

NETBALL AUSTRALIA

TEACHER CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

In addition to Netball Australia's General Code of Behaviour, as a teacher in any activity held by or under the auspices of Netball Australia, a Member Organisation, a Region, an Affiliated Association or an Affiliated Club you must meet the following requirements in regard to your conduct during any such activity or event:

- 1 Encourage young people to develop basic skills in a variety of sports and discourage overspecialisation in one event, sport or playing position.**
- 2 Create opportunities to teach appropriate sports behaviour as well as basic skills.**
- 3 Give priority to free play activities, skill learning and modified sports over highly structured competition for primary school children.**
- 4 Prepare young people for intra and inter-school competition by teaching the basic sport skills.**
- 5 Make young people aware of the positive benefits of participation in sporting activities.**
- 6 Keep up to date with coaching practices and the principles of physical growth and development. Read and use the latest coaching and teaching resources for junior sport.**
- 7 Help young people understand the differences between the junior competition they participate in and professional sport.**
- 8 Help young people understand that playing by the rules is their responsibility.**



Failure to comply with the code of behaviour will result in appropriate action being taken in accordance with the Member Protection Policy. For further assistance please contact your local State or Territory Netball Association.

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