



# 2022/23 GIRLS FORMATS and AGE GROUPS



If you were born before...	... and your age on 31-Aug 2022 is ...	... your lowest Age Group is ...	Formats
1 September 2017	5 years	Junior Blaster	Mixed with Boys Skills based format similar to In2Cricket
1 September 2016	6 years	Junior Blaster	
1 September 2015	7 years	U8 Master Blaster	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mixed with Boys (potential for girls only)</li> <li>• 14m pitch</li> <li>• 6 players on the field</li> <li>• Plastic bats, balls, stumps on grass</li> </ul>
1 September 2014	8 years	U9 Master Blaster	
1 September 2013	9 years	U11 Stage 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 7 Players on the field, max register 9</li> <li>• 6 balls max per over</li> <li>• 20 overs per side – 2 hour match</li> <li>• 16m pitch stump to stump</li> <li>• Kooka Star/Spartan/Aero pink ball</li> <li>• 30m boundary, 15m field restriction</li> <li>• Boundary from bat end only, bowl one end</li> <li>• Batting face 17 balls then retire</li> <li>• Loss of wicket is 4 runs to bowling team</li> <li>• All bowl one over, max 4 overs each</li> <li>• Player statistics kept U11/1</li> <li>• Competition table only</li> </ul>
1 September 2012	10 years		
1 September 2011	11 years	U13 Stage 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9 Players on the field</li> <li>• 8 balls max per over, last over 6 legal</li> <li>• 20 overs per innings – 3 hours per day</li> <li>• 18m (U13) and 20m (U15) pitch stump to stump</li> <li>• 142g leather Kookaburra ball (pink ball)</li> <li>• 35m/40m boundary from centre of the pitch, 10m field restriction</li> <li>• Bowl both ends - 13 10/10, U15 alternate</li> <li>• Batting 20/25 balls each then retire, trialling 30 balls for U15</li> <li>• Out you are out</li> <li>• All players are to bowl (each Wicket-Keeper is to bowl one over each in U13)</li> <li>• Statistics kept, competition with finals</li> </ul>
1 September 2010	12 years		
1 September 2009	13 years	U15 Stage 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Out you are out</li> <li>• All players are to bowl (each Wicket-Keeper is to bowl one over each in U13)</li> <li>• Statistics kept, competition with finals</li> </ul>
1 September 2008	14 years		

- Male players are not permitted to play in MWJCA Girls Competitions.
- Girls wanting to register for the Boys Saturday Competition (above Master Blaster) will need to gain approval for exemption from the Association Executive or its delegated committee on a case by case basis. The MWJCA priority is for Girls to play in the MWJCA Girls Competition.
- Any request for a girl to play in the Boys Competition at their normal age group is to be submitted by the relevant Club to the Executive Committee using the required format.