

Victorian Schools Orienteering Team

A team will be selected to take part in the Australian Schools Orienteering Championships. The team will comprise of up to 6 competitors in each of 4 age categories up to a maximum of 20 students.



Competition age categories: age is at 31st Dec in the year of competition.

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| 1. Junior Girls 12 - 15 years | 3. Senior Girls 16 years and over (open) |
| 2. Junior Boys 12 - 15 years | 4. Senior Boys 16 years and over (open). |

Selection Criteria

Students wishing to be considered for selection will need to:

1. Participate in the majority of Primary Selection Events:

Please advise the Schools Team Manager if you are unavailable for any selection trials. We understand that students are often committed to other activities on some of these dates.

1	Fri 10 May Wed 15 May Fri 17 May Wed 22 May Fri 24 May	Victorian Schools Regional Qualifying (one event per person depending on school region)	Mandurang South Morang Rowville Altona Meadows Westerfolds Park	https://www.vicorienteering.asn.au/get-involved/schools/secondary-schools-champs/
2	Sun 26 May	Vic Autumn #5	Irishtown	https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/7609
3	Sat 8 Jun	Vic Autumn #6	Creswick	https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/7610
4	Sun 9 Jun	Vic Middle Distance Champs	Creswick	https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/7611
5	Fri 14 Jun	Vic Schools Championships	You Yangs	https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/7878

2. Students must turn 12 years of age or older in the year of the competition.

3. Show commitment to the sport:

This is demonstrated by regular attendance at events and junior training activities.

4. Nominate no later than 6 June 2019, by entering the nomination 'event' on Eventor at

<https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/8520>

All nominees will be advised of the selection outcome in the week after the Vic Schools Championships.

Selection Procedure

The selection panel will be made up of three people including the Victorian Schools Team Coaches and the Victorian Schools Team Manager. If a relative of a selector nominates for the team, the Orienteering Victoria Board will appoint an alternative selector for that class.

As secondary criteria, consideration may be given to:

- Outstanding previous performances in other recent major events, including the 2018 Australian Schools Orienteering Championships
- A competitor's rate of improvement and potential.

Should an individual be aggrieved by a selection decision, that person may appeal by advising the Orienteering Victoria Secretary, in writing, within 7 days of the announcement of the team.

Guidelines for selection event classes

#	Event	Junior Girls	Junior Boys	Senior Girls	Senior Boys
1, 5	Victorian Secondary Schools Orienteering Championships	Junior Girls	Junior Boys	Senior Girls	Senior Boys
4	Vic Middle Champs	W14A or W16A	M14A or M16A	W16A or W17-20E	M16A or M17-20E
2,3	Vic Autumn Series	3 or 4W	2 or 3M	2W	1M

Approval to run a different course must be provided by the Schools Team Manager if that performance is to be considered for selection.

All team members are expected to join an Orienteering Club. The team manager can assist with this if you are new to orienteering.

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