



## PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

Below are just a few of the responsibilities of each Falcon Youth Football player. Please read this form with your child. By signing the bottom, you acknowledge that your child understands this form.

1. I asked to sign up for football because I have the desire to learn and play the game.
2. I will maintain good sportsmanship at all times. Falcon Youth Football, nor the PYFL, will tolerate vulgar language, taunting, fighting, talking back (to coaches, adult volunteers, or other people in positions of authority) or any behavior that may injure another player. Any action, of this sort, can result in disciplinary measures or even suspension for the team.
3. During scrimmages and games, I will always respect the officials and their authority. I will not boo, taunt, or refuse to shake hands.
4. I will follow the rules that have been set by my coach.
5. Falcon Youth Football makes safety a priority. Missing practice or not paying attention during practice, can affect the way I play. If I need to miss any practice or game I will make sure the team manager or coach knows at least 24 hours in advance if possible.
6. Football is a team sport. There are 22 players on the field at all times. Every player on the team must get 12 plays every game. I understand that I may not get to play every down of a game. I also understand that the coach may need me to play a position that is not my favorite, in order to help the team.
7. I will not use any drugs, tobacco, and alcohol.
8. I will do my best in school and agree that school will always come before football. I will maintain at least a "C" average. If my grades drop below a "C" average I may not be allowed to practice or play in games until my grades meet the "C" average.
9. Falcon Youth Football has let me use a helmet, shoulder pads, and game pants. These items must be turned in at the end of the season. I will take care of this equipment as if it were my own.

Any reports that a player is not following any of the above rules, may have their behavior reviewed by the Falcon Youth Football Executive Board to determine if any disciplinary action is needed. In a severe case, a player may be removed from the Falcon Youth Football program without a refund.

Player's Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Player's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Name (*print*): \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Name signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_