



**Positive Role Models and
Leadership Development
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Why Leadership and Positive Role Models Matter

- 1 Leadership is essential for on and off the field.
- 2 A positive role model is crucial for shaping the culture of the team, the club, and the broader community.



What is a Positive Role Model?

A positive role model inspires others through their actions, attitudes and behaviour. In football, role models are more than just exceptional players on the field; they exemplify strong character, leadership and integrity.

They motivate others to follow their example and encourage them to strive for their best on and off the field.

Integrity | Acts with honesty and strong moral principles.

Dedication | Demonstrates a strong commitment to goals and responsibilities.

Respect | Respects teammates, coaches, and opponents with dignity, valuing different perspectives.

Accountability | Takes responsibility for their actions and decisions.

Self Discipline | Exhibits self discipline in both personal and professional lives.

Inspiring | Encourages others to take initiative and develop leadership skills within the team.

Positive Attitude | Maintains an optimistic and constructive outlook.

Leadership in Football

On the Field

- Making decisions under pressure
- Motivating teammates to perform at their best
- Setting the tone for hard work and discipline

Off the Field

- Being a positive influence in the community
- Mentoring younger players
- Contributing to a culture of respect and teamwork



Developing Leadership Skills

Improve Communication | Speak clearly, listen actively, and encourage feedback from others.

Take Initiative | Volunteer for tasks, lead warmups, and motivate your teammates.

Set Goals | Establish personal and team goals to enhance discipline and focus.

Build Confidence | Trust in your abilities and work to inspire confidence in your teammates.

Problem Solver | Approach challenges with a positive, solution oriented mindset.



The Importance of Accountability

What is Accountability?

It is the act of taking responsibility for your actions and decisions.

Why it Matters

Accountability is essential as it helps keep the team focused, builds trust, and enhances overall performance.

How to be Accountable

- Acknowledge your mistakes and learn from them.
- Hold yourself to the highest standards and lead by example.
- Encourage others to be accountable, and offer them support in doing so.

Inspiration

Players are motivated to achieve their full potential



Teamwork

Fosters collaboration and unity within the team



Success

Teams with strong role models tend to perform better and create a supportive environment



Respect

Cultivates a culture of mutual respect and positive interactions

Community

Positive role models influence the broader community by promoting sportsmanship

Benefits of Positive Role Models

How to Be a Positive Role Model at CLFC

- **Lead** with kindness, respect, and integrity.
- **Support** your teammates both on and off the field.
- **Inspire** others through actions, not just your words.
- **Take Accountability** for your behaviour and actions.
- **Encourage** younger players and assist them developing their skills.

