

FINALS QUALIFICATION – WOMEN'S FOOTBALL



7.1 To Participate in SFNL Finals Matches

- a) To be eligible to play in the clubs second SEWF team finals matches a player must have played in three home and away matches for that particular division during the current season.
- b) Any player playing 7 or more matches with a club's first SEWF team in the home and away matches is ineligible to play with that club's second SEWF team in the finals series.

Rule 7.1 b and c are disregarded where any club fields both SEWF teams in a finals series match on the same day, or the same weekend.

- c) Any player included on an official VFL list can, provided she has qualified under the Rules described in rule 7, return to play with the SEWF in the finals.
- d) Any player that plays 7 or more games in any season in the VFLW Competitions is ineligible to play any SEWF finals in that season.
- e) SEWF players are not permitted to play more than one SEWF game during the finals series in a weekend.
- f) Players that play a second game on the same weekend during the home and away season due to lack of numbers must be noted with an asterisk and SEWF should be informed in writing as to why this occurred by Monday 12pm following the scheduled match.
- g) Where a player participates in more than one SEWF match on any weekend during the home and away season, only one match shall count towards finals eligibility qualification. The game that counts shall be the highest grade or age group played.
- h) All Players shall be entitled to free movement between grades, where the Member Club fields more than one team in the SEWF provided that only two (2) Players, who have played in eight (8) or more games in a higher grade, shall be permitted to play in a lower grade during the subsequent Home and Away matches.

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