## **Code of Conduct for Adults**

**How parents, families and carers can support our work:** The following is a list of Do's and Don'ts which is designed to act as a reminder to adult participants, parents, families and carers about the expected standards of conduct. By following this code of conduct adult participants, parents, families and carers can assist the organisation to provide a positive, nurturing and safe environment for all children, young people and adults who make use of the services and facilities of the organisation.

Do	read the Safeguarding Policy Statement and note the contact details of the DSO
Do	understand and respect our Safeguarding Ethos and Ethical Working Policy
Do	ensure you are familiar with how to give <b>Comments &amp; Suggestions</b> and raise <b>Concerns or Complaints</b>
Do	abide by the Code of Conduct for Parents, Families & Carers and put it into practice at all times
Do	encourage and support children, young people and adults to follow the relevant <b>Codes of Behaviour</b>
Do	bring any attitudes or behaviours that concern you to the attention of the DSO
Do	work with us to build relationships with our staff
Do	demonstrate through your own behaviour that everyone should be treated with dignity and respect
Do	understand that you must remain calm & respectful when there is conflict, despite who may be at fault
Do	approach our staff to help solve any issues and/or problems
Do	work with the organisation and our staff for the benefit of all children, young people and adults
Do	seek to clarify a child or adults version of events with the organisation view to help resolve problems

Do Not	interfere, or threaten to interfere, with the running of a session or activity
Do Not	engage in disruptive behaviour on our grounds
Do Not	use loud or offensive language, swear, curse or display temper/anger
Do Not	threaten to do actual bodily harm to any Trustee, member of staff, parent/carer or participant
Do Not	damage or destroy organisational property
Do Not	send abusive or threatening emails, texts/voicemail/phone messages or other written communication
Do Not	make defamatory, offensive or derogatory comments regarding the organisation or its staff on any social media
Do Not	use physical aggression towards another child or adult
Do Not	physically punish your own child on our grounds
Do Not	chastise someone else's child
Do Not	smoke or consume alcohol or drugs on our grounds
Do Not	brings dogs onto our grounds

This Code of Conduct for Adult Participants, Parents, Families & Carers should be read in conjunction with any and all other codes of conduct that apply to any specific project delivery location.