

Guest Players



**ENGLAND HOCKEY
PLAYER PATHWAY**

Who is a guest player?

Players who cannot reasonably be expected to travel to the same Performance Centre from both their residential (home) address and their school address will be allowed to attend two centres.

The needs of the players will be considered on an individual basis and they will be allocated a 'home centre' and a 'guest centre'. The 'home centre' will be the one that they attend most frequently and is not necessarily the centre closest to their residential address.

Which competitions do they play?

Guest players will attend cluster competitions linked to their home performance centre.

Where it is feasible, it is strongly recommended that guest players attend the training competition with their home centre.

Which Futures Cup squad are they eligible for?

Guest players will be eligible for the squad relating to their home performance centre. It is important that their second performance centre head coach provides feedback and inputs to the Futures Cup selection data for their home Futures Cup head coach.

What is the Internal Process?

Players register in the first instance with their home performance centre and pay their fees.

Players request access to second performance centre. Their home performance centre administrator will agree access with their second performance centre administrator.

Confirmation of the arrangement should be sent to the player.

Players should be registered in both squads on the Player Pathway System.