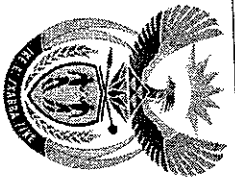


**PROGRESS REPORT ON  
SCHOOLS SPORT  
SELECT COMMITTEE**

# **Scientific Support Services**

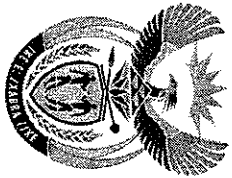
**Contribution to school sport**



**sport & recreation**  
Department:  
Sport and Recreation South Africa  
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

# Support for School sport

- Support for national development athletes & coaches identified by national federations through their school sport or development structures
  - Coach education: basic sport science and medicine as well as scientific methods in talent screening, identification and development
  - Training Camps
  - Scientific and Medical services
  - Medical team (team delivery)



## **sport & recreation**

Department:  
Sport and Recreation South Africa  
**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**

# Residential Programme

- The residential programme offers selected athletes residence in a tertiary institution or school. The athlete has to satisfy the selection criteria of the national federation, SRSA and the selected school for inclusion in the programme
- Aim: to provide the athlete with access to full time sport-specific, scientific, medical and educational support

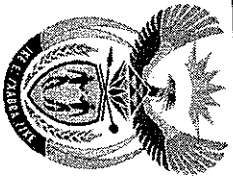
**Athletes:** a full residential scholarship that covers the following:

- Accommodation
- Meals
- Transport
- Tuition or school fees (Including books)
- Coaching
- Sports science and medical services
- Career development and life skills
- Access to COS facilities

### **Coaches/Managers**

- Accommodation
- Meals

- THIS PROGRAMME IS TO BE DISCONTINUED & REPLACED BY THE PROVINCIAL ACADEMY NETWORK PROGRAMME WHERE ALL ATHLETES WILL BE PROVIDED WITH SCIENTIFIC AND MEDICAL SERVICES WITHOUT BEING UPROOTED FROM THEIR HOMES



## sport & recreation

Department:  
Sport and Recreation South Africa  
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

# School Facilities

- DBE and SRSA working on a coordinated approach to provision of facilities in schools
- Focus is on shared use of schools and community facilities
- Provincial Departments of Education are responsible for all sports facilities provided at schools
- The funding sources are the Education Infrastructure Grant and provinces equitable share
- In addition it is envisaged that School Infrastructure Backlog Grant earmarked for upgrading existing schools may be used for sport facilities in cases where a school needs to be replaced (rebuilt)
- *DBE has published Minimum Uniform Norms and Standards for Public School Infrastructure* that includes guidelines for sports infrastructure at schools
- Efforts were made to have alignment with the Norms and Standards for Sport and Recreation Infrastructure as published by SRSA
- SRSA is not directly responsible for provision (funding) of sport and recreation facilities in schools
- Sport facilities in schools are not funded through MIG as this is a provincial responsibility and the MIG is a grant to municipalities
- MIG is allocated directly to municipalities through the Department of Cooperative Governance