

	<b>STAGE 3</b>
Age	Under 14
Description	This format is appropriate for players with developed skills who are ready to apply them in the full dimensions of the game – it is aligned to adult cricket on a full-length wicket with 11 players.
Purpose	Community Club
Overs	Maximum 25 overs per team
Team	11 players per team (preferred number)
Time	Play commences at 8.30am with bowling side to complete their overs by 9.55am. Second team bowling must bowl the same number of overs by 11.45am unless a result has been reached.
Ball size	156g
Boundary	Maximum 50m measured from centre of wicket
Pitch	20.1m Full length Hard wicket or turf
Coach	Accredited Community Coach (Level 1)
Protective Equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Helmet (incl. Wicket keeper) Please refer to Helmet section of the Well Played - Australian Cricket's Playing Policies &amp; Community Guidelines</li> <li>- Pads</li> <li>- Gloves</li> <li>- Protector (males)</li> </ul>
Batting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Retirement at 25 legitimate balls</li> <li>- Retired batters can return to crease after all other players have batted (dismissed or retired)</li> </ul>
Bowling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 6 balls per over (maximum 8 ball over)</li> <li>- Maximum of 4 overs per innings per bowler</li> </ul>
Fielding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Maximum of 11 players on the field at one time. Additional players to be rotated on and off</li> <li>- No fielders within 10 metres (except slips, gully and wicket keeper)</li> </ul>
Dismissals	All dismissals
Minimum Players	A minimum number of 7 players is required to constitute a game.
Equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 2 sets stumps</li> <li>- Bat Size: Recommended weight &lt;2.2lb or &lt;830g</li> <li>- 156g ball</li> <li>- Measuring tape or string to measure boundary</li> <li>- Boundary markers</li> </ul>