

Westtown Aquatic Club Swimmer Code of Conduct

The purpose of this Swimmer Code of Conduct is to establish clear and consistent expectations for athlete behavior. As a member of Westtown Aquatics, I agree to uphold the highest standards of sportsmanship, respect, and integrity in all team activities.

- Respect others I will treat my teammates, coaches, officials, and competitors with kindness and respect, and take care of personal and team property.
- 2. Demonstrate good sportsmanship I will set a positive example through my attitude, work ethic, and behavior at practices and meets, serving as a role model for my teammates, especially younger swimmers.
- 3. Respect all facilities I will follow all rules and expectations when using locker rooms, pools, and other venues for practices, competitions, and team activities.
- Represent Westtown Aquatics with integrity I will conduct myself in a way that reflects positively on my team, always following USA Swimming's rules and Code of Conduct.
- 5. Follow locker room policies I will abide by USA Swimming's rule of NO cell phone use and NO picture-taking in locker rooms.
- 6. Maintain a clean environment I will help clean up the pool area before leaving, whether it involves putting away equipment at practice or disposing of trash at a meet.

Prohibited Behavior at All Westtown Aquatic Club Activities

- 1. Use of drugs, alcohol, tobacco, or illegal substances These are strictly prohibited.
- 2. Disruptive or inappropriate behavior I will refrain from using offensive language, acting disrespectfully, or disregarding team expectations.
- 3. Theft or vandalism Taking or damaging property that does not belong to me will not be tolerated.
- 4. Bullying of any kind I will not engage in, support, or tolerate any form of bullying, including verbal, physical, or online harassment.

Accountability & Consequences

I have read and understand the Swimmer Code of Conduct and agree to follow its guidelines. As a Westtown Aquatics swimmer, I commit to acting with integrity at all times while representing my team.

If I fail to adhere to these expectations, a meeting may be required between myself, my parent(s), and the Westtown Aquatics director to determine an appropriate resolution. I understand that violations may impact my ability to participate in practices, meets, or even the team.

Electronic signatures will be collected at registration through TeamUnify.

