

Programme profile

Victorian Elite – KIOC High Performance International Pathway

What the programme is, what a camp week involves, who runs it, what is included and what is not, and what happens when players come home. Written for a parent who has not been told any of it yet.

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What this document is

This profile sets out what the Victorian Elite – KIOC High Performance International Pathway involves, so that a player and a parent can decide whether it is right for them before anyone commits to anything.

It is written to be read in full. If something here is unclear, or something you need is missing, write to info@vecl.au and we will answer plainly.

The programme in short

The league runs turf T20 competition in Melbourne. Underneath it sits an international pathway run with the Karnataka Institute of Cricket in Bengaluru.

Selected players train at KIOC for eight days each December and each April, and play the VECL December tournament on turf in Melbourne in between. From 2027 there is a third camp each September, timed to the Victorian school holidays.

The programme is open to boys and girls, and to senior men and women.

The annual cycle

WHEN	WHERE	WHAT
October	Melbourne	Try-outs and selection. Squad named 31 October.
December	Bengaluru	Eight-day camp at KIOC.
December	Melbourne	VECL December tournament, on turf.
March	Melbourne	VECL March tournament.
April	Bengaluru	Eight-day camp at KIOC.
September	Bengaluru	Third camp, from 2027, in the Victorian school holidays.

What a camp week involves

To be written. A day-by-day account of the eight days: session times, what is coached, how many matches are played, rest, and what a player is expected to do between sessions.

The coaching

To be written. Who coaches the camp at KIOC, how sessions are structured, and how the coaching connects to what a player does when they get home.

Where the camp is held

The Karnataka Institute of Cricket in Bengaluru marked its silver jubilee in 2021. Its published profile lists twenty covered nets across cement, turf,

**artificial turf and matting;
six bowling machines;
floodlights; strength and
conditioning support; an in-
house physiotherapist;
video and speed analysis;
and hostel accommodation
for players travelling in.**

Who this is for

**The standard expected, the
age groups in scope, and
what selectors assess at the
try-out: seriousness,
response to training
demands, and response to
overseas conditions.**

**To be completed alongside
the try-out page.**

What is included, and what is not

**To be written. Flights, visas,
accommodation, meals,
ground transport,
coaching, match fees, kit,
insurance — each one stated
as included or not included,
with no ambiguity.**

Cost and payment

**The programme price is
confirmed at the parent
information evening and
published on the website on
the same day. Nothing is
payable to try out, and
nothing is payable until a
place is offered and**

accepted.

Safety, supervision and duty of care

Every arrangement for a player under 18 is made with a parent or guardian from the outset.

Supervision, accommodation and duty of care are settled in writing before travel.

To be written: staff travelling with the squad, staff-to-player ratio, the code of conduct, Working with Children Checks, medical and consent forms, insurance, and what happens if a player is injured or unwell on tour.

After the tour

Every player receives a written post-tour assessment they can hand to anyone — a club, a coach, a selector — and returns into the Australian January block prepared: Dowling Shield, Premier Under 18s and representative trials.

The programme is built to put players in front of people who make decisions. It does not promise that a player will be seen, and it does not promise where

being seen leads. Any programme that promises you that is telling you something else as well.

Questions

Write to info@vecl.au. Enquiries are read and answered by the managing director rather than by a form.

