



MY RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES AS A YOUNG PERSON ATTENDING MARVEL STADIUM

WHAT ARE MY RIGHTS WHEN ATTENDING MARVEL STADIUM?

As a young person, you have rights, lots of them. They are called the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, check them out! Having rights makes sure that you are safe and protected doing the things you love, like attending Marvel Stadium! We want all kids who attend Marvel Stadium to be safe, feel safe, and play safe. Here are some of those rights that relate to Marvel Stadium. You have the right to:

- be treated fairly, no matter what your cultural background, gender or sexuality, or if you have a disability
- be safe from harm or abuse from your peers or an adult at Marvel Stadium
- have a say about things that are important to you, and be taken seriously
- have privacy when you are getting changed or showering at events or trips

DEFINITIONS

A Child: someone attending Marvel Stadium who is 12 years or younger.

A Young Person: someone attending Marvel Stadium who is between the ages of 13 and 18 years old.

Adult: someone attending Marvel Stadium who is over the age of 18.

WHAT ARE MY RESPONSIBILITIES AT MARVEL STADIUM?

With rights, come responsibilities, but you have probably heard that before. Like school, or work, you are responsible for your own behaviour and how it impacts others around you. When it comes to behaviour at Marvel Stadium, remember to:

Play Fair: Show respect to everyone around you – staff, peers, spectators, players and umpires.

Play Safe: Prioritise safety, yours, and the people around you, always.

Play Kind: Be inclusive, patient, and welcoming.

WHAT ELSE SHOULD I DO?

If we all just followed the rules, everyone would be ok, right? Of course! But life just isn't that simple. Young people often have a bit going on for them, and it is easy to forget the rules sometimes. Here are three easy steps to keep you in check.

Check Yourself: Check your own behaviour is in line with your responsibilities and that you are not the reason why someone else may be feeling unsafe, uncomfortable, unwelcome, or excluded.



Check Your Mate: Check in on your friends and your family, make sure they are doing ok and offer to help where you can.

Say Something: If you have concerns about your safety or the safety of another child or young person, or have seen or heard something that just doesn't feel right, it is important you Speak to a parent, carer, family member or trusted adult.

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Share your concerns and pass them onto Marvel Stadium staff, security or police.

For any safeguarding queries email childsafety@afl.com.au

Contact Kids helpline on 1800 55 1800 (it's free) or www.kidshelpline.com.au.

As always if anyone is in immediate danger contact the police on 000.

Remember, we want all children and young people attending Marvel Stadium to be safe, feel safe, play safe.

IMPORTANT – If your behaviour is impacting on another person's safety and wellbeing, and it has been discussed with you and it continues, or if it is really serious, there may be consequences. This can include warnings right down to notifying the police.