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My coaching philosophy

Players have useful and creative ideas

My supporting behaviours...

I will encourage my team to discuss how they want to play

I will listen to feedback from my players

Additional Notes

- What's your impact?
- Could you implement any new behaviours?
 Have your beliefs changed over time?



I shouldn't let emotions affect my coaching

My supporting behaviours...

I will stay calm on the touchline

I will try not to take team performance personally

Additional Notes

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- Could you implement any new behaviours?
- Have your beliefs changed over time?



The score-line does not determine our success

My supporting behaviours...

I will rotate players - whether winning or losing

I will remain positive, whatever the match result

Additional Notes

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 Have your beliefs changed over time?



Teams deserve to play in a safe environment

My supporting behaviours...

I will stay up-to-date with all safeguarding training

I will create age-appropriate inclusive sesions

Additional Notes

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- Have your beliefs changed over time?



Players should have the chance to shape their team

My supporting behaviours...

I will provide the opportunity to reflect on game performance

I will involve players in important decisions

Additional Notes

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Players learn best through playing football

My supporting behaviours...

I will give everyone equal opportunity to play

I will use game-related practices in my coaching sessions

Additional Notes

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- Have your beliefs changed over time?



I coach young people, not mini footballers

My supporting behaviours...

I will provide my squad with psychological and social support

I will encourage my team to become good people, not just good players

Additional Notes

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Players mature at different rates

My supporting behaviours...

I never make snap judgements about ability

I will use the FA Four Corner model to consider individual player development

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