



First Round: Saturday, 1st August

SANFL SCHOOLS

SCHOOL INFORMATION PACK

7 Rounds
\$350 per team

(excluding GST)



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INTRODUCTION

The SANFL Schools Competition is a metropolitan based competition. Aimed at providing a fun, safe, inclusive, and introductory environment for all primary school children in years 2 – 7.

The competition will provide all participants an enjoyable and safe competition whilst at the same time enhancing their football and team skills.

2020 Competitions are open to all boys and girls with competitions provided in:

- Mixed Competitions - Year levels 2/3, 3/4, 5/6 & 6/7.
- Female Competitions – Year levels 2/3/4 & 5/6/7

During the nomination process, schools will be asked if they have an oval that can be utilised as well as be asked if the school would prefer a central venue or a home and away fixture. After nominations are collected SANFL staff will allocate schools to a competition based on these preferences and geographical location.

WHAT SANFL WILL PROVIDE

- Full competition administration
- Quality umpiring
- Season Fixturing of all matches
- 2x appropriately sized SANFL Club branded match balls for each team
- Wrist bands for all competing year 2/3 teams
- Online registration platform for participants to register
- Personal Injury Insurance for all participants

WHAT SCHOOLS WILL NEED TO PROVIDE

- School representative for SANFL to contact
- Venue for competition*
- Teams
- Transport
- Team uniform
- Coach
- First aider
- Mouthguards (highly encouraged that each participant has their own mouthguard)

**pending on allocated competition*

PRICE STRUCTURE



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Schools will be charged a once off fee of \$350 (excluding GST). The cost includes: SANFL administration costs, umpire costs, SANFL club branded match football, scorecards, competition wristbands (if required). SANFL will invoice schools by August 1, 2020.

Competition locations and grades are to be confirmed however it is subject to team nominations.

INSURANCE

SANFL want to provide a safe environment for all those involved. To do this SANFL are providing schools with compulsory Personal Injury Insurance at an additional cost of \$90.00 per 24 players (note: if a school was entering two 9-a-side teams, they would only be charged \$90.00).

Schools will automatically be billed and insured through the SANFL Marsh Player Insurance Scheme. SANFL does this to ensure that participants, coaches and spectators alike have an appropriate level of cover to avoid any financial burdens should an injury occur.

It should be noted that SANFL have received advice from DECD in relation to insurance and have confirmed the following:

- DECD does have a public liability insurance that extends to sporting activities, including the SANFL Schools Competition – this coverage is **limited**.
- This insurance, however, only protects against claims arising from negligence on the part of the department and will only cover the cost of ambulance attendance/transport for injured students.
- The insurance **DOES NOT** cover any medical or other expenses in relation to accidental injuries to the students, coaches and parents.

If a school can provide evidence that their own school has Personal Injury Insurance that covers their students adequately or to the equivalent of the existing Marsh Policy, they will forgo the insurance fee. Public Liability Insurances WILL NOT be accepted.

If your school has Personal Injury Insurance, please ensure that it covers after school and weekend activities. Then send the insurance certificate and a written confirmation of the school accepting responsibility of injuries and claims to your local Game Development Coordinator.

For further information regarding the personal injury insurance please follow the links below.

https://afl.jltssport.com.au/documents/PA_Summary.pdf?202001232041

https://afl.jltssport.com.au/documents/AFL_Player_Insurance_Flyer.pdf?202001232019



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If your school is interested in joining the SANFL Schools, please fill out the nomination form

<https://sanfl.com.au/schoolscomp/>

Nominations are due 3rd July

PLAYER REGISTRATION

All players in the SANFL Schools Competition are required register to their school vis the SANFL Schools Competition registration page.

<https://membership.sportstg.com/regofrm.cgi?formID=64660>

COACHES

All coaches must obtain or be willing to obtain a foundation of coaching accreditation and uphold the SANFL coaches code of conduct.

