS CODE OF CONDUCT



As a Lincoln Youth Basketball Association player, I recognize the importance of sportsmanship, teamwork, and personal growth. I commit to upholding the highest standards of conduct on and off the court. To ensure a positive and respectful environment for all, I pledge to adhere to the following Player's Code of Conduct:

- 1. Respect for All:
 - a. I will treat coaches, teammates, opponents, officials, and spectators respectfully and courteously, regardless of the circumstances.
 - b. I will avoid using profanity, derogatory language, or disrespectful gestures during games, practices, and interactions with others.
- 2. Commit to Skill Development:
 - a. I will dedicate myself to improving my basketball skills, understanding that hard work and practice are essential for personal growth.
 - b. I will strive to be a valuable and supportive team member, contributing to our success.
- 3. Embrace Sportsmanship:
 - a. I will demonstrate good sportsmanship by following the game's rules, respecting opponents, and acknowledging their efforts.
 - b. I will gracefully accept victory with humility and defeat, always respecting the outcome.
- 4. Control What I Can Control:
 - a. I will focus on aspects of the game that are within my control, such as my attitude, effort, and teamwork.
 - b. I will maintain composure in challenging situations, avoid arguing with officials, or engage in unsportsmanlike behavior.
- 5. Support Teammates:
 - a. I will encourage and support my teammates, offering positive reinforcement and helping them develop their skills.
 - b. I will avoid criticism and negativity towards fellow players, recognizing that we are all learning and growing together.
- 6. Communicate Effectively:
 - a. I will communicate respectfully and constructively with my coaches, seeking clarification and addressing concerns maturely.
 - b. I will be an active listener and follow instructions from my coaches.
- 7. Uphold the Association's Values:
 - a. I will align my actions with the values and mission of the Lincoln Youth Basketball Association, promoting sportsmanship, teamwork, and personal growth.
 - b. I will be a positive representative of the association both on and off the court.
- 8. Continuous Learning:
 - a. I will seek opportunities to improve my basketball knowledge and skills, striving for personal growth and development as a player.



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- b. I will learn from success and failure, using each experience as a chance to improve.
- 9. Respect the Game:
 - a. I will respect the game of basketball, honoring its traditions and history.
 - b. I will play passionately and enthusiastically, recognizing the privilege of participating in this great sport.

By adhering to this Player's Code of Conduct, I acknowledge my role in creating a positive and respectful basketball experience for all Lincoln Youth Basketball Association participants. I understand that my actions reflect not only on myself but also my team and the association, and I am committed to upholding these principles with integrity and dedication.

Print Name

Date

Signature