



Interchange Agreement



Victorian Amateur Football Association and AFL Victoria Country

Victorian Amateur Football Association and AFL Victoria Country agree that registered players of a League may interchange between both Leagues in season 2024, subject to meeting the following conditions.

This agreement is only open to players who are full-time students. A player residing away from their usual place of abode while attending a secondary/TAFE college, institution or university on a full time and continuous basis and playing in any competition may, during registered school holidays and registered semester vacations approved by the VAFA Operations Department or AFL Victoria Football Operations Department, receive a permit to play with the club with which the player was last registered before being transferred to their current club. If required by the respective AFL Victoria Country Region Manager or VAFA Operations Department, the player shall supply documentary evidence of their attendance at the said college, institute, or university.

Conditions of the Interchange Agreement:

1. Player(s) and clubs party to the Interchange Agreement concerned must abide by the conditions of this agreement as outlined below.
2. Prior to each match played, the player shall obtain a Season Permit in PlayHQ. This permit is valid only for the dates specified in the players permit application.
3. Clubs cannot play more than eight (8) players on a Permit on that day.
4. The Interchange Agreement applies to home and away matches only, it does not apply to Finals Series matches. Players are not able to obtain a Permit for a Finals Series match.
5. A player shall not be permitted to play with an interchange club and a source club on the same day/weekend.
6. Players who are reported for an on-field offence shall have the charge heard by the Independent Tribunal of the League within which the offence occurred and both Leagues shall apply the penalty.
7. Players cannot obtain a Permit whilst under suspension.
8. Players who have received or agreed to receive, either directly or indirectly, any payment, reward, or benefit in respect of their participation in either the Victorian Amateur Football Association or AFL Victoria Country in the current calendar year is not eligible to obtain a Permit.
9. This agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by both parties.
10. Players cannot play more than one game per day.
11. Either Party may terminate this agreement by notifying AFL Victoria.
