



ESSEX SPARTANS

ACADEMY

1. PLAYER INFORMATION

NAME	***
DATE OF BIRTH	***
ADDRESS (including postcode)	***
EMAIL	***
PHONE	***
HEALTH ISSUES, INJURIES, ALLERGIES AND MEDICATION	<i>Please ensure you include medication dosing information and any medical professional's advice</i> ***
<i>Disclaimer: I understand that all activities I participate in relating to American Football recognised and/or authorised by the Essex Spartans American Football Organisation are at my own risk and I accept all responsibility for any events that I am involved in thereafter. I agree not to bring any claim against the Essex Spartans American Football Organisation. I agree to abide by the Essex Spartans Academy Code of Conduct at all times (see page 2)</i>	
SIGNATURE: ***	

2. EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS

NAME	***
RELATIONSHIP	***
CONTACT NUMBER AND EMAIL ADDRESS	***
<i>Declaration: I agree to my child receiving medication as instructed and any emergency dental, medical or surgical treatment as considered necessary by the medical authorities present.</i>	
SIGNATURE: ***	



ESSEX SPARTANS

ACADEMY

ESSEX SPARTAN ACADEMY PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

Obligations towards the team - A Spartan should:

1. Make every effort to develop their own sporting abilities, in terms of skill, technique, tactics and stamina
2. Give maximum effort and strive for the best possible performance during a game, even if his team is in a position where the desired result has already been achieved
3. Make every effort consistent with Fair Play and the Laws of the Game to help his own team win
4. Attend organised training sessions
5. Give notice of any unavailability to the coaching staff
6. Set a positive example for others, particularly young or inexperienced players and supporters
7. Avoid all forms of gamesmanship and time-wasting
8. Always have regard for the best interests of the game, including where publicly expressing an opinion on the game and any particular aspect of it, including others involved in the game
9. Treat all team mates equally – regardless of colour, creed or culture
10. Not use inappropriate language

Respect for the Laws of the Game and competition rules - A Spartan should:

1. Know and abide by the Laws, rules and spirit of the game, and the competition rules
2. Accept success and failure, victory and defeat, equally
3. Use only techniques as coached by registered coaches of the Essex Spartans A.F.O.

Respect towards Opponents - A Spartan should:

1. Treat opponents with due respect at all times, irrespective of the result of the game
2. Safeguard the physical fitness of opponents, avoid violence and rough play, and help injured opponents

Respect towards the Match Officials - A Spartan should:

1. Accept the decision of the Match Official without protest
2. Avoid words or actions which may mislead a Match Official
3. Show due respect towards Match Officials

Respect towards Team Officials - A Spartan should:

1. Abide by the instructions of their Coach and Team Officials, provided they do not contradict the spirit of this Code
2. Show due respect towards the Team Officials of the opposition

Obligations towards the Supporters - A Spartan should:

1. Show due respect to the interests of supporters



3. FILMING AND PHOTOGRAPHY

In accordance with our Safeguarding Children and Vulnerable Adults Policy we will not permit photographs, video or other images of young people to be taken without the consent of the parents/guardians of the child. The Essex Spartans may use photographs or film taken by Academy Staff and/or the Academy Official Photographer in the promotion of the Essex Spartans American Football Organisation and as a training tool. The Essex Spartans Academy take the safeguarding and protection of our players seriously and will take all steps necessary to ensure these images are used solely for the purposes they are intended. The Essex Spartans Academy will avoid the use of the forename and surname of the player to reduce the risk of inappropriate, unsolicited attention from people outside the sport. We will only take and use photographs and video of players in appropriate dress. The recording of training sessions and matches is for the use of the Essex Spartans Academy Coaching Staff in 'invite only' training aid. If any player, parent or guardian have any concerns regarding the filming or photographing of themselves/their child then they should contact the Essex Spartans Academy Welfare Officer at academywelfare@essexspartans.co.uk or mobile number 07730 608813.

PARENT AND PLAYER CONSENT:

This section should be signed by a parent or guardian if you are under 18 years. If you are over 18 years of age then you should sign this consent form yourself.

I consent to the Essex Spartans AFO photographing and/or videoing my child (or myself over 18) for the purposes identified above.

