

# FRANKSTON

# BASKETBALL

## Domestic Junior Player Fill-in Policy

### 1. Junior Fill-In Players

A player is classified as a fill-in if they are not registered with the team for which they intend to play. Clubs seeking to register an additional player after the fourth round of the current competition season must notify the FDBA Match Committee.

Junior teams may use fill-in players to bring the team up to a maximum of six players.

The following conditions apply:

- a) A fill-in player may be used from a younger age group at parental discretion
- b) A fill-in player may be used from the same age group provided they are playing in a higher graded division than their regular team
- c) A player is not permitted to fill-in for a team in the same division as their regular team
- d) A player may only fill-in for a single team a maximum of 3 games during a season

Representative players may be used to fill-in subject to the following conditions:

- a) Representative players may be used to fill-in for an absent representative player in A or B graded teams only
- b) Representative players cannot fill-in if the team's total points exceed the limit specified under the junior representative player points rule
- c) Teams using a representative player fill-in must notify the FDBA supervisor at their venue

If a team uses an ineligible player as a fill-in the match will be recorded as a 20-0 forfeit in favour of the opposing team, regardless of the result.

### 2. U8 Age Group Exemption

Players in U8 competitions may fill-in for team's graded two divisions below their regular team as well as any higher graded team.