

## FIRST LEGO League Coaches' HONOR CODE

(from the FLL Coaches' Handbook)



As the coaches and mentors of a *FIRST* LEGO League (FLL) team, please read the information below for further understanding of FLL core values. As coach, you are responsible for adhering to the following terms and conditions and communicating them to team members, team volunteers, and others affiliated with your team. The signing of the code signifies your intent to uphold and maintain the FLL code.

All teams are expected to abide by FLL rules and guidelines as they exist now and as they may be set forth during the season. Team rules, guidelines, and policies and procedures are detailed in this handbook.

## WE UNDERSTAND THE FOLLOWING:

- 1) **The kids come first.** FLL is about the kids having fun and getting excited about science and technology. Everything my team does starts and ends with this principle.
- 2) **The kids do the work**. This is their opportunity to learn and grow. The kids on my team do all of the programming, research, problem solving and building. Adults can help them find the answers, but cannot give them the answers or make the decisions.
- 3) **My team is comprised of ten or fewer members**, is registered as an official FLL team, and all team members are no older than 14 on January 1<sup>st</sup> of the Challenge year.
- 4) **FLL Communicates with the team via the coaches' email address** and I am responsible for reading and relaying all aspects of FLL guidelines and rules to my team, other coaches, volunteers and parents.
- 5) We will encourage our team members, other coaches, volunteers, and team supporters to develop and practice a set of FLL values that reflect *FIRST's* goal to change culture in a positive way by inspiring others through our team's actions and words.

## **FIRST LEGO League Core Values**

We are a Team

We do the work to find the solutions with guidance from our coaches and mentors. We honor the spirit of friendly competition.

What we discover is more important than what we win.

We share our experiences with others.

We display gracious professionalism in everything we do.

We have fun!