

QuidditchUK

Development Cup Team Policy

The following requirements and restrictions will be applied to teams and players attending the Development Cup.

1. Ineligible Players

- a. Any players currently on a QuidditchUK National Team.
 - i. *This excludes players on Team Wales.*
 - ii. *This includes national team players who transfer into Development Cup Teams*
 - iii. *This includes national team players from the same club, **but did not play for the team** in any official QuidditchUK tournaments that same season.*
 - iv. *Exceptions are allowed for players who competed with the same **team** for **no less than two official QuidditchUK tournaments** that same season.*
- b. Any players who competed at the UK European Qualifier Tournament that season.
- c. Any players who competed in any international EQC qualifying tournament that season.
- d. Any players who competed for the following national teams at World Cup 2018
 - i. *Australia*
 - ii. *Belgium*
 - iii. *France*
 - iv. *Germany*
 - v. *Italy*
 - vi. *Norway*
 - vii. *Spain*
 - viii. *Turkey*
 - ix. *United Kingdom*
 - x. *United States*

2. British Quidditch Cup

- a. Any player that competes at Development Cup forfeits their right to compete at the British Quidditch Cup.
 - i. *This applies to both club members and auxiliary players.*
 - ii. *In the case of player injury or unforeseen exceptional circumstances that prevent team attendance, clubs with multiple teams may make an appeal to allow a limited number of players to transfer between teams AND compete at both Development Cup and the British Quidditch Cup.*
 1. *These players must be from the same club, but may be sourced from different teams.*
 2. *Clubs will submit specific players for transfer, and final approval will be at the discretion of the Gameplay Director, Events Director, and Teams Director.*
 3. *The same requirements from 1.a still apply in regards to players attending Development Cup.*

3. Minimum Roster Policy

- a. All teams must fulfill the requirements of the [QuidditchUK Minimum Roster Policy](#)
- b. Teams unable to fulfill this policy are ineligible to compete at Development Cup

4. Ineligible Teams

- a. Any team that has qualified for the British Quidditch Cup.
- b. Any team that has competed at the European Qualifier Tournament.
- c. Any team that has qualified for the European Quidditch Cup.
- d. Any team not registered with QuidditchUK
- e. Any team registered with another NGB
 - i. *This excludes teams based in Northern Ireland who are permitted to compete in both QuidditchUK and Quidditch Ireland events.*

5. Auxiliary Players

- a. An auxiliary player is defined as someone who wishes to compete at Development Cup, but they are
 - i. *a player currently registered with a different QuidditchUK team OR*
 - ii. *a player from another NGB recognised by the International Quidditch Association.*
- b. An auxiliary player is **not**
 - i. *A player within the same club as the Development Cup team, who normally plays for another team within the club.*
 - ii. *A player who is not currently registered with QuidditchUK or any other team from another NGB recognised by the International Quidditch Association.*
 - iii. *A player who has transferred into the team during the QuidditchUK Transfer Window.*
 - iv. *A player who has transferred into the team due to exceptional circumstances.*
- c. For an auxiliary player to compete, **all** of the following requirements must be satisfied.
 - i. *The player does not breach any of the ineligible player rulings listed under Section 1.*
 - ii. *The player does not have any outstanding bans or suspensions against them.*
 1. ***This includes players currently being investigated***
 - iii. *The team may only have **1 Auxiliary player for every 3 registered players to a maximum of 4 players.***

If you have any questions on this policy, please contact us here - www.quidditchuk.org/contact