



## SANFL | FACTSHEET

# INFRASTRUCTURE

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## GOAL POSTS & BACKING NETS

Goal posts that are appropriately sized to the level of football being played at a venue are obviously a mandatory requirement. The AFL Preferred Community Facility Guidelines define the required heights of goal posts depending on local, regional or school venue classification.

Reputable goal post suppliers include, PM Sports, Abel Sports and PILA.

Backing Nets ensure safety for participants retrieving balls where there are roadways or other hazards outside the oval, as well as maximising game time by not having to chase after wayward balls.

Purpose built nets and poles from sports equipment suppliers are preferable to custom manufactured solutions, as the longevity and quality will exceed a fabricated install.

Preferred backing nets suppliers are [PM Sports](#) and [Gabba Sports Products](#).

**For advice and support for  
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