

ABSENTEE APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM COASTAL DISTRICT SWIMMING TRIAL

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

To apply for an exemption from swimming at the Coastal District Swimming Trial you must:

- meet a condition in the "Grounds for absence" section
- be nominated by your school via their team nomination process
- have attained the current long course Queensland School Sport state qualifying times (swum in a 50m pool) at:
 - your school swimming carnival conducted on or after 1 July of the previous year, or
 - at an approved/registered swimming event conducted on or after 1 July of the previous year (only for events not conducted at your school swimming trial). *Note: You must provide an official result print-out from the 'Swimming Australia Results Central' database to verify your result/performance*.
- Results submitted for this application will be considered using the following priority:
 - 1. results attained a school carnival in the current year will be considered first
 - 2. results recorded on a submitted print-out from the *Swimming Australia Results Central* database dated on or after 1 July of the previous year considered second
- If a swimmer competes at the district swimming trials, only results achieved at this district swimming trial will be accepted. Any previous result will not be accepted or considered for events swum at the district trial.

PROCESS:

- This form must be received by the Coastal District Administrator no later than 48 hours prior to the commencement of the regional trial. Coastal District reserves the right to refuse and not accept late absentee applications.
- This form and any supporting documentation must be signed off by your school principal or authorised school delegate. This form and all supporting documents must be emailed to the Coastal District Administrator (6623_coastaldistrictsport@eq.edu.au).
- All applications must have a current working family email address written on this form. This email address will be used to:
 - a) acknowledge receipt of this Absentee application
 - b) advise if your application has been approved and any conditions imposed in regards to this absentee application
- 4) **Important!** An approved absentee application does not automatically guarantee you will be invited to join the Coastal District swimming team to compete at the upcoming Sunshine Coast Regional Swimming Trials.

PLEASE COMPLETE PAGE 2 OF THIS FORM

ABSENTEE APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM COASTAL DISTRICT SWIMMING TRIAL APPLICANT DETAILS

FIRST NAME:	LAST NAME:	
GENDER	DOB:	
MOBILE PHONE:	FAMILY EMAIL:	

NOMINATED SWIMMING EVENTS - You must have been nominated to swim these events by your school.

EVENT	AGE GROUP	RESULT DATE	RESULT	EVIDENC	E ATTACHED
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GROUNDS FOR ABSENCE (please select your primary reason below and attach/email required documents with this form)

0	Medical condition on the day(s) of the trial	Include current, valid medical certificate from health professional that states you are unfit to participate; the reason you are unfit to participate; the duration you are unfit to participate (start date and end date); and the date when full participation can resume.
0	COVID 19 / variant / close contact	Include copy of the auto-generated positive RAT test confirmation letter you receive or the positive COVID PCR test notification.
0	Absence due to a compulsory school activity	Include a letter on official school letterhead signed by your school principal stating your name; the compulsory activity; the duration of the compulsory activity (start date and end date); and that you are required to attend the compulsory activity.
0	Absence due to competing at a higher level of competition (state/national/international) in the same sport and same discipline	Include documentation from the event organisers that states your name as a team member (or your name appearing on an invitation to compete document); the event; and the duration of the event (start date and end date).
0	Absence due to competing with another Sunshine Coast region team or QSS state team in a different sport	Include documentation from the event organisers that states your name as a team member (or your name appearing on an invitation to compete document); the event; and the duration of the event (start date and end date).
0	Bereavement or compassionate reasons	Include a letter on school letterhead signed by your school principal to support the bereavement or compassionate grounds. <i>Please note: this does not include a family holiday or sibling support at another</i> <i>event.</i>

By signing this form, I give permission for Coastal District staff to contact me, my parents, carers, guardians or staff at my school.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE:	SCHOOL NAME:	
DATE:	DELEGATE NAME:	
CARER NAME:	EMAIL:	
CARER EMAIL:	MOBILE PHONE:	
CARER SIGNATURE:	SIGNATURE:	
DATE:	DATE:	