

QuidditchUK

Minimum Roster Policy

QuidditchUK will require the following mandatory minimums to submit a legal roster for a QuidditchUK tournament.

*Exceptions to this policy will not be made. All teams **must** meet these requirements to be eligible to compete at any official QuidditchUK tournament.*

*This policy affects **all** QuidditchUK tournaments unless specifically stated otherwise.*

1. Minimum Roster Required

- a. Tournaments requiring a **minimum** of 10 players
 - i. British Quidditch Cup
 - ii. European Qualifier Tournament
 - iii. Southern Cup
 - iv. Northern Cup
- b. Tournaments requiring a **minimum** of 9 players
 - i. Development Cup

2. Minimum Gender Requirements

- a. Teams submitting rosters must ensure that a minimum of **FOUR** of their players identify with a gender that is not the roster's majority
- b. The minimum of four can be made up of any combination of gender identities that are not the roster's majority
- c. Teams are still subject to the Gender Maximum Rule (Rule 7.1.1.b), outlined by the International Quidditch Association Rulebook 2016-2018

3. Submitting Rosters

- a. Rosters will be submitted to QuidditchUK and the Tournament Committee
- b. Rosters must meet the minimum requirements at the time of submission
 - i. Rosters that become ineligible due to dropouts for any reason are the teams responsibility to remedy
 - ii. Teams that cannot provide a roster meeting the minimum requirements will be ineligible to compete at the tournament without exception

4. During Tournaments

- a. Teams arriving at the tournament must have a legal roster physically present and on site **before** their first fixture
 - i. Teams that do not have a legal roster on site and do not have additional players arriving will be ineligible to compete at the tournament without exception
 - ii. Teams that do not have a legal roster on site due to players arriving at a later time must inform the Tournament Director to determine whether the team may safely compete or not
- b. Teams that lose players **during** the tournament due to injury or player suspension will be eligible to continue competing
 - i. Teams that can no longer field a legal starting 7 players at the start of a match will **no longer** be eligible to compete as per IQA Rule 7.1.1.A.ii

The minority gender requirement dictates that your team must have no less than 4 players making up a minority gender of your team. This can be any combination of gender identities, as per the examples below.

Working Examples

A roster of 10 with 6 Male players, and 4 Female players would be legal due to 4 players making up a gender minority.

A roster of 10 with 6 Female players, 3 Male players, and 1 Agender player would be legal due to 4 players making up a gender minority.

A roster of 15 with 8 Male players, 5 Female players, 1 Genderfluid player, and 1 Agender player would be legal due to 7 players making up a gender minority.

*A roster of 12 with 9 Male players, 1 Genderfluid player and 2 Female players would be **illegal**, due to only 3 players making up a gender minority.*

*A roster of 19 with 15 Female players, 3 Non-Binary players, and 1 Male player would be **illegal**, due to breaking the Max 13 Gender Rule set by the IQA.*

If you have any questions on this policy or the minority gender requirements, please contact us here - www.quidditchuk.org/contact