

# SMSA SOCCER ACADEMY



## ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA

*The SMSA Soccer Academy is designed for players who are committed to learning, improving, and growing in a positive development environment.*



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### WILLING TO LISTEN

Players should be attentive during instruction and focused on learning from coaches.

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### LOOKING TO GROW

Players should show a genuine desire to improve their skills, confidence, and understanding of the game.

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### OPEN TO COACH FEEDBACK

Players must be receptive to correction, guidance, and constructive coaching.

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### APPLIES COACH FEEDBACK TO TRAINING

Players should make a visible effort to apply coaching points during activities and sessions.

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### PUTS EFFORT INTO TRAINING

Players are expected to train with energy, focus, and a strong work ethic.

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### REGULARLY ATTENDS TEAM PRACTICES

Players should consistently attend team training sessions and demonstrate commitment to their overall development.

*Selection is based not only on current ability,  
but also on attitude, coachability, effort,  
and commitment to development.*