



This Application form is established in accordance with Rule 11.2.2 of the *AFL NSW/ACT Rules*. The Application is to be used by a Club seeking approval from the Controlling Body for a Player to play in a higher Grade for which the Player is not automatically age eligible under Rule 11.2.1.

**PART A APPLICATION TYPE**

This application is made for the Player to play up in a...	Senior Grade <input type="checkbox"/>	Complete all Parts of this Application	
	Junior Grade <input type="checkbox"/>	Complete all Parts of this Application except Part E	
Player's Actual Grade (e.g. U12)		Grade Seeking Approval For (e.g. U14)	
Number of games played to date in usual Grade		How many games in the higher Grade are being requested?	

**PART B PLAYER DETAILS**

Player First Name		Player Surname		
Player D.O.B.		Player Club		
How many years has the Player played AFL?		AFL Grades Played in Past 3 Seasons	Last season	
			2 Seasons Ago	
			3 Seasons Ago	
Has the Player played any representative football?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	If "Yes", provide a summary of the player's representative history	
Has the Player been part of a football talent Program (eg AFL Academy)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	If "Yes", provide details, e.g. what program, how long in program, age group etc.	
Has the Player finished in the top 5 in a Club or League <i>Best &amp; Fairest</i> ?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	If "Yes", provide details, e.g. what age group, place etc	
What other Sports has the Player participated in over the past 3 years?				

**PART C CLUB SUBMISSION**

Detail the reasons why playing up in a higher Grade is in the Player's football development interests?	
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**PART D COACH ASSESSMENT**

(The player must be assessed at a training session by the coach of the team they wish to play for)

Name of Coach		Phone	
Team Coached		Date of Assessment	

**Details & Observations of Assessment Undertaken.**

Details of the drills undertaken and observations of the Player's capabilities in those drills including by comparison to other Players

**Coach Declaration**

*I hereby confirm that I have assessed the Player as detailed above and, in my view, the Player is capable of playing in the higher Grade requested from a skill, fitness and physical perspective*

Coach Signature

Date

**PART E****WHERE A JUNIOR PLAYER IS SEEKING TO PLAY IN A SENIOR COMPETITION****Player Protection Initiatives.**

What initiatives will be undertaken by the Club to ensure the welfare of the junior player being integrated into a Senior football club environment. For example, the potential exposure to the likes of obscene or abusive language or behaviour, alcohol etc in the course of any club activity or event (eg training, matches, social events etc).

**PART F****DECLARATION & SIGNATORIES (read and tick all boxes in acknowledgement of these terms)**

The responses and details provided in this Age Dispensation Application form are true and accurate.

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The Parents / Guardians of the Player give permission for the Player to play in the higher Grade and are satisfied that the Club has appropriately assessed the Player's capability of playing in that Grade.

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If this Application relates to a junior Player seeking to play in a Senior Grade, it is acknowledged that both the Junior Club and the Senior Club are aware of and support the Application.

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The Player and Club understands and acknowledges that the Player must remain committed to playing their usual Age Group and can only play in the higher Grade if this application is approved by the CMC and under any terms imposed as part of such approval.

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The Club acknowledges that the Player will not be displacing an available age eligible player in the higher Grade (not applicable where the player is seeking to play in a Senior Grade).

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This Application for Dispensation relates to the current season only and, if approved by the CMC, provides no expectation of ongoing rights to such approval in any future season.

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The Club acknowledges that any breach of these terms, including a breach of any conditions of approval of this Application for Dispensation as imposed by the CMC, may result in the Player being deemed to be an ineligible Player and any such breach will be dealt with as a breach of policy under the Rules.

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Parent / Guardian 1  
Name

Signature

Date

Parent / Guardian 2  
Name

Signature

Date

Club Contact Name

Signature

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