

PRIMARY SCHOOL – SPORTS POLICY

Students are expected to participate in one school sport per term. A Sport registration process will take place prior to the commencement of each term. The following sports are offered at Harvest:

	TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	TERM 4
Grade 1	Mini Cricket Tennis Swimming* Chess	Tennis Chess Netball / Hockey Soccer	Tennis Chess Netball / Hockey Soccer	Mini Cricket Tennis Swimming* Chess Netball / Hockey
Grade 2 & 3	Mini Cricket Tennis Swimming* Chess Netball / Hockey	Tennis Chess Girls Hockey Boys Soccer	Tennis Chess Girls Hockey Boys Soccer	Mini Cricket Tennis Swimming* Netball / Hockey
Intermediate Phase				
Boys	Cricket Tennis Swimming* Chess	Tennis Chess Soccer	Tennis Chess Soccer	Cricket Tennis Swimming* Chess
Girls	Tennis Swimming* Netball	Tennis Netball Hockey	Tennis Netball Hockey	Tennis Swimming* Netball

***In order to participate in swimming, students must be 'water-safe' and be able to swim 25m unassisted.**

A full sports practice timetable will be issued to each student at the start of each term. A Calendar of Events and fixtures for the term will also be issued. School fixtures must have preference over club sports, medical appointments etc. Please support the school in this regard. Harvest Christian School has a strict policy that a fixture will only be cancelled due to inclement weather conditions. The school has no control over the cancellation by other schools. Parents are encouraged to attend all school sports fixtures, as well as Inter-house activities.

SPORTS KIT

Students are expected to wear the correct kit for each sport to both practices and matches. ONLY Harvest Christian School sport uniform should be worn to a practice. Students should wear their House shirts to sports practices, match shirts should be kept for matches. **All sport kit is to be clearly marked.**

SPORTSMANSHIP AND GAMESMANSHIP

All students at Harvest Christian School must accept the responsibility of demonstrating good sportsmanship and good gamesmanship at all times. Inappropriate behaviour, i.e. swearing, displaying poor attitude and/or behaviour etc., is not acceptable on the sports field. Action will be taken against students who exhibit inappropriate behaviour. All parents are expected to set an example as they support their children from the side of the field.

If sport is cancelled for any reason, parents may collect their child/children directly after school. Students who are not able to go home directly after school, will be supervised by the coach and/or manager of their team for the duration of the practice/or match time. Students may then be collected at school by parents.

Registered Aftercare students will go directly to Aftercare.