



## Covid-19 Training - Parent / Carer Declaration

### Introduction

In light of the current FA rules permitting restricted training for grassroots football, W.B.F.C. Juniors plan to restart training in accordance with all current guidance.

There are obvious social, mental and physical advantages to restarting training but as always the safety of the players and coaches still remains paramount.

The club has developed a comprehensive COVID 19 Training Strategy in line with current FA and Government Guidelines which will be communicated to all managers, coaches and officials throughout the club.

There will be no pressure from the club for teams or individuals to return to training. Firstly, the coach must understand and accept what is expected, if the coach is not comfortable then that team will not return to training and the coach will be fully backed by the club. If the coach wishes to commence training under the FFA guidelines, all parents / carers will be expected to read the Parent Rules and acknowledge that they fully understand them and agree to the content in its entirety. This will be done by signing the Parent Declaration. This can also be done electronically. If a player or parent / carer does not feel entirely comfortable with the proposal, they should not sign the declaration and should not feel pressure to do so. A player's place within a team will not be based upon their participation in these training sessions.

In summary, this proposal is to allow coaches and players who wish to return to training to do so safely, however if coaches or players are not comfortable then they should not return to training.

### Parent / Player Rules

1. Use toilet facilities before you leave the house - all onsite facilities will be closed.
2. Travel alone to training, no sharing lifts with other households
3. Arrive at the allotted time
4. Remain socially distant when in the car park and when walking to / from the training area.
5. Drop the player off at the drop off point as instructed by the coach. If you plan to stay at the venue please park in the main car park but remain in your vehicle.
6. Players must bring their own drinks bottle clearly marked with their name.
7. Do not leave your car unless the coach requires you to tend to your child.
8. Leave as soon as your child is at the pick up point as instructed by your coach. Do not congregate to speak with other parents / carers or the coach.
9. Follow recommended hygiene guidelines when you return home.
10. If an individual is symptomatic, living in a household with anyone who is self isolating or if you're classified as extremely vulnerable on health grounds, the guidance is that you should remain at home.

W.B.F.C. Juniors have done everything reasonably practicable to ensure full compliance with the latest guidance. If you have any doubts please do not return to training and if you wish to discuss please contact the club. If you witness any practices that make you feel uncomfortable, remove your child immediately.

Note: coaches are volunteers with the children's best interests at heart, but although all the necessary controls have been put in place they cannot guarantee that accidental breaches may occur despite all best efforts to avoid this. If this is not acceptable, do not sign this disclaimer. By signing this document, you are confirming that you are in full acceptance of all above statements.

Child Name.....

Parent/Carer Name & Signature.....

Team Name / Age Group (2020/2021).....

Date.....