



Finnish National Team Eligibility and Trials

The National Team coaches and administration team continuously strive to improve the training, organisation, efficiency, effectiveness, strength and overall performance of the Finnish Cricket Team, year after year. With this aim in mind, there are certain eligibility requirements necessary for a player to meet, **before** attending a national team trial.

Eligibility requirements:

- Minimum of 2 years continuous residency in Finland or citizenship.
- Be a registered, active member of an FCA member cricket club in Finland.
- Have played at least 50% of the club league matches in the past 2 years.
- Achieve a minimum of **1500 metres** in the YOYO IETL1 bleep test.
- Able to afford a minimum of 25€ per month training fees **plus** approximately 120€, 2-4 times a year, for COMPULSORY Kuortane/Sports Camp training weekends.
- Able to attend at least 75% of the training sessions and matches, plus all the Kuortane Training Weekends.

Team trials:

- The coaching team will arrange a date for team trials, at least once a year. This date will be notified to all clubs and be available to view on the FCA website, at least 6 weeks prior to the trial date.
- General fitness, agility, stamina and cricketing skills will be assessed.
- NT Head Coach/Deputy Coach will confirm acceptance into the National Team.
- All new members must sign a contract regarding commitment to the eligibility requirements, maintenance and improvement of skills and fitness and professional conduct.

If this appeals to you and you can answer '**YES**' to all the eligibility requirements, please check the FCA website regularly for any information on NT trial dates.

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