



the availability of one of the adults during the activity (e.g. in the event of one participant requiring the attention of an adult during the activity following an accident).

These would be suitable for most organisations working with children and young people. **Remember that regardless of the overall ratio, a minimum of two supervisors is recommended.**

The guidelines also state that the gender of at least one of the supervising adults should match the gender of the children.

Since 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017, in all possible cases, we will adopt the following policy on all Official Trips, both in the UK and abroad, with players who are under 18 years of age.

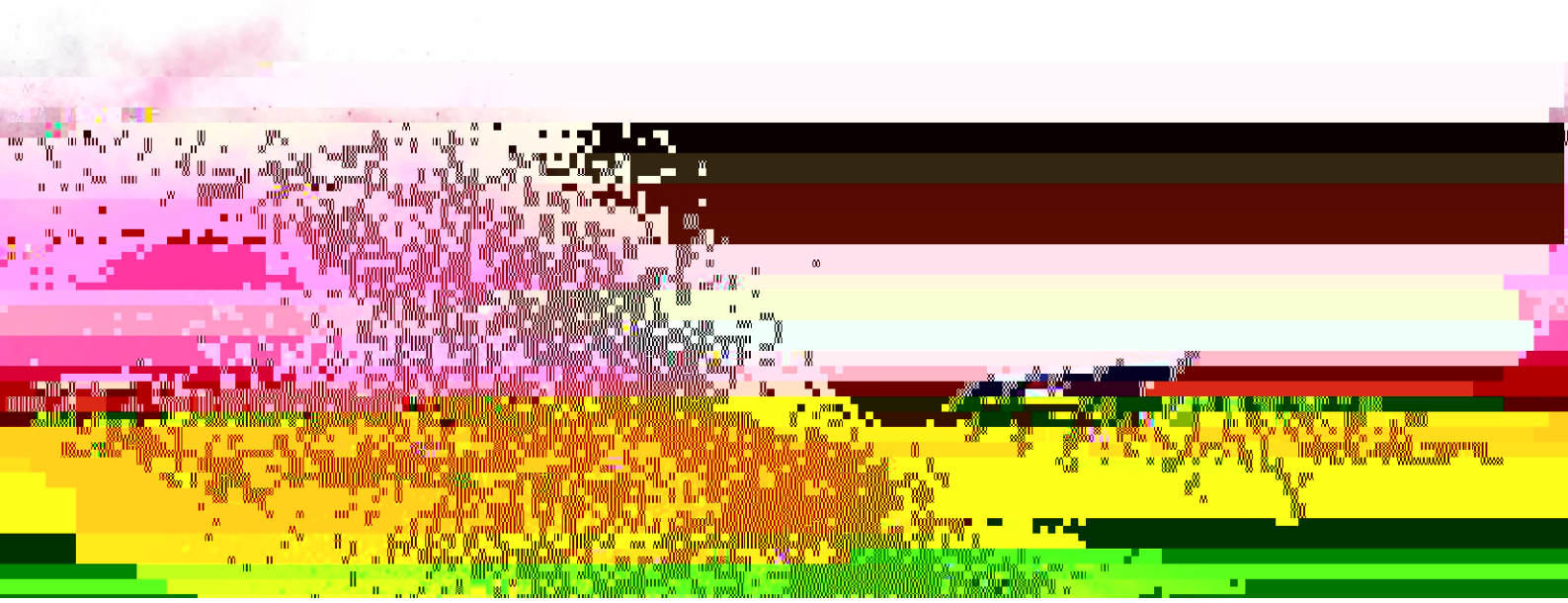
- A minimum of two members of staff on all trips.
- At least one member of staff must be the same gender of that of the players on the trip.
- A minimum of one member of staff to every four players.

All staff on trips will be members of the LUNTA Team, Tennis Team, Performance Team or an external LTA Accredited Coach. Where it is proposed that this is not the case the LTA will contact the parent(s)/legal guardian of the players in question to seek their consent to the revised provision.