NAME:	***
RELATIONSHIP TO PLAYER: (if under 18)	***
SIGNATURE:	***



4. TRAVEL CONSENT

(only required for those players under the age of 18 years old)

Academy Players may be able to travel to away matches on a team coach. Parents may join the players and Academy staff, seats permitting, for a small charge. Unless otherwise stated, all players will return to the Essex Spartans Academy home ground at Gateway Academy. If you wish your child to leave a match or tournament with you then please advise the Academy Coaching Staff or Welfare Officer in advance. If a player wishes to leave an away tournament or match without a parent or guardian and not return to the Essex Spartans Home Ground then they must ensure that their parent contact the Academy Welfare Officer at academywelfare@essexspartans.co.uk or telephone 07730 608813 in advance of the tournament or game. The safety and wellbeing of our players is of the upmost importance and these measures ensure that our players return to a place of safety at the end of each tournament or game.

I hereby consent to allowing my child to travel to away matches and tournaments in the Essex Spartans Academy team coach. I will adhere to the requests of the Academy, as noted above, if taking my child or giving permission for my child to leave the tournament or match by any other means.

NAME:	***
RELATIONSHIP TO PLAYER: <i>(if under 18)</i>	***
SIGNATURE:	***



5. FINANCIAL AGREEMENT

I, and my parent and/or legal guardian, am aware that Annual Academy subscriptions are priced at **£120 (one hundred and twenty pounds)** and agree to pay this amount in full

I, or my parent/legal guardian, agree to pay this amount either;

- 1.) In **one (1)** electronic bank transfer payment of £120 no later than February 28th 2017
- 2.) In **two (2)** electronic payments of £60; payment one to be received no later than January 31st 2017, payment two to be received no later than February 28th 2017
- 3.) In **eight (8)** Direct Debit payments of £17.50; payment one to be received in January 2017, with each subsequent payment being taken monthly until August 2017.

Payments are to be made via the Essex Spartans American Football Organisation's online payment system. You are advised to email Spartans Treasurer Danny Shilling via treasurer@essexspartans.co.uk for details of how to set up your payments.

Please note – you may be entitled to discounted subscriptions. Please email the Treasurer if you believe the available discounts apply to you.

I hereby indicate my/our preferred payment option to be option

I, and my parent and/or legal guardian, are aware that payment of subs includes the following benefits for the player;

- Access to helmet, shoulder pads, training jerseys, game jerseys and training equipment at training sessions on a "first come, first served" basis
- Safe positional coaching, overseen by qualified, first aid trained and DBS checked coaches
- The opportunity to be considered for selection to play in competitive games and friendlies

I, and my parent and/or legal guardian, are aware that payment of subs does not include the following benefits for the player;

- Bottom set of pads, game day pants, gumshield, footwear, and any other equipment not listed above
- Any transport to or from games or training
- Registration and insurance from BAFA
- Any additional items/events not detailed above

I, and my parent and/or legal guardian, agree to pay any fines imposed upon me by the club and/or by the BAFA &/or BAFA National Leagues

I shall be suspended &/or released by the club if I bring any discredit upon the club or the name of the Organisation &/or the BAFA National Leagues and thus I will forfeit any moneys due to me, and/or my parent and/or legal guardian



Written notification must be given to the club for requests of any transfers &/or termination of agreement. All fees must be paid in full and any equipment issued returned to the Committee before release

I, and my parent and/or legal guardian, understand that failure to settle any outstanding debts in full to the club will result in my name being placed upon the BAFA National Leagues Official Debtors List*, and I may not request a transfer or termination of this agreement until such debts are cleared.

*Failure to settle debts & being on the Debtors list will prevent any future participation in this sport within the B.A.F.A

Are you currently or have you ever been registered to any other B.A.F.A team? YES NO

Do you have any outstanding debts with a previous B.A.F.A recognised club? YES NO

I agree that my participation will be for no material financial or personal gain.

NAME:	***
DATE:	***
SIGNATURE:	***

PARENTAL CONSENT AND AGREEMENT

I hereby give permission for my Son/Daughter to register as a player with the **ESSEX SPARTANS ACADEMY** for the 2017 season.

I am aware that by signing this agreement, I agree to all terms contained herein, and accept that it is my responsibility to ensure the agreed payment terms are met. I understand that failure to do so may result in **ESSEX SPARTANS AMERICAN FOOTBALL ORGANISATION** taking appropriate action as deemed necessary by the Organisation, once approved and sanctioned by BAFA.

NAME:	***
RELATIONSHIP TO PLAYER: (if under 18)	***
DATE:	***
SIGNATURE:	***