

# 2023 AFL DRAFT



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## DRAFT



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The AFL Draft, the AFL Pre-Season Draft and the AFL Rookie Draft are integral to the continued development of the AFL competition.

More than 3400 players have been given the opportunity to play with an AFL club since the first Draft in 1986. Some of these have turned out to be among the most influential players of their generation.

In 2014 for example, we saw the names of Christian Petracca (Melbourne No. 2), Jordan De Goey (Collingwood No. 5), Touk Miller (Gold Coast No. 29) and Jeremy Finlayson (GWS No. 85) appear on AFL lists for the first time. We only hope that newcomers from the 2022 AFL Draft, including Aaron Cadman (GWS No.1), Oliver Hollands (Carlton No. 11) and Jayden Davey (Essendon No. 54) can reach similar heights over the next few seasons.

The AFL Draft also provides opportunities for players who may have reached the end of their time at one club the change to further their career at another.

In 2022, Izak Rankine (Gold Coast to Adelaide) and Tom Mitchell (Hawthorn to Collingwood) among others made such moves during the exchange period.

All players are to nominate for the AFL Draft via the AFL website online nomination process and complete the nomination form electronically. Where the nominating players has not attached the age of 18 at the date of submission, this nomination must be submitted by the nomination player's parent or guardian. To nominate go to: [play.afl/draftnominations](https://play.afl/draftnominations).

Please note that all AFL Draft nominations are valid for only one (1) year. If you have nominated previously you will be required to renominate for the 2023 Drafts.

In this year's AFL Draft you will again see live trading of selections as well as bidding for Father-Son and Northern and NGA Academy Players during the AFL Draft.

This booklet is designed to provide general information on the AFL Drafts and an overview of the AFL

Draft procedure. It is not intended that this booklet should serve as a complete guide to the AFL Player Rules governing the AFL Drafts.

It also notes the Rookie-listing procedures.

This booklet has been compiled from several AFL player rules. Any further interpretations required should be directed to the AFL.

**ANDREW DILLON**  
Chief Executive Officer



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# KEY QUESTIONS

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION YOU NEED TO KNOW

### If I nominated for the AFL Draft last year, do I need to nominate again?

Yes. Nominations are now valid for only one year.

### I am no longer on a Primary or Rookie list of an AFL Club but want to continue playing AFL football. What do I do?

You will have to re-nominate for the AFL Draft.

### If I am selected at the AFL Draft, am I bound to the club that selects me?

Yes, for a period of 23 months, unless a contract is entered into. However, if you are unable to agree to contract terms with the club within 60 days of drafting, you can apply for independent arbitration of the matter and, in certain situations, an appeal may be made under exceptional and compelling circumstances.

### First round draft picks from the 2022 AFL National Draft

BACK ROW: Bailey Humphrey (GCS), Reuben Ginbey (WCE), Cameron Mackenzie (HAW), Aaron Cadman (GWS), Jedd Busslinger (WBD), Mattaas Phillipou (STK), Jhye Clark (GEE), FRONT ROW: Oliver Hollands (CARL), George Wardlaw (NM), Will Ashcroft (BRIS), Harry Sheezel (NM), Elijah Tsatas (ESS) and Jaspa Fletcher (BRIS). ▶

### If my father played with an AFL club, can I automatically play with the same club?

The AFL has introduced a bidding system for Father-Son draft selections if the father meets the criteria set out in the AFL rules. See page 13 for the process.

### How do I nominate for the AFL Draft?

You must nominate online via [play.afl/draftnominations](https://play.afl/draftnominations). Once the form has been completed online, you will receive an email alert once the nomination has been approved by the AFL.

### I live in country Western Australia and play with my local country club. Am I eligible for the Draft if I nominate?

To be eligible for the AFL Draft, you need to have been registered and played at least one game in the WAFL competition. This is the same for South Australia, where players must have played in the State League competition.

### If I did not nominate for the AFL Draft, can I then nominate for the AFL Pre-Season and/or Rookie Draft?

No, because part of the eligibility criteria for the AFL Pre-Season Draft and/or Rookie Draft is that a player must have been eligible for, but not selected at, the AFL Draft. The only exception is a player who has been delisted from the Primary List by an AFL club, who can stipulate if their nomination form is to be held over for the Pre-Season Draft.

