



THE CRICKET ASSOCIATION OF BENGAL

DR. B.C. ROY CLUB HOUSE, EDEN GARDENS, KOLKATA-700 021

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NOTICE

To
The Hony. Secretaries,
All the 1st & 2nd Division Affiliated Clubs/Units
The Cricket Association of Bengal

To
The Principals / Head of Institutes,
All the Schools participating in Mayor's cup
The Cricket Association of Bengal

To
The Hony. Secretaries,
All the cricket coaching centers participating in U-13/U-15 Tournaments
The Cricket Association of Bengal

To
The Hony. Secretaries,
All the affiliated District Sports Associations
The Cricket Association of Bengal

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Cricket Association of Bengal intends to start Junior Cricket Tournaments from tentatively from the second week of November 2023 onwards and therefore urges all the participating Affiliated Clubs/Units, Schools, Cricket Coaching Centers, district sports associations to strictly adhere to the following information / guidelines as laid down by the Association hereunder in connection with all the categories of Junior Cricket for the Cricket Season **2023-24**.



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Cut off Date for 2023-24 season to participate in the CAB Junior Cricket Tournaments

- Under 13 - Must be born on or after 01.09.2010 but on or before 31.08.2013
- Under 15 - Must be born on or after 01.09.2008 but on or before 31.08.2010
- Under 18 - Must be born on or after 01.09.2005 but on or before 31.08.2010

Registration of Players

<u>Procedure</u>	<u>Period</u>
ONLINE Submission of Documents and Referred back cases	16th August 2023 to 30th September 2023
Biometric, Registration and Referred back cases	5th October 2023 to 18th October 2023

<u>Category</u>	<u>No. of players that can be Registered</u>
Under-13, Under-15, Under-15(School) and DSAs	16
Under-18 including DSAs	18

The Cricket Association of Bengal is desirous of mandating **ONLINE REGISTRATION** of all the players who will be willing to participate in any of the above categories of Junior Cricket for the cricket season 2023-24 onwards. **For this purpose, all the Affiliated Clubs/Units, Schools, Cricket Coaching Centers, District Sports Associations are hereby requested to mandatorily register an email ID and a mobile number with WhatsApp facilities enabled so that further details / OTP can be shared on the registered email ID and WhatsApp.** The Registration form and all other relevant documents if any relating to the participation in Junior Cricket Tournaments will be uploaded on the Association's website (www.cricketassociationofbengal.com) on or before **16th August 2023**. The Online Registration platform will be open to all the participating Affiliated Clubs/Units, Schools, Cricket Coaching Centers, district sports associations from **16th August 2023 and until 30th September 2023** for the purpose of uploading all the necessary documents. Further, Association will conduct Biometric procedure from **05th October 2023 and until 18th October 2023**. Please note that all the referred-back cases would be attended during the course of submission of documents as well as during the biometric and registration period. The Cricket Association of Bengal shall in no way allow fresh/new players to participate in any of the Junior Cricket Tournaments in case player(s) is/are not registered online on or before the last date of registration as aforesaid. The Cricket Association of Bengal shall conduct multiple seminars/workshops with all the participating Affiliated Clubs/Units, Schools, Cricket Coaching Centers and District Sports Associations to give a detailed rundown of the online registration procedure.



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Documents to be uploaded for the registration of a Player

Association requests all the participating Affiliated Clubs/Units, Schools, Cricket Coaching Centers, District Sports Associations to upload all the documents in (.pdf) format only. Also, player's photograph needs to be uploaded in (.jpg/.png) formats only.

