

ENVIRONMENTAL BEHAVIOUR POINT (E-Point) CRITERIA



The E-Point system will apply to all Players, Coaches, Team Officials, Support Staff or Spectators. Reward points are earned by simply maintaining the required behavioural standards the NTJFA codes and by-laws require.

The Premiership Points and E-Points combined will determine ladder positions (ahead of percentage) for Youth Teams. This has been trialled in 2022 and will be implemented for the 2023 season.

E-Point Rules	
a)	A maximum of four (4) Behaviour E-Points will be awarded per team per game for each completed regular season match. The team's behaviour (including that of players, team officials, support staff or spectators) will determine if any of these E-Points will be deducted.
b)	One (1) E-Point may be deducted for every Yellow Card received by each participating team on game day if the early guilty plea, or tribunal hearing, results in a suspension.
c)	Two (2) E-Points may be deducted for every Red Card received by each participating team on game day.
d)	Two (2) E-Points may be deducted from a team that has a player, parent/spectator or official that is reported, referred to a Tribunal hearing, and found guilty.
e)	Up to four (4) E-Points may be deducted from a team for any code of conduct, policy or bylaw breach relating to inappropriate game day behaviour.
f)	If any breach occurs during a break of play or after the final siren, the number of E-Points deducted may be doubled as the umpire does not have the ability to award a free kick. If the team already has the maximum 4 points deducted in that game, they may have the additional points carried over to their next game. If the next game is a final, they may incur a financial fine.
g)	During finals, the NTJFA can substitute financial fines in place of E-Point penalties.

OfficialsHQ will be used by officiating umpires to record incidents contravening the "Spirit of Football" and Laws of the Game (reference Match Day E-Point Form).

OfficialsHQ will also be used by officiating umpires to make any reports and record any yellow/red card infringements.

Green/yellow/red cards must also be recorded on Attachment F – Interchange Form. Any other incidents to be noted on Attachment G - Match Manager Checklist Form. The Competition Manager will have the final decision on whether E-Points will be awarded.

The Premiership Ladder for all Youth Teams will be determined as follows:

Each Winning Youth Team will be allocated Four (4) Premiership Points and up to Four (4) E Points.
Each Losing Youth Team will be allocated Zero (0) Premiership Points and up to Four (4) E Points.
If the game ends in a draw Two (2) Premiership Points will be allocated to both teams with up to Four (4) E Points each.