



Clayfield College

2025



*Sport*  
Overview

# Head of Sport

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## **Welcome to Secondary Sport at Clayfield College**

At Clayfield College, we are dedicated to promoting a culture of physical activity, recognizing its crucial role in enhancing overall wellbeing. The foundation for a positive attitude towards sport and physical activity is often established during adolescence, and our programs are designed to create enjoyable and enriching learning experiences. Our focus on skill development and physical literacy is supported by our team of dedicated and experienced coaches who cultivate inclusive environments that encourage goal setting, personal achievement, and the development of healthy habits for long-term success.

Our diverse Sports program offers students various activities to explore and develop their passion for sports. Throughout the year, Clayfield College proudly participates in secondary sports competitions, including the Queensland Girls Secondary Schools Sports Association (QGSSSA), Boys Sport Programs including club affiliations, and Adventure Sports. Our goal is to provide a comprehensive sports program that caters to a wide range of student interests, skill levels, and experiences, ensuring every student can excel and thrive.

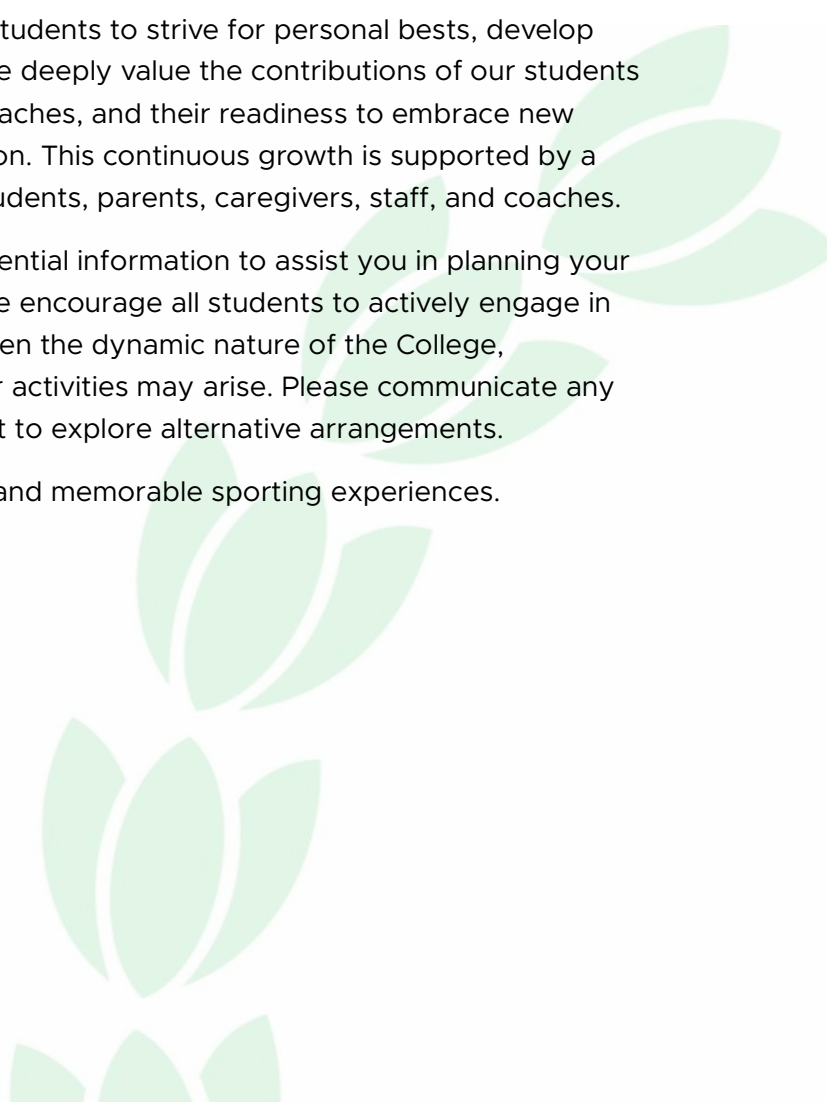
Within our sports curriculum, we inspire students to strive for personal bests, develop leadership skills, and foster teamwork. We deeply value the contributions of our students to their teams, their collaboration with coaches, and their readiness to embrace new challenges in both training and competition. This continuous growth is supported by a positive and inclusive culture involving students, parents, caregivers, staff, and coaches.

In the following sections, you will find essential information to assist you in planning your sports and activities throughout 2025. We encourage all students to actively engage in the Clayfield College Sports program. Given the dynamic nature of the College, occasional scheduling conflicts with other activities may arise. Please communicate any such conflicts with the Sports department to explore alternative arrangements.