1. Common documents for all the categories of the Junior Cricket

- **Digital/Computer generated Birth Certificate:** Scanned copy of the original digital/computer generated birth certificate. If the registration of the birth certificate is made after two years of the birth of the player(s), then scanned copy of the original old birth certificate if any must also be uploaded/submitted. In case the old birth certificate is registered after two years from the date of birth of the player(s), scanned copy of the original and proper discharge certificate is to be mandatorily uploaded/submitted. Please note that sworn affidavits are not acceptable for the purpose of changes in date of birth.
- **Passport as proof of residence:** Scanned copies of *the first and the last page of the original valid Indian Passport* which should be issued on or before 01.09.2023, showing address within the jurisdiction of the Cricket Association of Bengal.
- **Aadhar Card / EPIC as proof of residence:** If valid Indian passport is not available, then the scanned copies of the *original Aadhar Card (Linked with the phone number of the player/parent) of the player and Voter Identity Card(s) of either of his parents* are to be mandatorily uploaded/submitted. Date of enrollment of the Aadhar Card of the player must be on or before 01.09.2020.
- **Passport size color photograph:** Scanned copy of the *most recent passport size color photo* of the player(s) duly attested by the competent authority of the all the participating Affiliated Clubs/Units, Schools, Cricket Coaching Centers and District Sports Associations (Signature across the photograph with Seal).
- **Bonafide Certificate as proof of Education:** Scanned copy of the original 'Bonafide Certificate' from the school executed by the head of the Institute/Principal as the case may be, on the school's letterhead disclosing inter alia Name of the Player, Date of Admission, Admission number, Date of Birth as per school records and the present academic class in which the player is studying. School must be within the governance of the state of West Bengal.

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Optional

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if Passport
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- **Summary Sheet:** Scanned copy of the 'Summary Sheet' containing some of basic details and the Signature of all the players will have to mandatorily be uploaded. Summary sheet will be provided by the Association and the same is to be downloaded from the Association's website (www.cricketassociationofbengal.com).

2. **Specific Documents to be uploaded for the U-13 & U-15 category**

In addition to the '**Common documents**' as stated in **section 1**, all the players will be required to upload other documents as described below:

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- **Mark Sheets as proof of Education:** Scanned copies of the ***School Marksheets*** of the **academic years 2020-21, 2021-22 & 2022-23** must be uploaded/submitted. **School must be within the governance of the state of West Bengal.** If a player fails to produce the 'School Marksheets' of the last three preceding academic years, then he will have to mandatorily give an undertaking in the form of an 'Affidavit' **to be attested by the player and his parents**. The said undertaking can be downloaded from the Association's website (www.cricketassociationofbengal.com) anytime between 16th August 2023 and 30th September 2023. Such an undertaking shall not always guarantee a player's participation in Junior Cricket Tournament(s).



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3. Specific Documents to be uploaded for the U-15 School category

In addition to the 'Common documents' as stated in section 1, all the players will be required to upload other documents as described below:

- **Mark Sheets as proof of Education:** Scanned copies of the 'School Marksheets' of the academic years 2020-21, 2021-22 & 2022-23 of the player(s) must be uploaded. School must be within the governance of the state of West Bengal.

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4. Specific Documents to be uploaded for the U-18 category

In addition to the 'Common documents' as stated in section 1, all the players will be required to upload other documents as described below:

- **School Passing/Leaving certificate as proof of Education:** Scanned copy of the 'School Passing/Leaving certificate' must be uploaded. If a player fails to produce the 'School Passing/Leaving certificate' as he has not yet appeared in any of the board exams then scanned copies of the School Marksheets of the academic years 2020-21, 2021-22 & 2022-23 of the player(s) must be uploaded. School must be within the governance of the state of West Bengal. If the above documents are not available for submission, then he will have to mandatorily give an undertaking in the form of an 'Affidavit' to be attested by the player and his parents. The said undertaking can be downloaded from the Association's website (www.cricketassociationofbengal.com) anytime between 16th August 2023 and 30th September 2023. Such an undertaking shall not always guarantee a player's participation in Junior Cricket Tournament(s).

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Optional /
Conditional

- **No Objection Certificate:** New/Fresh players **need not** provide No Objection Certificate. N.O.C. is to be **mandatorily** submitted otherwise in case a player wants to play for a different club/affiliated unit than the one he is already registered with or he would have signed for the current season. **Please note that a player is considered to be New/Fresh if and only if he is neither registered with nor have signed for any of the affiliated clubs/units.**

The Cricket Association of Bengal shall in no way allow an outstation cricketer to register for any of the categories of the Junior Cricket Tournaments. A cricketer to be eligible as a local player should have been studying/residing in West Bengal since 01.09.2019.

The Association will publish the list of participating Affiliated Clubs/Units, Schools, Cricket Coaching Centers, District Sports Associations on its website from 31st July 2023 onwards.

Yours Sincerely,

Naresh P. Ojha
(Hony. Secretary)