



ENCOUNTER
LUTHERAN COLLEGE ■

Netball SA

Specialist Netball

Program

Development Training Squad

Year 5/6



APPLICATION FORM

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Information for prospective athletes

The Specialist Netball Program has been established to assist prospective and current netball players to achieve the highest level of performance and to help develop their educational, emotional and social wellbeing.

The aims of the program are to provide players access to:

- A flexible, supportive and “athlete friendly” academic environment. The academic program covers essential learning in the PYP.
- Quality coaching
- Participation in workshops involving external services outside of the college
- Competition & individualised and team training opportunities matched to the athlete’s development and potential.

Support will be provided through the Specialist Netball Program to assist student-athletes to balance their demanding schedules and achieve success at school as well as in their personal and sporting lives.

The program is divided into 2 training squads; the Intensive Training Squad (ITS) and Development Training Squad (DTS). Students in Year 5 and 6 will be training in the DTS, unless our head coach determines otherwise.

Criteria for selection

The selection of students into the program is based upon their ability to meet the following criteria:

- Either play for a Great Southern Netball Association (GSNA) or equivalent club **OR** have an interest in developing their netball knowledge and skills
- Positive and enthusiastic attitude to support their personal development
- Potential for future development and growth in Netball
- High level of coachability that enables all individuals to seek and accept a variety of feedback

Annual fees

An annual fee for the DTS of \$100 is set by the College and contributes to the following:

- Participation in workshops involving services outside of the college
- Netball Program apparel
- Equipment
- Specialist sessions with our head coach
- Travel costs associated with competitions and scratch matches

As participation in the Encounter Lutheran College Specialist Netball Program is voluntary, not all costs will be covered within the College’s tuition fees. An annual fee is set by the College and contributes to costs associated with the program and covers items such as excursions, guest speakers, celebrations, coaches and equipment use. Some excursions will incur additional costs, especially where accommodation and transport are required. Parents will be given advanced notice of major excursions to assist with planning and budgeting.

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Conditions of the enrolment

By accepting an offer for a position in the Specialist Netball Program, a student must agree to the terms and conditions specified below:

STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO:

- Demonstrate a willingness, desire and commitment to developing their own skills and knowledge within Netball
- Complete all required school work and tasks, thoroughly and on time to the best of their ability
- Be prepared for each session with appropriate sport uniform, footwear and equipment
- Continually strive to improve their skills and knowledge in all aspects of their schooling
- Provide a positive role model for others in their approach to learning, school rules and behaviour
- Be available to represent the school in their Netball
- Abide by the spirit and rules of Netball, behave in a dignified manner when representing Encounter Lutheran College and accept victory and defeat with dignity and grace
- Provide a positive role model for others in their approach to learning, school rules and behaviour

APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Please complete and submit the attached Specialist Netball Program **Player Application**.
2. Student-Players will be notified by letter on the success of their application.

Please retain this information page for your reference, do not include this page when you submit the application.

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STUDENT-PLAYER APPLICATION NETBALL EXPERIENCE

Club OR Netball Experience: _____

Representation (Indicate present or latest team selection)

- Club:

NETBALL GOALS

Indicate briefly what future goals you have in your **Netball** career.

THIS YEAR:

Please outline why you wish to enrol in the Encounter Lutheran College Specialist Netball Program:

List your personal skills and abilities that you can bring to the Netball Program: (These can be personal, academic, sporting or other)

STUDENT-PLAYER & PARENT SIGNATURES

Please ensure all details are correct to the best of your knowledge and sign in the space below:

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(Player's signature)

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(Date)

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(Parent/Guardian signature if athlete under 18 years)

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(Date)

The Principal of Encounter Lutheran College is available to discuss your application and answer any questions regarding it.

Completed applications should be returned to:

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