## NOMINATION PROCESS

1. Head online to [play.afl/draftnominations](https://play.afl/draftnominations) to nominate for the draft
2. Complete the draft form on the website.
3. Submit form online.  
*Where the nominating player has not attained the age of 18 at the date of submission, this nomination must be submitted by the nominating player's parent or guardian.*
4. AFL will review and approve the nomination. An email alert will be sent once the nomination has been approved by the AFL.

See sample on page 5.



FORM 11 — AUSTRALIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE

## Nomination for Draft RULES 6.2 (c) and 7.3

Players can nominate in two categories:

### CATEGORY 1 PLAYERS

Players (other than first-year draft choice players or such players in their second year) may nominate the football payments they require for a minimum period of two years. Those players (Category 1 players) must complete sections A and B of this nomination form.

### CATEGORY 2 PLAYERS

Players may nominate generally without specifying financial terms and conditions by completing section A. Those players (Category 2 players) must not complete section B of this nomination form.

A CATEGORY 1 PLAYER can only be drafted by an AFL club prepared to meet the player's financial terms and conditions set out in Section B of this nomination form.

A CATEGORY 2 PLAYER may be drafted by an AFL club and contracted on terms and conditions to be agreed between the player and the club.

### SECTION A (All players must complete this section)

#### YOUR DETAILS

First Name: ..... Surname: .....

#### ADDRESS

Street: ..... City/Suburb: .....

State: ..... Postcode: .....

#### CONTACT DETAILS

Phone (H): ..... Phone (M): .....

Email: .....

#### ADDITIONAL DETAILS

Are you of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Origin? Y / N

My Father born in: ..... My Mother was born in: .....

#### CURRENT CLUB DETAILS

I am currently a registered player of the ..... Football Club

in the ..... Football League

#### JUNIOR CLUB

My Junior club was the ..... Football Club

in the ..... Football League

I HEREBY NOMINATE and declare that I am available for selection and consent to selection subject to the Rules (as hereinafter defined) for the current Draft Selection Meetings ("the Draft").

I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE, DECLARE AND AGREE with the AFL:

1. I was born in ..... on the ..... day of .....
2. That I am not prevented by any contract, agreement, arrangement or understanding from being selected by any club at the Draft Selection Meeting.
3. That I shall at all times comply with and observe each and all of the Player Rules of the AFL, the Rules and Regulations of the AFL, the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the AFL and any determination or resolutions of the AFL Commission made from time to time ("the Rules").
4. That the Rules impose restraints which are no more than reasonably necessary to achieve the objectives of the AFL set out in the Rules.
5. That the personal information I have provided will be used for the purpose of, and in connection with, my nomination for the AFL Draft and will also be provided to the relevant AFL club(s) for such purpose. I understand that the AFL and AFL clubs must comply with the Australian Privacy Principles within the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth) and the AFL's privacy officer may be contacted via [privacy.officer@afl.com.au](mailto:privacy.officer@afl.com.au) if I have any queries.

### SECTION B (This section to be completed by Category 1 players only)

If selected at the Draft, I shall accept employment with the AFL club selecting me and shall enter into a contract with that club for a period of at least (2) years and for the following remuneration:

Term 2 (years) concluding October 31,

#### REMUNERATION:

Year 1:

Year 2:

(If further years, specify remuneration sought for each year)

I shall advise the AFL immediately in writing should any club selecting me at the Draft Selection Meeting purport to or does any act or thing which would cause or which may have the effect of causing me to receive any lesser payments than those set out in Section B of this nomination form.

NOTE: Remuneration for the purposes of this nomination form shall comprise a monetary amount for each year and the player shall not specify any other benefits or other benefits or other non-financial conditions of employment.

#### ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS

By submitting this form I, the nominating player, warrant that all information provided is true and correct and acknowledge and accept the terms and conditions set out in this form.

Where the nominating player has not attained the age of 18 at the date of submission, this nomination must be submitted by the nominating player's parent or guardian:

As the parent/guardian of the nominating player I warrant that all information provided is true and correct and acknowledge and accept the terms and conditions set out in this form.

# AFL DRAFT KEY DATES

The key steps in the process are as follows:

## EXCHANGE (TRADE) PERIOD

Monday 9th - Wednesday 18th October 2023

## List Lodgement (1)

Tuesday 31st October 2023

## Father-Son And Academy Bidding Nominations Lodged

Tuesday 31st October 2023

Father-Son Bidding Nominations and Northern and NGA Academy bidding Nominations lodged.

