

NC Elite Volleyball Club Player Code of Conduct

I will do my best to act at all times in a manner that brings credit to me, my family, my team and NC Elite. I will conduct myself in a manner that will support and reflect positively on all players and NC Elite Volleyball Club, its Board of Directors, Leadership Team, Coaching Staff and General Staff, including during in person event attendance, in communications with other players and families, and in written communications and social media and other public postings.

In addition:

- I will refrain from using tobacco products, vaping products, alcohol, or illegal drugs. I understand that NC Elite Volleyball Club maintains a no tolerance policy for student-athletes and use of alcohol, tobacco, vaping products or drugs can be grounds for immediate dismissal from the club.
- I will appreciate the hard work of the coaches and my parents in providing me the opportunity to be the best player and person that I can be.
- I will dedicate myself to this group and give my best efforts towards reaching my personal and team goals as I expect they will do for me.
- I will respect my teammates and will refrain from criticizing them on the court or off. I will remain positive. I will not speak of my teammates, coach's, or organization in a derogatory manner. If I have concerns or problems I will speak with my parents, coaches, and/or advocates to find a resolution.
- I understand that playing time is earned, not guaranteed. All players will be given equal opportunity and instruction to earn their position, but it is up to me to put forth the effort. I understand that I must earn my position and time on the court by showing the will to compete, the desire to support my teammates on the floor, and the heart to do whatever it takes to give everything I have to the match.
- I will do my best to be present at all team functions (practices, tournaments, overnight trips, meetings, special events, etc.) unless I receive prior permission from my Coach. I recognize that failure to meet my obligations to the team could result in reductions in playing time.
- I realize in the event I must miss a practice, tournament, or team event, the Coach must be notified IN ADVANCE.
- During NC Elite Events/ Tournaments and overnight trips I will:
 - Respect and follow the rules, regulations, and curfews established by the NC Elite Coaches and/or Chaperones at all times.
 - Arrive on time.
 - Notify the Coach immediately once I realize travel conditions may cause me to be late. I
 recognize that if I arrive late without prior notification, my play may be limited during
 the first match for which I am present.
 - Remain with at least one of my teammates or my parents at all times.
 - Present written permission from my parents prior to the tournament date if I am riding with another NC Elite member and her parents.
 - Abide by all rules established by NC Elite Volleyball Club.
 - Act respectfully towards other teams, players, coaches and officials.
 - Accept that unsportsmanlike conduct may be grounds for suspension, dismissal and/or removal from a game, match, or tournament
 - Not leave a tournament site or practice without permission from my Coach.