

# CENTRE UNIFORM REGULATIONS



## Centre Uniform

Each affiliated Little Athletics Centre and Club is to have a distinct competition uniform. The uniform must comply with the requirements of this document, and must be approved by Little Athletics SA. Unapproved uniform items will not be permitted to be worn in competition, and may result in athletes being disqualified.

## Core Centre Uniform

### CENTRE POLO SHIRT

The Centre polo shirt shall be in the centres nominated colours. It should have sleeves and a collar. The name of the Centre/Club should be featured on the back of the shirt and use the words 'Little Athletics' rather than any abbreviation. The Centre logo may also be featured on the back of the shirt. The centre name and/or logo may also be used on the collar.

The front of the uniform and sleeves are reserved for the state and national sponsors. Centre logos are not permitted on the front of the uniform or sleeves.

**The Little Athletics SA logo must appear on the back of the uniform in the middle of the lower back, beneath any centre logos. The Little Athletics SA logo must be printed in a single colour which contrasts with the uniform and is consistent with the centre colours. The logo must be 130mm x 70mm.**

Where an Association preferred supplier manufactures the uniform, their logo may appear on the uniform in a pre-approved location. There should be no other logos featured on the shirt.

For athletes in the Under 12 and above age groups, the Little Athletics SA logo and the word 'little' may be omitted from the shirt.

### SHORTS

Athletes must wear shorts, sports briefs or two-way stretch above the knee shorts (commonly referred to as bike shorts or skins) in their centre's approved colours.

Uniform shorts must not carry any unapproved branding larger than 30mm x 30mm square. Centre logos may be used on shorts.

It is recommended that centres nominate a single basic colour for their shorts that are able to be readily purchased by families.

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## Optional Items

### CENTRE SINGLET

A Centre may nominate a Centre singlet. The singlet should be of essentially the same design as the Centre polo shirt. The word 'little' may be omitted from the name 'Little Athletics' on the back of the singlet e.g. instead of "Hallett Cove Little Athletics", the singlet may show "Hallett Cove Athletics". The Little Athletics SA logo is not required to appear on the singlet.

Singlets will only be permitted for athletes in the Under 12 and above age groups.

Singlets must be full length; that is there is no gap between the bottom of the singlet and the top of the shorts.

A plain t-shirt in the centre colours may be worn under the singlet.

### CENTRE T-SHIRT

A Centre may nominate a Centre T-shirt. The T-shirt should be of essentially the same design as the Centre Polo shirt, but does not require a collar.

T-shirts will only be permitted for athletes in the Under 9 and above age groups.

T-shirts must be full length; that is there is no gap between the bottom of the t-shirt and the top of the shorts.

T-shirts must comply with the logo requirements as per the centre polo shirt.

### TINY TOTS TOP

Centres may offer an alternative polo shirt for their registered Tiny Tots. This should be in the same core colours as the Centre uniform. Typically, this would be an off-the-rack shirt that is readily available in the small sizes required for Tiny Tots.

### ALTERNATIVE ITEMS

In addition to the approved centre uniform, the Rules of Competition permit athletes to wear alternative items either in addition to or in place of an approved item. Refer to the current Rules of Competitions for details.

Centres may offer these alternative items for sale to their members without requiring approval from the Association.

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## Application for Uniform Changes

An application for a uniform change is made by sending the proposed design to the Little Athletics SA Chief Executive Officer at [ceo@salaa.org.au](mailto:ceo@salaa.org.au). The Centre will be advised of the outcome within 5 business days of receiving the application. The outcome can be approval, alterations requested, or decline. Once approved, the Centre will have a two-year changeover period, in which both the new and old uniforms may be worn.