## Out-of-Contract Listed AFL Primary List Players Draft Nomination Form Lodged

Tuesday 31st October 2023

**Note:** Out-of-Contract Listed players who lodge a nomination form at this time are delisted automatically and must stipulate they are either entering the National Draft or the nomination form is to be held over for the Pre-Season Draft (thus bypassing the National Draft).

## List Lodgement (2)

Thursday 9th November 2023

## Draft Nomination Form Lodgement Close

Monday 13th November 2023

## Delisted Primary List Draft Nomination Form Lodgement Close

Monday 13th November 2023

**Note:** Delisted Primary List Players must stipulate if they are either entering the National Draft or if the Nomination is to be held over for the Pre-Season Draft (thus bypassing the National Draft).

## Non-Retained Rookie Players Draft Nomination Form Lodgement

Monday 13th November 2023

**Note:** Rookie-Listed Players not retained by their club must renominate for the National Draft to be eligible for the Pre-Season and Rookie Drafts. If a non-retained rookie does not nominate for the National Draft, he will not be eligible for the Pre-Season and Rookie Drafts.

## Father-Son Primary List Nominations Lodged

Monday 13th November 2023

## AFL DRAFT SELECTION MEETING

Monday 20th and Tuesday 21st November 2023



◀ The 2022 AFL National Draft No. 1 draft selection Aaron Cadman.

# AFL PRE-SEASON & ROOKIE DRAFT KEY DATES

## International Scholarship Listed Players Inclusion on Rookie List Form Lodgement

Tuesday 31st October 2023

## Players not registered or played for three (3) years inclusion on Rookie List Form Lodgement.

Monday 13th November 2023

## International Players Inclusion on Rookie List Form Lodgement

Monday 13th November 2023

## AFL Club List Lodgement (3)

Wednesday 22nd November 2023

## Northern Academy and NGA Academy eligible Pre-Selected Rookie and Father-Son Pre-Selected Rookie player nominations submitted to the AFL

Wednesday 22nd November 2023

## AFL PRE-SEASON DRAFT SELECTION MEETING

Wednesday 22nd November 2023

## AFL ROOKIE DRAFT SELECTION MEETING

Wednesday 22nd November 2023

## FINAL LIST LODGEMENT

Thursday 23rd November 2023

The 2022 AFL National Draft No. 2 draft selection Marcus Ashcroft (right) and fellow father-son selection Jaspa Fletcher (left). ▶





# AFL DRAFT IN DETAIL

## PLAYERS ELIGIBLE TO BE DRAFTED

**A player who has nominated is eligible to be drafted if he satisfies the following requirements:**

- a. The player must have attained, or will attain the age of 18 years, on or before 31 December 2023;
- b. The player must not be bound to an AFL club;
- c. If invited, the player must attend the AFL Draft Combine or other AFL-approved or organised test or evaluation, unless the General Counsel considers that there is a reasonable explanation for the player's non-attendance; and
- d. The player has:
  - i. been previously registered with the AFL; or
  - ii. been registered continuously from June 1, immediately preceding the AFL Draft Selection Meeting and has played at least one game in the season immediately preceding the AFL Draft Selection Meeting in the State League competition conducted by the WAFC or SANFL; or
  - iii. been registered continuously from or before June 1, immediately preceding the AFL Draft Selection Meeting with any recognised club or school competition in Victoria, Tasmania, New South Wales, the Northern Territory, Queensland or the Australian Capital Territory; or
  - iv. been a bona fide resident for a continuous period of three years preceding the AFL Draft Selection Meeting in a country other than Australia.

## Drafted Player Bound for 23 Months

Any player chosen by a club at the AFL Draft Selection Meeting, or otherwise included on the Primary List of a club, will be ineligible to be included on the Primary List of any other club for a period of 23 months from the date upon which he is selected or included on the Primary List. This rule does not apply where the player enters into a Contract of Service with the club for at least one AFL season, is exchanged, or is deleted from a club's Primary List.

## Minimum Contract Term for Certain Players

If a club drafts a player who has not been drafted previously, the club must offer that player a Contract of Service for a minimum of two AFL seasons. However, a player listed for the first time who is over the age of 23 years may be offered a single-year contract.

