

Cricket - Indoor



Activity scope

This document relates to student participation in Indoor Cricket as a curriculum activity, including skills development, team training and competition matches conducted by schools.

Minimum activity-specific qualifications for supervisors

- For a registered teacher:
 - [Get Active Queensland Accreditation Program](#) Cricket Coaching course qualification or equivalent, **OR**
 - Competence (demonstrated ability/experience) in the teaching of cricket, **OR**
- For a leader other than a registered teacher, Get Active Queensland Accreditation Program Cricket Coaching course qualification.



Minimum activity-specific equipment/facilities

- Protective equipment (batting gloves, protector/box) and appropriate footwear.
- A fielding exclusion zone must be clearly marked in an arc extending from the centre of the batting crease at a radius of 3 metres.
- Ensure that a recognised indoor cricket ball is used.
- Batting gloves **must** be worn on each hand by both batters, and a groin protector/box is recommended when batting and fielding.
- Bats **must** be made of wood with dimensions less than 96.5x10.8cm and have a suitable non-slip bat grip.

Activity-specific hazards/risks and suggested control measures

- Ensure that the condition of the playing area is of an acceptable standard, is level and free of obstacles.
- Check equipment for damage before and during use. Bats without taping (or grip), or bats that have been altered in any way should not be used.
- Ensure that all equipment matches the size, strength and ability of the students.
- Players may wear protective clothing when fielding, provided the safety of that player and all other players on court is not compromised.
- The wicketkeeper must remain behind the stumps in the 3 metre fielding exclusion zone until the batter has played the ball.
- Instruct students in proper fielding techniques, and enforce the rules regarding physical contact to prevent rough play.

Useful activity-specific links

- Cricket Australia – Indoor Cricket
<http://www.cricket.com.au/get-involved/play-cricket/indoor-cricket>
- Get Active Queensland Accreditation Program
<http://www.nprsr.qld.gov.au/community-programs/education-training/accreditation-program/index.html>
- Queensland Cricket
<http://www.qldcricket.com.au/>

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