

## Khalsa Karate Association Code of Conduct for Parents and Carers

As a parent/carer of a child studying with Khalsa Karate Association, we would like you to:

- ✓ Make sure your child has the right kit for the session as well as enough to drink
- ✓ Make sure your child trains consistently, arrives to sessions on time and is picked up promptly. Always let us know if your child is going home with someone else
- ✓ Complete all consent, contact and medical forms and update us straight away if anything changes
- ✓ Make sure your child's license is in date. Your child can not take part in any lessons, competitions, special training events or gradings without a valid up to date license. Your child's license not only insures them annually but also registers them as members of Khalsa Karate Association and the Governing Body.
- ✓ Speak to us about your child's progress or any concerns you may have – We want to hear from you
- ✓ Remember that children get a wide range of benefits from participating in sport, like making friends, getting exercise and developing confidence and skills. It is not all about wins, losses medals and grades.
- ✓ Behave positively during competitions or training sessions – show encouragement and let your children know you are proud of what they are doing.
- ✓ Encourage your child to play by the rules, embrace good etiquette and sportsmanship and accept the judgement of officials with good grace.
- ✓ Ensure your child understands their code of conduct.

**As a parent/Carer of a child studying with Khalsa Karate Association we understand you have the right to:**

- ✓ Be assured your child is safeguarded during their time with us
- ✓ See any of our policies and procedures at any time
- ✓ Know who the Safeguarding Officer responsible for your child is and have their contact details
- ✓ Know what qualifications and training we have
- ✓ Know what happens if there is an accident or injury and be informed if your child is injured
- ✓ Have any concerns about any aspect of your child's welfare listened to

We expect all parents/carers to follow this code of conduct. If any parent/carer behaves in a way which contradicts any of these points, we will address the problem straight away and aim to resolve the issue.