

RED AND YELLOW CARD OFFENCE CODES

Minor Infringements - Yellow Card (Caution) Codes

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| Y1 | is guilty of unsporting behaviour |
| Y2 | shows dissent by word or action |
| Y3 | persistently infringes the Laws of the Game |
| Y4 | delays the restart of play |
| Y5 | fails to respect the required distance when play is restarted with a corner kick, free kick or throw in. |
| Y6 | enters or re-enters the field of play without the Referee's permission |
| Y7 | deliberately leaves the field of play without the Referee's permission |

Y1, Y2 & Y4 offences shall also relate to a substitute or substituted player who is cautioned and shown the yellow card.

Serious Infringements –Red Card (Expulsion) Codes

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| R1 | is guilty of serious foul play |
| R2 | is guilty of violent conduct |
| R3 | spits at an opponent or any other person |
| R4 | denies the opposing team a goal or an obvious goal-scoring opportunity by deliberately handling the ball
(this does not apply to a goalkeeper within his penalty area) |
| R5 | denies an obvious goal-scoring opportunity to an opponent moving towards the player's goal by an offence punishable by a free kick or a penalty kick. |
| R6 | uses offensive or insulting or abusive language and /or gestures |
| R7 | receives a second caution in the same match |

A player, substitute or substituted player who has been sent off and shown the red card must leave the vicinity of the field of play and the technical area.