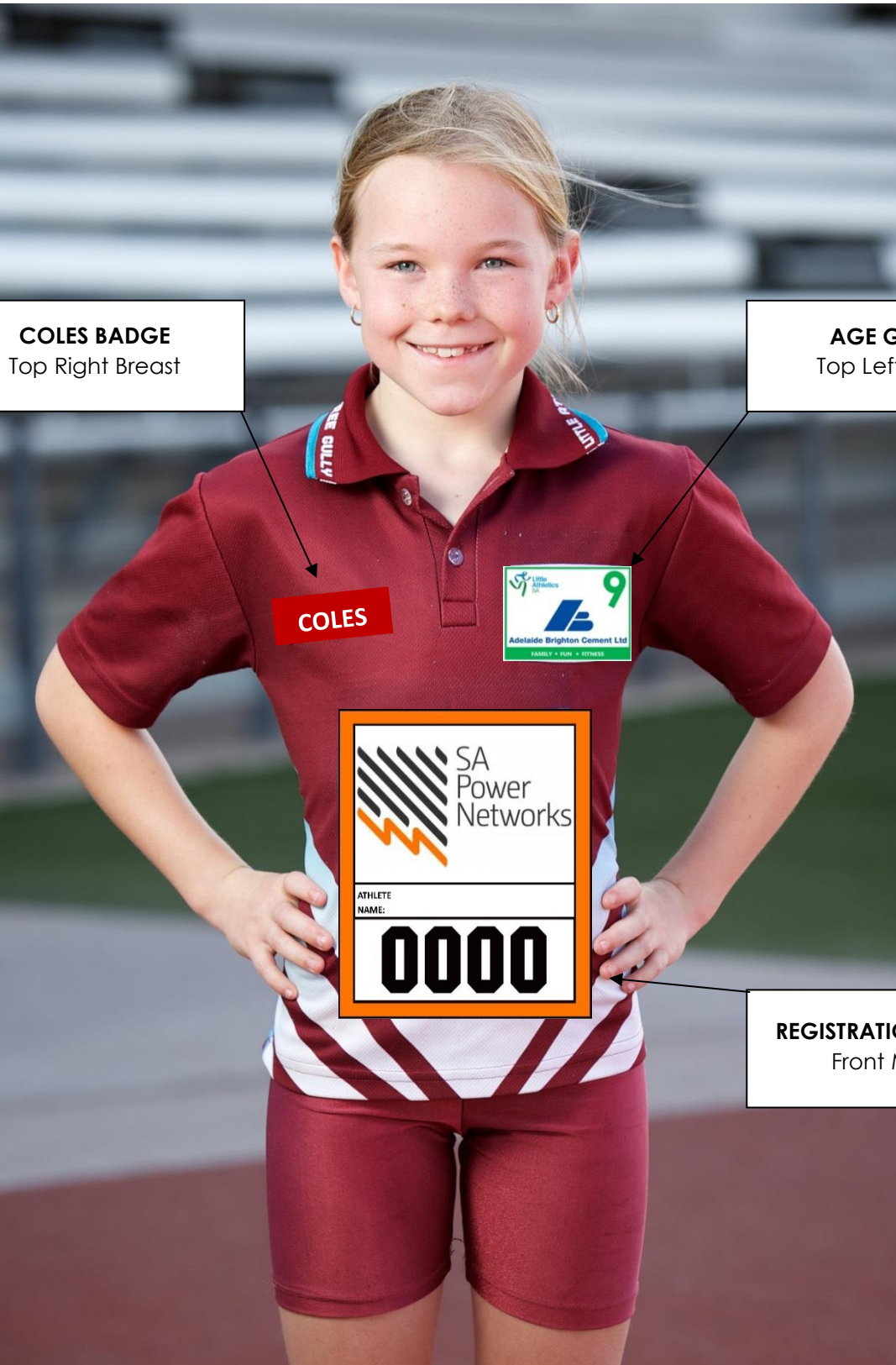
Applications must be made before the start of the competition season (i.e. 1<sup>st</sup> October). Applications made after this time will be considered, but will not come into effect until the following season.

## Polo Shirt Layout



**Please Note:** For athletes wearing a dual uniform (Little Athletics SA and Athletics SA One Clubs), athletes may pin any Athletics SA bibs over the front of their Little Athletics SA bib when required at Athletics SA Interclub or State Competitions.

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**COLES BADGE**  
Top Right Breast

**AGE GROUP**  
Top Left Breast

**REGISTRATION NUMBER**  
Front Middle