

# SRL Ethos Guide

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SRL is a fun entry-point for battling robots. Competitions are a chance for teams to show off their **Brand**, what they have **learned**, and be inspired by **other teams**.

There are two crucial aspects to understand when competing in SRL:

1. It is the nature of our sport that robots will take damage, get knocked out of the ring, and very likely be destroyed. **Be ready for this.**
2. SRL is about **all teams competing at their very best every match** – it is **normal and encouraged** to see coaches helping other teams, students collaborating with other teams, and everyone working together so we can leave it all on the competition floor

## SRL IS:

- Fun and light-hearted
- An opportunity for students and adults to collaborate, explore, and learn together
- A place where your robot might get destroyed - and that's expected
- Where teams want to see other teams at their best and work together to make sure that happens
- Great for practicing soft skills and sportsmanship
- Where safety is everyone's responsibility.

## SRL IS NOT:

- All about winning or driving
- Hard to understand
- A place to be too serious