## Draft Age

The minimum Draft age is 18 years as at 31 December 2023.

## All Primary List Players/Non-Retained Rookie List Players

All primary list and non-retained rookie list players delisted by AFL clubs must complete and lodge a Draft nomination with the AFL to be eligible for the AFL National Draft.

## Nominated Football Payments

A player (other than a first-year draft choice or a second-year player) may specify in the nomination form the football payments he will require over two years if selected at a Draft Selection Meeting.

- » By specifying these requirements, the player will be taken to have made an offer to the club which selects him to accept employment in return for the specified payments.
- » The club that selects a player who has specified payment requirements will be deemed to have accepted the offer.
- » Immediately following the Draft Selection Meeting, the player and the club will execute a Contract of Service providing for the specified payments.

## Nomination by Uncontracted Player

A player on the list of an AFL club who is not contracted on or before October 31 for the following year/s will be entitled to nominate for the AFL National Draft.

## Minimum Payments Apply

Notwithstanding any other provision of these rules, a player who nominates for inclusion in any Draft without specifying the payments he requires, or who nominates payments less than the minimum or fixed football payments which apply to the player in the Collective Bargaining Agreement, will be entitled to payments from the club that selects him in accordance with the Collective Bargaining Agreement.

## Arbitration Process

A player who nominates in accordance with these rules but does not specify the football payments he requires shall be bound by the provisions listed under AFL Rule 21 Arbitration.

## Varying Financial Terms

If a player wishes to vary his nominated financial terms and conditions or withdraw his nomination, he can do so by:

- » Lodging a new nomination and specifying new financial terms and conditions, which will revoke any earlier nomination; or
- » Lodging a written request to the AFL General Counsel.

## Exceptional and Compelling Circumstances

A player selected by a club can apply to the Appeal Board to be released from the club that has selected him on the grounds of exceptional and compelling circumstances which make it harsh and unconscionable for the player to remain bound to that club.

## Academy Players Rule

Eligible clubs must lodge with the AFL a list of draft-eligible Academy Players it wishes to consider for inclusion on its Primary List or Rookie List. At the AFL National Draft meeting, in conjunction with Father-Son bidding nominations, each club may "bid" for the player.

If matched by the Academy Club, the Academy Club will forfeit one or more subsequent selections, to the value of the points required to match the bid. If the Academy Club declines to match the bid, the club with the successful bid uses the selection to secure the player.

Fremantle Next Generation Academy player Josh Draper was drafted under Academy rules as a Category B Rookie. ▶



# AFL PRE-SEASON & ROOKIE DRAFT IN DETAIL

## AFL PRE-SEASON DRAFT

Wednesday 22nd November 2023

### Draft Nomination

Delisted Primary List Players must lodge a Draft nomination form (via [play.afl/draftnominations](https://play.afl/draftnominations)) with the AFL. Delisted Primary List Players must stipulate if their nomination form is to be held over for the Pre-Season Draft.

**Note:** All other players must have nominated and been eligible for the AFL Draft.

### Players Eligible to be Drafted

A player who has nominated in accordance with these rules and is eligible under AFL Rules may be selected at the Pre-Season Draft Selection Meeting provided that:

- a. the player has attained the age of 18 years or will attain the age of 18 years on or before December 31; and
- b. the player:
  - i. has been deleted from a club Primary List; or
  - ii. is listed but uncontracted and has nominated for the Pre-Season Draft Selection Meeting; or
  - iii. was eligible and available to be selected at the immediately preceding Draft Selection Meeting and had not been selected.

Any player who satisfies the above criteria will be eligible to be drafted.

### Total Player Payments

A participating club may not select any player at the AFL Pre-Season Draft Selection Meeting unless it can demonstrate to the satisfaction of the AFL that it can accommodate the player's nominated football payments within its Total Player Payments.

## AFL ROOKIE DRAFT

Wednesday 22nd November 2023

### Rookie List Players Eligibility

A player is eligible to be included on the Rookie List of a club only if the player satisfies the age requirements and the player:

- a. is an Australian citizen, resides in Australia and was nominated for but was not selected at a Draft Selection Meeting; or

- b. had not been registered or played in an Australian Football competition for three years before his inclusion on a Rookie List; or

- c. is an International Player.