Wishing you a year filled with rewarding and memorable sporting experiences.

**Ms. Cerene Hughes**

*Head of Sport and Activities*



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## Boys Sport

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## Communication

The College App is the primary method of communication for activities at the College. All sport training schedules, game day programs, and other relevant information will be available via the App and updated regularly. Please ensure you have enabled notifications for your child's respective activities to receive all updates.

## College Social Media

CC Sport uses Instagram to share stories, highlights, achievements and accomplishments in our sport programs.



**Clayfield College Sport (@clayfieldsport)**



## Schedules

CC Sport will outline key dates at the commencement of each term. Schedules and information for competitions, fixtures, and lead-up meets will be available on the College App under the respective sport.

## Sport Overview

Below is an overview of the school terms and their respective competitions. Please note that some sports may span multiple terms.

### QGSSSA

Queensland Girls Secondary Schools Sports Association is an association of schools that was established in 1908. It aims to be the leading secondary schoolgirls sports association and a passionate promoter and advocate for young women in sports.

TERM	SPORT/ACTIVITY
TERM 1	Swimming
	AFL (Senior)
	Artistic Gymnastics
	Cross Country
TERM 2	Basketball
	Football
	Touch Football
	Cross Country
	Track and Field
TERM 3	AFL (Junior)
	Badminton
	Hockey
	Netball
	Tennis
	Volleyball
	Track & Field
TERM 4	AFL (Junior and Senior)
	Badminton

### Boys Sport

The Secondary Boys Sport program is designed to provide a comprehensive and dynamic sporting experience for all students. The program offers a diverse range of sports that promote teamwork, skill development, and personal achievement. With a focus on both competitive and recreational opportunities, the program encourages

students to challenge themselves, build leadership skills, and foster a sense of camaraderie. CC Sport offers club-based opportunities, allowing students to engage in a variety of sports outside the traditional school setting. This approach enables athletes to compete at different levels and further develop their passion for sport.

Additionally, Adventure Sport programs provide students with exciting outdoor challenges, promoting physical fitness, resilience, and team building through activities like mountain biking and the PMSA Sailing program.

TERM	SPORT/ACTIVITY
<b>TERM 1</b>	Basketball
	Cross Country
	Swimming
	Touch Football
	Tennis
<b>TERM 2</b>	Basketball
	Cross Country
	Tennis
	Track & Field
<b>TERM 3</b>	Basketball
	Tennis
	Track & Field
<b>TERM 4</b>	Indoor Cricket
	Tennis
	Volleyball

### Adventure Sports

TERM	SPORT/ACTIVITY
<b>TERM 1</b>	PMSA Sailing (Season 2024/2025 commences Term 4 2024)
<b>TERMS 2 and 3</b>	Mountain Biking

## Competition Overview

ACTIVITY	SPORT	DATE	VENUE
<b>Interhouse Events</b>	Swimming	6 February	Nudgee College, Aquatic Centre, Boondall
	Cross Country	25 March	Shaw Park, Woolloowin
	Athletics	23 July	University of Queensland Athletics Centre
<b>QGSSSA</b>	Swimming	5 March	Sleeman Sports Complex, Chandler
	Artistic Gymnastics	1 April	Clayfield College PE Centre
	Cross Country	24 May	John Paul College, Daisy Hill
	Track and Field	18 September	Queensland Sport and Athletics Centre, Nathan
	Autumn Fixtures	14 March – 30 May	Refer to the College App for fixtures and locations
	Winter Fixtures	19 July – 13 September	Refer to the College App for fixtures and locations
	Senior AFL	15 February – 15 March	Refer to the College App for fixtures and locations
	Junior AFL	25 October – 22 November	Refer to the College App for fixtures and locations
	Junior Badminton	18 October	Refer to the College App for fixtures and locations
	Senior Badminton	11 October	Refer to the College App for fixtures and locations
<b>Boys Sport</b>	Touch Football	5 February – April	Refer to the College App for fixtures and locations
	Basketball	April – September	Refer to the College App for fixtures and locations
	Indoor Cricket	TBC	Refer to the College App for fixtures and locations
	Tennis	Year round	Refer to the College App for fixtures and locations
	Volleyball	TBC	Refer to the College App for fixtures and locations
<b>Adventure Sports</b>	Mountain Biking	Event dates TBC	Refer to the College App for dates and locations
	PMSA Sailing	Term 4 and Term 1 (Sunday)	Royal Queensland Yacht Squadron, Manly
<b>Representative Sport</b>	North Independent Metropolitan North	2025 Calendar Year	Refer to the College App