Activity scope
This document relates to student participation in Lawn Bowls as a curriculum activity. The requirements of this document apply to the teaching of lawn bowls and the competition matches conducted by schools.

Minimum activity-specific qualifications for supervisors
- For a registered teacher, Competence (demonstrated ability/experience) in the teaching of lawn bowls, OR
- For a leader other than a registered teacher, Club Coach Certificate qualification through Bowls Qld.

Minimum activity-specific equipment/facilities
- Lawn bowls activities should be conducted at a bowling club or suitable venue.
- Adult supervisor should be aware of facility’s evacuation plan.
- Bowls best suited to the student’s hand size and strength (junior bowls may be available at the venue/club location or through Bowls Queensland).
- Suitable footwear such as flat soled shoes/runners, or as prescribed by the club rules and/or coach. Bare feet are not allowed due to risk of injury and use of chemicals on bowling greens.

Activity-specific hazards/risks and suggested control measures
- Ensure that only students engaged in game play or instruction are permitted on the green.
- Ensure students do not step backward onto bowls behind the mat.
- Ensure students do not run on the green or its surrounds, or sit on the edges of the green.
- Ensure that protocol is implemented to suit the club/venue.
- Instruct students to move forward after completing a delivery. Students should not stop bowls with their feet or hands. Bowls should be removed once at rest.
- Ensure students avoid marker flags, rink numbers and rink boundary pegs around the boundaries of the green.
- Instruct students to watch bowls in motion on their own and adjacent rinks, particularly during a drive.
- Ensure students avoid sand-filled ditches when entering or leaving the green.
- Ensure equipment is not left lying around in walkways.
- Ensure students do not drop bowls onto the playing surface.
- Cease play if lightning is present.

Useful activity-specific links
- Bowls Queensland http://www.bowlsqld.org/