### Category B Rookies

In addition to maintaining the maximum number of allowable players on its Rookie List, each Club may include a maximum of three extra players on its Rookie List provided those players are:

- a. former International Scholarship List players at that club who have been nominated; or
- b. in the case of a club which is based in Sydney or Brisbane metropolitan area, a player who satisfies the Rookie criteria;
- c. International players including one Irish player;
- d. players who have not been registered or played in an Australian Football competition for three years;
- e. Academy Players;
- f. NGA Players.

### Age Requirement Minimum Age

A player must have attained, or will attain, the age of 18 years on or before 31 December 2023.

### Minimum Payments

A Rookie player will be paid the payments, medical benefits, superannuation entitlements and other benefits contained in the Collective Bargaining Agreement, or as otherwise determined from time to time by the AFL.

### New South Wales and Queensland-Based Clubs

A club based in the NSW or Queensland metropolitan area may include one or more players on its Rookie List during the period between the AFL Pre-Season Draft Selection Meeting and the start of the AFL Rookie Draft Selection Meeting, provided that the requirements are fulfilled.

### Listing Prior to Rookie Draft

A club may include on its Rookie List:

- » International player(s); or
- » Players who have not been registered or played in an Australian Football competition for three years immediately before their inclusion on the Rookie List (i.e. before the AFL Rookie Draft Selection Meeting), provided it obtains the written consent of the General Counsel no more than 14 days before the AFL Rookie Draft Selection Meeting; or
- » An International Scholarship player from his club who was available but not selected at the AFL Draft.

### Rookie Player Not Bound

A Rookie player shall not be bound to a club if he is listed on a club's Rookie List but the parties do not enter into a Contract of Service.

In such circumstances:

- » the player may play for a club competing in any competition other than the AFL; and
- » the player is eligible to be selected by any club at the next AFL Draft Selection Meeting if he has previously or again nominates himself for selection.

### Retention of Rookie List Players

A club may retain a Rookie List player for a second or third season provided it nominates such players at the time of List Lodgement (1) and the player agrees to this.

### Father-Son Pre-Selected Rookie Player Nominations

A club may include one or more eligible Father-Son players on its rookie list during the period between the AFL Pre-Season Draft Selection Meeting and the start of the AFL Rookie Draft Selection Meeting, provided that the requirements are fulfilled.

### Academy and NGA Pre-Selected

A club may include one or more eligible Academy and NGA players on its Rookie List during the period between the AFL Pre-Season Draft Selection Meeting and the start of the AFL Rookie Draft Selection Meeting, provided that the requirements are fulfilled.



◀ New Tiger  
Rookie player  
Tylar Young  
was drafted to  
Richmond in 2023.



## AFL PRE-SEASON & ROOKIE DRAFT

### Primary List

A club may apply to the AFL to transfer a player or players from its Rookie List on to its Primary List on the day when its Primary List is lodged with the AFL prior to the AFL Draft Selection Meeting, or under the Long-Term Injury Rule or at any time between the AFL Draft Selection Meeting and the day when its Primary List is lodged with the AFL prior to the AFL Pre-Season Draft Selection Meeting if an uncontracted listed player was deleted from that club's list.

### Relocation of Interstate Player

If a club includes a player on its Rookie List, the club will relocate the player and pay or reimburse all reasonable relocation costs of the player.

### Alternative Talent Rule

The player may not have been registered or played in an Australian Football competition for at least three years, and played in a recognised elite sporting competition. Clubs may offer one spot under this rule.

## INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

### Primary List

Subject to the International Scholarship List player meeting age requirements, a club may apply to the AFL to transfer a player or players from its International Scholarship List on to its Primary List on the day when its Primary List is lodged with the AFL prior to the AFL Draft Selection Meeting.

### Rookie List

Subject to the International Scholarship List player meeting age requirements, a club may apply to the AFL to transfer a player or players from its International Scholarship List on to its Rookie List, provided it nominates such player or players prior to advising the AFL of its Primary List and such player consents to being nominated on the Rookie List.



Anthony Caminiti (St Kilda) and Oleg Markov (Collingwood) were taken in the 2023 Pre-Season Supplemental Selection Period. ▶

# FATHER-SON RULE

## Father-Son Rookie Listing

Father-Son players not nominated for the bidding system can be pre-selected prior to the Rookie Draft by that club if they have nominated for but not been selected at the National or Pre-Season Draft.

