



**Queensland  
Athletics**

## SELECTION POLICY

**2017 AUSTRALIAN ALL SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS**

8-10 December 2017

SA Athletics Stadium, Adelaide SA

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### RELAY SQUADS

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Athletes who are selected in the Queensland Team for relevant events will be selected in initial relay squads.

Athletes must be aware of the National competition program timetable where participation in an individual event may impact on availability for a relay or where an individual event may pose issues for sufficient recovery time, prior to the commencement of the relay.

Relay squad members will be selected based on legal performances where possible (ie: not wind assisted) recorded during the period beginning Queensland Secondary School Sport Championships through to performances recorded at the All Schools Championships at least 3 hours prior to commencement of the relay event. No performances prior to the Queensland Secondary School Sport Championships competition of that year will be considered when selecting the All Schools relays squads. In the case of the Australian Junior competitions, performances from the same calendar year as the Championships, are the only performances that will be considered.

A minimum of Six (6) athletes will be named in team announcement prior to departure to the National Championships' venue. At the time the squad is announced, athletes must make team management aware of circumstances that have arisen since nomination that may adversely affect their involvement in the relay selection/participation process. Personal coaches will not be permitted to have input into the relay selection process. Only Team Management staff will be responsible to warm up the relay team members on competition day. Athletes who fail to present themselves for relay warm-up, may be excluded from final selection into the competing team. Selectors will name the final composition of the relay team by selecting four athletes from the relay squad. Selectors reserve the right to name the final team 3 hours prior to scheduled event start time.

Selectors reserve the right to include a wild card entry into the relay squad where extenuating circumstances have disadvantaged an athlete's ability to be considered for selection under the criteria listed above.