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## **Safety Wristbands Policy**

All children attending the Shout! Sports Camp at the Elmbridge Xcel Leisure Complex will be issued with a brightly coloured safety wristband.

Safety wristbands must be worn at all times, children that do not wear safety wristbands correctly will be refused access to the session.

A member of staff must fit safety wristbands, not the child. For safety reasons, there must be a gap between the wristband and the wrist in which an adult can slip two fingers underneath comfortably.

The Xcel is a shared use site with open access to members of the public. The purpose of the safety wristband is to ensure Shout! staff can quickly and easily identify all children attending the scheme. It will also assist Xcel reception staff to identify children attending the scheme.

Staff will be on hand to put on the children's wristband. Wristbands will be allocated at the start of the week; colours will alternate weekly. Every child must wear the safety wristbands provided for the duration of the week. The safety wristbands are durable and will not come off if worn correctly so replacements will not be given for lost or broken wristbands.

Safety Wristbands are made from hypoallergenic material. If you would like to see a copy of Elmbridge Borough Council risk assessment for Safety wristbands please ask the Site Leader.