## Player Eligibility – Victorian-Based Clubs

Provided a player has not previously been registered as a player at an AFL club, a club may include a person on its Primary List if the person's father played 100 or more senior grade matches (being either home and away or finals matches) with that club.

## West Australian and South Australian-Based Clubs

The West Coast Eagles Football Club may include a person on its Primary List if that person's father played 150 or more senior grade matches (being either home and away or finals matches) at one of the following clubs prior to but not including 1987: Claremont, East Perth, West Perth or Subiaco.

The Fremantle Football Club may include a person on its Primary List if that person's father played 150 or more senior grade matches (being either home and away or finals matches) at one of the following Clubs prior to but not including 1995: South Fremantle, East Fremantle, Perth or Swan Districts.

The Adelaide Football Club may include a person on its Primary List if that person's father played 200 or more senior grade matches (being either home and away or finals matches) at one of the following clubs prior to but not including 1991: Norwood, Glenelg, Sturt or South Adelaide.

The Port Adelaide Football Club may include a person on its Primary List if that person's father played 200 or more senior grade matches (being either home and away or finals matches) at one of the following clubs prior to but not including 1997: Port Adelaide Magpies, Woodville, West Torrens, North Adelaide, Central District or West Adelaide.

## NSW and Queensland-Based Clubs

A person is eligible to be included on the Primary List of:

- i. the Sydney Swans if his father satisfies the criteria by playing for the South Melbourne Football Club (as it was then known); or

- ii. the Brisbane Lions if his father satisfies the criteria by playing for the Fitzroy Football Club (as it was then known).

## No Prior Registration

A person cannot be included on a club's Primary List under the Father-Son system if he has, at any time, been registered with the AFL as a player with any club.

## Bidding System

A club can nominate an eligible Father-Son draftee, with the player's written consent for the upcoming AFL Draft.

At the AFL National Draft meeting in conjunction with Academy bidding nominations, each club may "bid" for the player and if matched by the Father-Son club, the Father-Son club will forfeit one or more subsequent selections, to the value of the points required, in order to secure the player.

If the club nominating the Father-Son player declines to match the bid, the club with the successful bid uses that selection to secure the player.

If no bid is made by another club, the club that nominated the Father-Son eligible player will forfeit its last selection in the draft.

Indhi Kirk, the son of Brett Kirk, is a possible father-son selection for Sydney ▶



# PLAYER AGENTS

## ACCREDITATION IS MANDATORY

It is compulsory for all AFL player agents who represent AFL players to be accredited through the AFL Players' Association accreditation system. This ensures that all player agents:

- » who negotiate a player's contract with an AFL club are accredited. A player can represent himself or have a parent or legal guardian represent him in all aspects of contract negotiation with an AFL club, however, it is beneficial to utilise an agent whose experience and expertise assists in this process;
  - » sign their clients to a **Standard Player Agent Agreement** (between the agent and player) which ensures consistent management terms and conditions across the industry;
  - » are knowledgeable, competent and operate ethically in the best interests of AFL players; and
  - » are bound by strict rules and regulations monitored by the Agents' Board accordingly.
- For further information, contact Jess Gamble, Accredited Agents Manager, on (03) 8651 4300 or email [jgamble@aflplayers.com.au](mailto:jgamble@aflplayers.com.au)
- Incoming player agents must complete the compulsory three-day new agent accreditation course, scheduled at the beginning of each year. Accreditation is granted to those who are successful in all aspects of the accreditation process, including but not limited to:
- » passing the comprehensive agents' exam as part of the new agent accreditation course;
  - » attend the course lectures on topics relevant to player management;
  - » demonstrating a thorough knowledge of AFL Rules and Regulations, the Standard Player Contract, the Collective Bargaining Agreement, Players Code of Conduct, Agents Regulations/Code of Conduct and other relevant regulatory documentation and information;
  - » demonstrate educational qualifications, negotiation skills and prior experience with contracts to an acceptable level;
  - » passing a national criminal history check; **and**
  - » securing professional indemnity insurance annually.

## ACCREDITED PLAYER AGENTS At August 2023. For an up-to-date list of player agents visit [aflplayers.com.au/accredited-agents-list/](https://aflplayers.com.au/accredited-agents-list/)

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