



NETBALL

Venue: The Lights Sports and Community Centre, 244 - 270 East Parkway, Lightsvue

RULES & REGULATIONS:

World Netball rules apply with some modifications; please see below.

1. SCORERS & GAME TIMES

- 1.1. Each team will need to supply a scorer that is not a coach or player.
- 1.2. Both scorers will need to:
 - 1.2.1. Sit at the scorer's desk, fill out **ONE** score sheet and operate a scoreboard.
 - 1.2.2. Confirm the scores at full time with the umpires and coaches.
 - 1.2.3. Score sheets will need to be signed by each coach and brought to the SACSA desk promptly.
 - 1.2.4. **PRE-FILLED score sheets** will be available on court benches.
 - 1.2.5. Please **fill in the information needed for each game** e.g., player's names and numbers prior to the start.
- 1.3. Total allocated match time 45 mins.
- 1.4. Game time - 4 x 8 min quarters, 2 min quarter time and half-time breaks, 2 mins between games.
- 1.5. Teams change ends each quarter.
- 1.6. No time outs.

2. THE TEAM

- 2.1. Max of 7 players on court at any one time & up to **5 reserves (12 players max)**.
- 2.2. **Substitutions** can only be made during the quarter-time breaks or at half-time.
- 2.3. There is no limit on the number of substitutions that can be made during these times.

3. UNIFORMS

- 3.1. Bring 2 sets of Netball Bibs for easier transfer of substitutions or for a clash of colours.

4. BALL AND RING HEIGHT INFORMATION

- 4.1. **Size 5** Netball
- 4.2. SACSA will supply all match balls
- 4.3. Only bring 2 named balls per team from your school to practice with.
- 4.4. Ring height will be standard Height 3.05m (10ft)



5. PRE-GAME

- 5.1. The **Home** team on the **score sheet** shall: Take the first Centre Pass then alternates throughout the whole game.
- 5.2. The **Away team** to choose goal end.

6. TABLE POINTS

- 6.1. 3 points for a win, 2 points for a draw, 1 point for a loss.

7. FINALS RANKINGS

- 7.1. The top 6 teams will play off for a spot in the Grand Final.
 - 7.1.1. Top 2 teams from each pool progress to the CHAMPIONSHIP POOLS (3 teams in each one).
 - 7.1.2. Championship Pool 1 and Championship Pool 2.
 - 7.1.3. The best 1st-place team by percentage has an advantage to go into championship pool 1 with two 2nd-place teams from other pools.
 - 7.1.4. Remaining 1st-place teams plus the remaining 2nd-place team form Championship pool 2.
 - 7.1.5. Example: Championship Pool 1 = A1(highest percentage) B2, C2 & Championship Pool 2 = B1, C1 & A2.
- 7.2. Those that are placed 7th to 9th overall will have their own play-off series for the minor placings. (3rd ranked teams in each pool.)
- 7.3. Please check the Sportfix app for all updates. **Finals tab**
- 7.4. CHAMPIONSHIP Pool games progressing to FINALS matches:
 - 7.4.1. #1 ranked of Championship 1 vs #1 ranked of Championship 2 go into the Grand-final.
 - 7.4.2. #2 ranked of Championship 1 vs #2 ranked of Championship 2 go into the Bronze Medal Match (3rd & 4th place overall)
 - 7.4.3. #3 ranked of Championship 1 vs #3 ranked of Championship 2 go into a playoff for 5th place overall.

8. If Teams Are Tied on Points - Positions will be decided in this order to create the Championship rounds and for the Finals.

- 8.1. **Head-to-head result** (result of the match between the tied teams)
- 8.2. **Percentage** = (Scores For ÷ Scores Against) × 100
- 8.3. **Least points conceded** (fewest goals scored against them)
- 8.4. **Most points scored** (highest total goals)

9. DRAWN MATCHES

- 9.1. In the event of a draw during the **minor rounds** there will be **NO** Extra time played.
- 9.2. **In the event of a draw during the FINALS SERIES.**
 - 9.2.1. Extra time will be a two-minute period.
 - 9.2.2. Teams will keep to the same end as they were in the second half.
 - 9.2.3. The teams have 1 minute to sub if needed.
 - 9.2.4. All students still playing must stay on court and go back to center pass position immediately.
 - 9.2.5. The game will start again with the next in turn center pass.
 - 9.2.6. Clock will not stop during Extra time.
 - 9.2.7. If tied after two minutes, sudden death with first team scoring, wins the game.