



Redcliffe State High School

2024

**Rugby League
Program of Excellence**



Year 7 Program of Excellence – Rugby League 2024 Application Checklist

Please ensure you have completed the requirements listed below to successfully submit your application.

Requirement	✓
Application form completed and attached	
Your most recent report card attached	
Participation in the Trial Day - Monday 12th June 2023	

All POE and EP applications must be emailed no later than **Friday 28th July 2023** to poeapplications@redcliffeshs.eq.edu.au

It is preferable for these applications to be submitted prior to the trials on the **Monday 12th June 2023**.

Important Dates

Wednesday 17th May 2023

Friday 28th July 2023

Monday 12th June 2023

Thursday 23rd November 2023

Applications Open

Applications Close

Trial Date

Fees Due



School Background

Redcliffe State High School is one of the oldest and proudest schools on the Peninsula. The school opened for business in 1958 and set as the motto of the school **'Faire Sans Dire'**. In translation this means **Deeds without Words**. At Redcliffe we believe in the importance of our actions. To this end, Redcliffe is committed to providing quality education in a manner that reflects the needs of today's students.

Our School's Statement of Intent

Our school's vision calls for all of our students to go "Above and Beyond" and this applies to the many facets of learning and the wider school experience at Redcliffe SHS. However, for our Program of Excellence students there will be a greater expectation that in all aspects of school life they will go above and beyond, extending their ability as they strive for personal excellence. Furthermore, it is expected that the Program of Excellence students represent our school in extra-curricular activities as another means of learning in the world-wide community

Program of Excellence in Rugby League

To demonstrate our commitment to achieving 'Above and Beyond' outcomes for our students Redcliffe High commenced a Program of Excellence in Rugby League in 2001. This course has proved to be extremely popular and is again being offered to students entering Year 7 in 2024. The course will cover six semesters over Years 7, 8 and 9. Students will further develop their skills while learning about many other aspects of the game. Subject results will be recorded on students' reports. The Year 7, 8 and 9 units will lead into the Senior School Rugby League Program of Excellence in Years 10, 11 and 12. These programs are being offered to prepare players for possible careers in Rugby League and allied industries.

The Redcliffe Leagues Club endorses the program and their support extends to assistance in coaching clinics with senior club players and coaches, as well as providing playing and training outfits. Playing/training fields have already been developed and the school has a gymnasium which boys in the program use extensively.

We would like to offer you the opportunity to apply for a position in the Redcliffe State High School Rugby League Program of Excellence. The chance to further develop your Rugby League skills while studying at one of South-East Queensland's most innovative schools is unique. Boys in the Program of Excellence will have the opportunity to play in competitions not available to other schools on the Redcliffe Peninsula. We participate in the Elite Broncos competitions across all age groups.

What Are We Looking For?

The Rugby League Program of Excellence is not merely about being a gifted and talented Rugby League player, more importantly we are looking for a range of qualities including self-discipline, self-motivation, willingness to be part of a team and a passion for Rugby League.

Selection Criteria

Students will be selected on their:

- Technical capability with basic skills
- Standard of performance in game play
- Sporting potential and general fitness levels
- A passion for the great game of Rugby League

School Work

- Must have an aptitude and willingness to strive for excellence in all areas of the curriculum
- Achievement based on most recent report card (min B in HPE and min C in other subjects - *Please include copies with your application*)
- Behaviour and effort / industry (min satisfactory standard)
- Attendance data for the previous year (>90%attendance)

Personal Qualities

- Highly motivated to be an active team member in the Rugby League program
- Ability to work with others
- Ability to learn and take direction
- Self-disciplined and prepared to exhibit excellent behaviour in all classes

Behaviour, Participation and Attendance Expectations

A student will remain eligible as a course participant if they continue to meet the excellent standards upon which their acceptance was initially determined.

Students enrolled in Programs of Excellence must maintain a high level of achievement in all classes in order to keep their position in the program.

At any time after the program has commenced Redcliffe State High School reserves the right to remove a student from a Program of Excellence for reasons of behaviour, attendance or academic suitability. This allows all students enrolled at the school to work to their potential in the correct classroom environment for them.

If a student elects to move to mainstream learning written communication from parents will be necessary. Depending on timetabling considerations it may not be possible to immediately accommodate this change.

Students who are selected into the Rugby League Excellence Program will be committed to the course for a minimum of 1 year, unless the student does not meet the expectations outlined above as determined by the Program Manager. Students will be subject to a retrial if the program director deems necessary.

How to Apply

- Complete the attached application form, including supporting documentation as requested
- Attend the RLX trial day run by RSHS – **Monday 12th June 2023**
- The applicant's most recent report card **MUST** be submitted with the application (**No application will be viewed unless it includes your latest report**)
- All POE and EP applications must be lodged electronically to poeapplications@redcliffeshs.eq.edu.au no later than **Friday 28th July 2023** (It is preferable for these applications to be submitted prior to the trials on **Monday 12th of June 2023**)
- Out of catchment students who are accepted into a POE will be contacted to lodge an enrolment application.

Course and Resource Fees

Students in Rugby League Excellence will need access to a range of school resources to fully participate in the course. Therefore, continued enrolment in the program is contingent upon Student Resource Scheme (SRS) fees having been paid or having an agreed SRS payment plan in place.

A full review of our Student Resource Scheme and Program of Excellence Fees will be conducted in Term 2, 2023. As a guide for 2024 fees please refer to our school website, Curriculum - Programs of Excellence – Schedule of POE Fees 2023.

The fees will cover:

- training shirt
- socks
- shorts
- camp
- any playing costs associated with the Rugby League program

Should you have any questions about the program or the school, please do not hesitate to contact Mr Lachlan James, HOD HPE and SPORT on 3897 1111.

Please be advised that students who are successful in entering the Rugby League Program of Excellence will be required to pay all POE levies by Thursday 23rd November 2023.



Rugby League Excellence Program

2024 Application Form

Personal Details

Student's Full Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Home Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Details

Parent 1: Full Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Email: _____

Mobile No: _____

Parent 2: Full Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Email: _____

Mobile No: _____

I understand that there are limited places in the Rugby League Program of Excellence and that submission of an application form does not mean automatic acceptance into the Program.

Parent/Carer Signature

Date

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Program Specific Information

School Details

Present school: _____

Club Details

Current Club: _____ Age: _____ Division: _____

Referee Name (e.g. current Coach) _____ Phone _____

Preferred positions:

Playing and representative experience:

Please include other information you consider may be relevant to your application:

Photograph of Applicant:

Please attach an image of the applicant. The photo needs to be of just the student with no costumes, animals or other children.

Attach Image here.
Digital or Hard Copy

Declaration of Your Intent

In keeping with Redcliffe SHS's Statement of Intent, in which it is stated that it is the expectation of all students to exhibit truth, honesty and integrity, by signing the following we are declaring that information contained in and attached to this application is correct and complete. We understand that the provision of misleading information may lead to the cancellation of the application. Additionally, we understand and accept the expectations for students enrolled in *RSHS Programs of Excellence* as stated in this document.

SIGNED: _____

(Applicant)

WITNESSED: _____

(Parent/Guardian)

DATE: _____