<https://s3-ap-southeast-2.amazonaws.com/sanfl-media/content/uploads/2019/02/04112203/10.1.2-Coaches-Code-of-Conduct-1.pdf>

PARENTS & SUPPORTERS

All parents and supporters will be bound by the SANFL Parents/Supporters & Spectators Codes of Conduct.

<https://s3-ap-southeast-2.amazonaws.com/sanfl-media/content/uploads/2019/02/04092655/10.1.3-Parents-and-Supporters-Spectators-Code-of-Conduct-1.pdf>



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SANFL SCHOOLS 2020 COMPETITION CALENDAR

Date	
3/07/2020	Team Nominations Due
20/07/2020	Fixture released
1/08/2020	Round 1
8/08/2020	Round 2
15/08/2020	Round 3
22/08/2020	Round 4
29/08/2020	Round 5
5/09/2020	Round 6
12/09	Round 7



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2020 Match Conditions

Phase	Mixed - Year 2/3	Mixed - Year 3/4	Mixed - Year 5/6 & Year 6/7
Players on ground*	9 a side (3 equal zones)	9 a side	9 a side
Max. Game Day Squad*	12	12	12
Oval Size*	Optimal 80m x 60m	Optimal 100m x 80m	Optimal 100m x 80m
Match Length	4 x 10min	4 x 12min	4 x 15min
Breaks	1 st and 3 rd Quarter – 3 minutes, Half time – 5 minutes		
Competition Details	No scores, ladders or finals No recording of 'Best Players' or Goal Kickers		Scores, ladders permitted
The Ball	Synthetic Size 1	Synthetic Size 2	Synthetic Size 3
Coaching Position	On Field	Optional	Sidelines
Out of Bounds	Last Possession (Kick or Handball) Out of Bounds As per Rule 15.6 of the Laws of the Game		
Contact	No tackle or bump. No contact or spoiling except when accidental in nature	Modified tackle. No bumping and/or pushing an opponent, knock and/or steal the ball out of their hands or smother the ball.	Tackling permitted as per Laws of Australian football
Stealing, smothering, shepherding, barging	No stealing, smothering, shepherding or barging		Permitted as per Laws of Australian Football
Bounces	1 bounce		Unlimited
Marking	A mark is awarded irrespective of the distance the ball has travelled to any player who marks it or makes a reasonable attempt to mark it	A mark is awarded irrespective of the distance the ball has travelled to any player who catches it or shows control.	
Kick off the ground	Not permitted unless accidental		Permitted as per Laws of Australian Football
Penalties	No distance penalty applies	10m penalty applied at the umpire’s discretion	
	Players can be ordered off at the umpire’s discretion		



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2020 Match Conditions

Phase	Female – Year 2/3/4	Female – Year 5/6/7
Players on ground*	9 a side (3 equal zones)	9 a side
Max. Game Day Squad*	12	12
Oval Size*	Optimal 100m x 80m	Optimal 100m x 80m
Match Length	4 x 10min	4 x 15min
Breaks	1 st and 3 rd Quarter – 3 minutes, Half time – 5 minutes	
Competition Details	No scores or ladders No recording of 'Best Players' or Goal Kickers	Scores & ladders permitted
The Ball	Synthetic Size 2	Synthetic Size 3
Coaching Position	Optional	Sidelines
Out of Bounds	Last Possession (Kick or Handball) Out of Bounds As per Rule 15.6 of the Laws of the Game	
Contact	No tackle or bump. No contact or spoiling except when accidental in nature	Modified Tackle
Stealing, smothering, shepherding, barging	No stealing, smothering, shepherding or barging	Permitted as per laws of Australian Football
Bounces	1 bounce	2 bounces
Marking	A mark is awarded irrespective of the distance the ball has travelled to any player who marks it or makes a reasonable attempt to mark it	A mark is awarded, when a player catches the ball directly from another player's kick that has travelled at least 10m
Kick off the ground	Not permitted unless accidental	
Penalties	No distance penalty applies	10m penalty applied at the umpires discretion.
	Players can be ordered off at the umpire's discretion	