

Rules & Regulation

TABLE TENNIS (BOYS & GIRLS)

- All the matches will be played according to the rules of the Table Tennis Federation of India (TTFI) as adopted by them from time to time, with modifications wherever applicable.
- Every school can send one team comprising of maximum four players, in Under 14, Under 17 & Under 19 yrs separately in Boys" & Girls" category.
- In Boys" Category, the team shall consist of maximum four & minimum two players.
- In Girls" Category, the team shall consist of maximum four & minimum two players.
- The matches up to quarter final stage will be played as best of three games.
- Semi-final & final matches will be played as best of five games.
- The balls to be used in the tournament shall be ITTF approved.
- At Cluster level the tournament will be organized on knock out basis.

INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP - AT CLUSTER

- In addition to the team championship, separate Individual Championship will be conducted at each Cluster level.
- At Cluster & National levels, the Individual Championship shall be organized on knock out basis.
- In Cluster level Individual Championship, only the schools that are participating as a 'team', shall be eligible to sponsor one player to play in Individual Championship in each category separately for boys & girls.
- The scoring system will be the same.
- Players can take time out for one minute, once in whole match.
- Expedite system shall come into operation if a game is unfinished after 10 minutes play. If the expedite system is introduced, all subsequent games of the match shall be played under the expedite system.
- Play shall be continuous throughout a match except that a player is entitled to:
 - a) An interval of up to one minute between successive games of a match.
 - b) Brief intervals for towelling after 6 points from the start of each game and at the change of ends in the last possible game of a match
