



**EAST ADELAIDE  
SCHOOL**

## After School Sports Policy

**The focus of After School Sport at East Adelaide School is to provide the opportunity for all students to develop their skills and understanding of the sport, in a pressure free enjoyable environment.**

- All students have the right to participate in the After School Sports Program provided through or facilitated by the school.
- Developmentally appropriate sports activities will be made available depending on the availability of appropriate coaches and facilities.
- The After School Sports program is overseen by the After School Sports Committee comprising the After School Sports Coordinator, a member of School Leadership, the specialist PE teacher and parents including at least one member of the East Adelaide School Governing Council.
- All students, parents, coaches, volunteers and staff at East Adelaide School who are associated with After School Sports must support the policy and sign an After School Sports Expectations and Agreement form as part of the registration process.
- Health, safety and child protection procedures must be followed at all times relating to:
  - a. facilities and equipment
  - b. coaches, team managers, supervisors and umpires/referees
  - c. first aid and emergency procedures
  - d. guidelines for behaviour at training sessions and matches
- It is a requirement that coaches, team managers, supervisors and umpires/referees have a Child Related Employment Screening (Working with Children Check – WWCC), Responding to Risks of Harm, Abuse and Neglect certificate (RRHAN) and attend a volunteer induction session on-site at the school. The After School Sports Coordinator will verify with school administration that all volunteers have met these requirements prior to season commencement.
- All students intending to play sport for East Adelaide School must complete a registration form prior to the commencement of each season. The registration form must be received by the nominated cut-off date for registrations.
- Payment for each sport must be made at the time of registration. The After School Sport program has a 'no pay-no play' policy.
- No refunds are available for students who change their mind and withdraw from their team/sport after the registration cut-off date.
- Assistance for families in experiencing financial difficulty is available through the school's Social Justice Budget on a case by case basis.
- If after Registrations and Fees have been collected there are insufficient numbers of participants to form a team, the Fees for that team will be refunded in full in the form of a credit applied to the family account.
- Students must wear appropriate protective equipment during training sessions and matches according to the sport.
- Any uniform items loaned out by the school that are not returned or that are not returned in good repair at the end of the season will incur a replacement fee.
- All students in team sport competitions are expected to attend the training session each week.
- Team selection will be made by the After School Sports Coordinator according to the After School Sports procedures.

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