

ECB Guidelines on transport to and from matches and training

The Club must have a policy relating to transporting children to and from matches and training. All Clubs must ensure that they have notified Parents / Carers that Parents / Carers are responsible for the safe delivery and collection of their child for matches or training.

It is advisable that the start of year / season meeting is used to distribute information relating to all planned away fixtures or competitions to provide Parents / Carers with an opportunity to make appropriate arrangements.

Coaches and Club Staff will be responsible for the Children in their care when on the Club premises or on arrival at opponents' cricket grounds.

It is not the responsibility of the Coach or Team Manager to transport, or arrange to transport, the children to and from the Club or match

The Club must receive permission from Parents/Carers for children to participate in all competitions and away fixtures / events (see the Kit Bag Player Profile Form).

It is advisable for Clubs to also establish with Parents/Carers a "pick up and drop off" policy which specifically addresses matters such as late collection of children. Developing this policy at the start of season meeting will provide an opportunity to establish both club and parental expectations and will provide club officials with guidance should an incident arise during the season.

