



Below is a code of conduct for spectators provided by the Irish Rugby Football Union. These guidelines should be followed by spectators of **all** sports at Belfast Royal Academy. We thank you for your support.

**1** Remember that although young people play organised rugby they are not 'miniature Internationals'.

**2** Be on your best behaviour and lead by example. Do not use profane language or harass referees, players or coaches.

**3** Applaud good play by the visiting team as well as your own.

**4** Show respect for your team's opponents. Without them there would not be a match.

**5** The use of violence in all forms should never be condoned.

**6** Verbal abuse of players or referees cannot be accepted in any shape or form.

**7** Players or referees are not fair targets for abuse.

**8** Encourage young players to play by the Laws of the Game.

**9** Spectators can contribute to the enjoyment of the event and all involved.

**10** Be proud of your team and the Game of Rugby.