One member of staff will always be a coach and the second member of staff may travel in any of the following roles or capacities, with an emphasis on the pastoral welfare and supervision of the players:

- Strength and Conditioning Coach;
- Head of Performance Support;
- Physiotherapist or Doctor;
- Performance Analyst;
- Senior Coach/Manager/Director;
- Performance Lifestyle and Education Manager/Advisor;
- Performance Nutritionist
- Performance Psychologist;
- Programme Coordinator/Administrator; and/or
- Pastoral/Welfare;

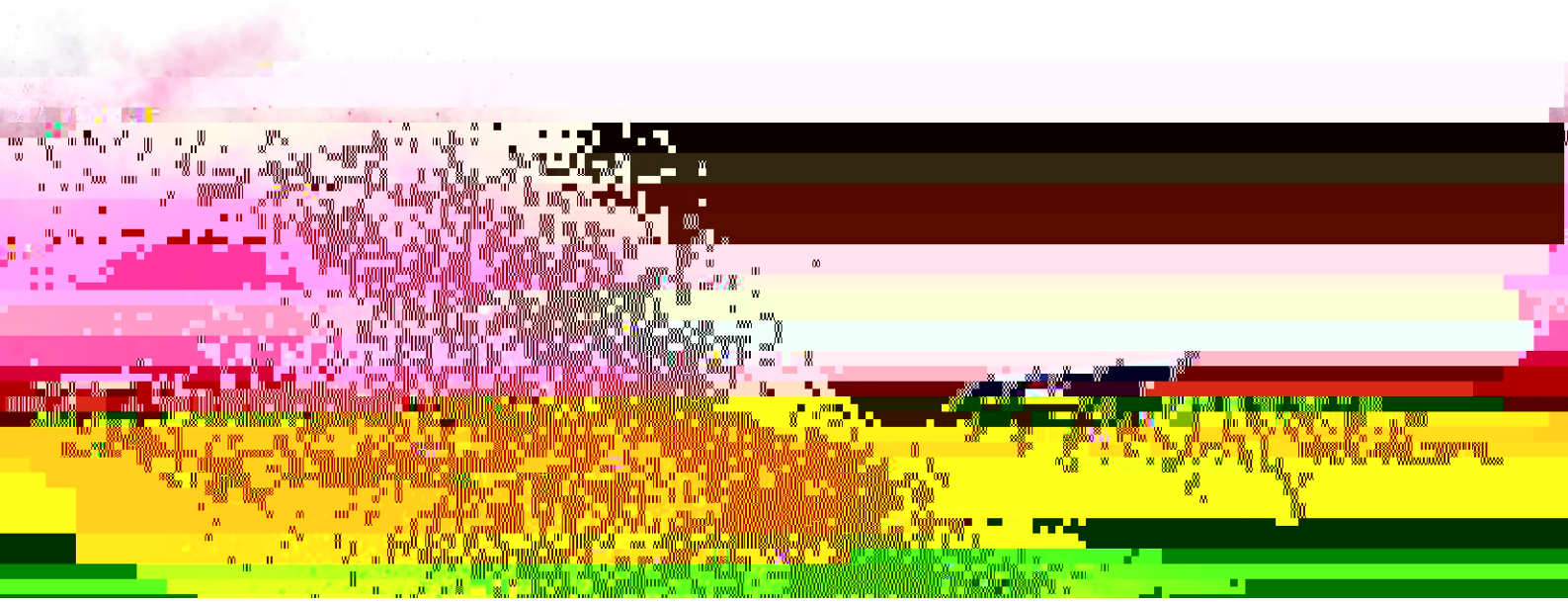
The LUNTA Head Coach will decide on the staff in consultation with the LUNTA Team.





a crisis team into motion to make the necessary decisions to try to ensure the safety of the team.

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Parents are allowed to attend Official LUNTA Trips, at their own cost, if they wish. We ask that parents inform the Lead Coach prior to the trip if they plan on attending. If they choose to do so the

