



## INTERESTED IN JOINING THE MELBOURNE FOOTBALL CLUB ACADEMY?

The Melbourne Football Club Academy is designed to develop and mentor athletes from Multicultural and Indigenous backgrounds, giving them a platform in which to evolve and grow. Talented players who fit the cultural criteria have potential to be drafted by the Melbourne Football Club under the Next Generation Academy Draft Concession system.

We are looking to unearth the next crop of talented sports people in our region (South East and Mornington Peninsula). If you fit the below criteria, and would be interested in finding out more please email [academy@melbournefc.com.au](mailto:academy@melbournefc.com.au).

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

Please read the specific criteria to be eligible for the program

**Note:** there are limited spots, with registration closing 9am Wednesday 10 April, all applications after this time will not be accepted

### PARTICIPANT CRITERIA

- ▶ Male - Turning 13 or 14 in 2019
- ▶ Identifies as Aboriginal and / or Torres Strait Islander
- OR**
- ▶ Has African or Asian Heritage (player born, or has at least one parent born in an African or Asian country)
- OR**
- ▶ Both parents born in a non-english speaking country (excludes UK, USA, Canada and New Zealand). For clarification please email [academy@melbournefc.com.au](mailto:academy@melbournefc.com.au)
- ▶ Currently playing football in the South East and Mornington Peninsula region or new to football/playing other sports (basketball, soccer etc.)
- ▶ Must be living in MFC Academy Zone  
**Click here** for Academy Zone Eligibility

- DATE** Wednesday 17 April 2019
- TIME** 1.00pm-3.30pm
- VENUE** Casey Fields VFL Oval  
160 Berwick-Cranbourne Road,  
Cranbourne East
- RSVP** [academy@melbournefc.com.au](mailto:academy@melbournefc.com.au)  
**Free for all participants**

### SCHEDULE

- ▶ Program overview and pathway
- ▶ Fundamental Skill Development
- ▶ Game sense and match play