



Open Viewing Policy

Joe Fraser Gymnastics

We currently operate an Open Viewing Policy. Parents must remain within the reception or upstairs viewing area and not enter the gym area for the health and safety of our gymnasts, staff and:

Parents/Guardians/Spectators

- All GymTOT parents/guardians will need to stay and participate whilst the child attends their classes.
- Children up to 7 years old, parents will be invited and encouraged to stay for their child's session.
- Children with certain additional needs meaning the parent/guardian would need to supervise the child or be on site will be invited and encouraged to stay. This will be down to the discretion of the club and parent. ***(We must be informed of this upon registration, or at the earliest opportunity, of any additional needs that may impact the club's decision to waive any restrictions on parent attendance.)***
- Parents/Guardians of new starters will be invited and encouraged to stay for the first two weeks of their child's session.

Expected Behaviours

- The following is expected of parents attending open viewing. (Please refer to our parent's code of conduct before your open viewing session. This can be found on our website or in the reception area).
- Use correct and appropriate language at all times and avoid any behaviour which could be interpreted as intimidating, this includes threatening, bullying, trying to gain an unfair advantage and public disparagement of the club and its members/coaches.

- No photography or video recording equipment (including photo and video imaging mobile phones) may be used by parents, carers or visitors during training sessions.
- Do not attempt to communicate with your child or another child during training. If you wish to speak to your child, please ask a Coach

The club reserves the right to address any behaviours deemed inappropriate and you may lose your opportunity for open viewing if the rules and practice are not followed accordingly.

Additional information

British Gymnastics safe environment policy also recognises the use of CCTV.

As such to provide additional opportunity, and increase safeguarding, Joe Fraser Gymnastics operates CCTV within the premises.

A live viewing screen is available to reception staff and. Allowing our safeguarding and reception team to view and support any issues that may arise on the gymnastics area.