



# THE CRICKET ASSOCIATION OF BENGAL

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## NOTICE:U-18Cricket

To  
The Hony. Secretaries,  
All the 1<sup>st</sup>&2<sup>nd</sup> Division Affiliated Clubs  
The Cricket Association of Bengal

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Cricket Association of Bengal intends to start U-18 Cricket Tournament for the Cricket Season:2024-25 from 11<sup>th</sup> December 2024 onwards and urges all the participating Affiliated Clubs to follow the following information /guidelines for **Online Player Registration**.

### Cut-off Date for 2024-25 season to participate in the CABU-18 Cricket Tournament

- Must be born between 01.09.2006 and 31.08.2011

### Registration of Players

<u>Procedure</u>	<u>Period</u>
<b>ONLINE Submission of Documents and Referred Back cases</b>	12 <sup>th</sup> November 2024 to 30 <sup>th</sup> November 2024
<b>Biometric, Registration and Referred back cases</b>	26 <sup>th</sup> November 2024 to 4 <sup>th</sup> December 2024
<b>Publication of List of eligible players from each participating team</b>	6 <sup>th</sup> December 2024

<u>Category</u>	<u>No.of players that can be Registered</u>
Under-18	18

The Cricket Association of Bengal is desirous of continuing **ONLINE REGISTRATION** of all the players who will be willing to participate in U-18 Cricket for the cricket season 2024-25. **For this purpose, all the Affiliated Clubs are hereby requested to mandatorily register an email ID and a mobile number with Whatsapp facilities enabled so that further details / OTP can be shared on the registered email ID and Whatsapp.** The Registration form and all other relevant documents if any relating to the participation in U-18 Cricket



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Tournaments will be uploaded on the Association's website ([www.cricketassociationofbengal.com](http://www.cricketassociationofbengal.com)) on or before 12<sup>th</sup> November 2024. The Online Registration platform will be open to all the participating Affiliated Clubs from 12<sup>th</sup> November 2024 and until 30<sup>th</sup> November 2024 for the purpose of uploading all the necessary documents. Further, Association will conduct Biometric procedure and deal with the referred-back cases from 26<sup>th</sup> November 2024 and until 4<sup>th</sup> December 2024. The Cricket Association of Bengal shall in no way allow new/already registered players to participate in U-18 Cricket Tournaments in case player(s) is/are not registered/brought up to date using association's online platform on or before the last date of registration as aforesaid. **The Cricket Association of Bengal will conduct seminars/workshops with all the participating Affiliated Clubs to give a detailed rundown of the online registration procedure on 12<sup>th</sup> November 2024 at 3:00 p.m at the Conference Hall of The Cricket Association of Bengal.**

## **Documents to be uploaded for the registration of a Player**

Association requests all the participating Affiliated Clubs/Units to upload all the documents in (.pdf) format only. Also, photograph needs to be uploaded in .jpg formats only.

### **1. Mandatory documents for the new player(s)**

- **Digital/Computer generated Birth Certificate:** Scanned copy of the original digital/computer generated birth certificate. If the registration of the birth certificate is made after two years of the birth of the player(s), then scanned copy of the original old birth certificate if any must also be uploaded/submitted. In case the old birth certificate is registered after two years from the date of birth of the player(s), scanned copy of the original and proper discharge certificate is to be mandatorily uploaded/submitted. Please note that sworn affidavits are not acceptable for the purpose of changes in date of birth.
- **Aadhar Card as proof of residence:** Scanned copies of the **original Aadhar Card**, showing address within the jurisdiction of the Cricket Association of Bengal, **(Linked with the phone number of the player/parent) of the player and Voter Identity Card(s)/Passport of either of his parents** are to be mandatorily uploaded/submitted. **Date of enrollment of the Aadhar Card of the player must be on or before 01.09.2021.**
- **Passport size color photograph:** Photocopy of the **most recent passport size color photo** of the player(s) duly attested by the competent authority of the all the participating Affiliated



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Clubs/ Units, Schools, Cricket Coaching Centers and district sports associations (Signature across the photograph with Seal).

- **School Passing/Leaving Certificate as proof of education:** Scanned copy of the 'School Passing/Leaving certificate' shall, as far as possible, be uploaded. If a player fails to upload the 'School Passing/Leaving certificate' as he has not yet appeared in any of the board exams then scanned copies of the School Mark sheets of the last three preceding years (i.e., 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24) of the player(s) shall, as far as possible, be uploaded.

If a player had studied in more than one school during last three preceding academic years, then he will have to mandatorily upload scanned copy/copies of the original and proper Transfer certificate(s) issued by the appropriate school authority/authorities. If neither of the above documents are available for submission, then he will have to mandatorily give an undertaking in the form of an 'Affidavit' to be attested by the player and his parents. The said undertaking can be downloaded from the Association's website any time between 12<sup>th</sup> November 2024 and 30<sup>th</sup> November 2024. Such an undertaking shall not always guarantee a player's participation in U-18 Cricket Tournament(s) and is considered relevant if and only if the concerned player is not studying in any School.

2. **Specific Documents to be uploaded for an already registered player:**  
**If the copies of Aadhar card was not provided at the time of Online registration for the last season** then the said player(s) will mandatorily be required to upload the scanned copies of the original Aadhar Card (Linked with the phone number of the player/parent) of the player and Voter Identity Card(s) of either of his parents.

3. **Specific Documents to be uploaded for all the players**
  - A new Undertaking in the form of an 'Affidavit' attested by the player and his parents will have to mandatorily be uploaded using association's online platform **in case School Passing/Leaving Certificate or preceding three years 'marksheets are not available for submission.** Such undertaking is relevant if and only if the concerned player is not studying in any School. The said undertaking can be downloaded from the Association's website any time between 12<sup>th</sup> November 2024 and 30<sup>th</sup> November 2024.



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■ **No Objection Certificate:**


If a player wants to play for a different club/affiliated unit than the one he is already registered with or he would have signed for the current season then he will **have to mandatorily provide** a 'No Objection Certificate'. Also, a player, who is **not exempted from taking transfer/withdraw** as per rule 56(d) of the memorandum of rules of the CAB, **will have to mandatorily provide** 'No Objection Certificate' from the club/affiliated where he is currently registered. This essentially means that a Player who has not played in the State for any Affiliated Club during the last three consecutive seasons, need not provide 'NOC' and may play for for any Club unless he is disqualified under Rules.

No Objection Certificate **shall not be required** otherwise.

**The Cricket Association of Bengal shall in no way allow an outstation cricketer to register for U-18 cricket tournament(s). A cricketer should have been studying/residing in WestBengal since 01.09.2021 in order to enable him to be treated as a local cricketer.**

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

  
Naresh Ojha  
Hony. Secretary