



JUNIOR SCHOOL

Together we make a difference

School's Sport's Team Selection Policy

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Selection Policy for Dobcroft Junior School Sports Teams

We endeavour to provide opportunities for every child to participate in a wide range of PE and sporting events.

As a school we aim to do the following:

- Provide a range of opportunities, including team events and individual events.
- Provide, where possible training and preparation for such events.
- Provide all children in school the opportunity to represent the school individually and in team events at least once during their time at DJS if they wish to do so.
- Communicate with children clearly about selection and to promote a fair and balanced approach based upon children's ability, behaviour and commitment.
- Communicate with parents clearly about upcoming events and organisation regarding timing and transport to events.
- Carry out risk assessments for all events and ensure the appropriate staffing ratios are in place.
- Record and share successes in assemblies and or newsletters.

From parents and carers we expect the following:

- Commitment and communication regarding transport and other organisational logistics.
- Respect and courtesy during sporting events for our staff and other adults helping.
- Respect, courtesy and acceptance regarding preparation and selection of teams.
- Respect, courtesy and acceptance regarding systems and processes in place regarding health and safety, organisation of events.
- Support and encourage their children to develop resilience with successes and failures.