

ALL SCHOOLS TOUCH FOOTBALL FINALS SERIES PROGRESSION (2023)

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Important – this is meant to be a guide to progression. Because Pools vary in size (number of teams in the round robin) the "Equalization Method" is used to compare ranking across Pools. (see below)

7 POOL DRAW (13 Boys & 18 Boys)

Progression – Top two teams from each Pool progress to Final 16, together with the best two thirds.

Final 16 Quarter Finals

Game 1. Winner Pool A vs. 2nd best third Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2

Game 2. Winner Pool C vs. Pool G Second

Game 3. Winner Pool B vs. Pool F Second Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4.

Game 4. Pool D second vs. Pool E Second

Winners of above Games Progress to Semi Final No.1

Game 5. Winner Pool D vs. BEST third Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 6.

Game 6. Winner Pool G vs. Pool C Second

Game 7. Winner Pool E vs. Pool B Second Winner Game 7 vs. Winner Game 8.

Game 8. Winner Pool F vs. Pool A Second

Winners of above games Progress to Semi Final No.2

Grand Final – Winners of Semi Finals

8 POOL DRAW (18 Mixed)

Progression – Top two teams from each Pool progress to Final 16.

Final 16 Quarter Finals

Game 1. Winner Pool A vs. Pool H second Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2

Game 2. Winner Pool D vs. Pool E Second

Game 3. Winner Pool B vs. Pool G Second Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4.

Game 4. Winner Pool C vs. Pool F Second

Winners of above Games Progress to Semi Final No.1

Game 5. Winner Pool E vs. Pool D second Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 6.

Game 6. Winner Pool H vs. Pool A Second

Game 7. Winner Pool F vs. Pool C Second Winner Game 7 vs. Winner Game 8.

Game 8. Winner Pool G vs Pool B Second

Winners of above games Progress to Semi Final No.2

Grand Final - Winners of Semi Finals.

9 POOL DRAW (13 Girls)

Progression – Top team from each Pool plus 7 best seconds, to progress.

Final 16 Quarter Finals

Game 1. Winner Pool A vs. 7th best second Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2

Game 2. Winner Pool D vs. Winner Pool I

Game 3. Winner Pool B vs. 4th best second Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4.

Game 4. Winner Pool C vs. 3rd best second

Winners of above Games Progress to Semi Final No.1

Game 5. Winner Pool E vs. 6th best second Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 6.

Game 6. Winner Pool H vs. BEST second

Game 7. Winner Pool F vs. 5th best second Winner Game 7 vs. Winner Game 8.

Game 8. Winner Pool G vs 2nd best second

Winners of above games Progress to Semi Final No.2

Grand Final – Winners of Semi Finals.

11 POOL DRAW (18 Girls)

Progression – Top team from each Pool plus 5 best seconds, to progress.

Quarter Finals

Game 1. Winner Pool A vs. 5TH best second Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2

Game 2. Winner Pool D vs. Winner Pool E

Game 3. Winner Pool B vs. 2nd best second Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4.

Game 4. Winner Pool C vs. BEST second

Winners of above Games Progress to Semi Final No.1

Game 5. Winner Pool F vs. 4TH best second Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 6.

Game 6. Winner Pool I vs. Winner Pool J

Game 7. Winner Pool G vs. 3rd best second Winner Game 7 vs. Winner Game 8.

Game 8. Winner Pool H vs Winner Pool K

Winners of above games Progress to Semi Final No.2

Grand Final - Winners of Semi Finals.

12 POOL DRAW (15 Boys)

Progression – Top team from each Pool plus 4 best seconds, to progress.

Final 16 **Quarter Finals** Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2

Game 1. Winner Pool A vs. 4TH best second

Game 3. Winner Pool C vs. Winner Pool F Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4.

Game 4. Winner Pool D vs. Winner Pool E

Game 2. Winner Pool B vs. BEST second

Winners of above Games Progress to Semi Final No.1

Game 5. Winner Pool G vs. 3rd best second Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 6.

Game 6. Winner Pool H vs. 2ND best second

Game 7. Winner Pool I vs. Winner Pool L Winner Game 7 vs. Winner Game 8.

Game 8. Winner Pool J vs Winner Pool K

Winners of above games Progress to Semi Final No.2

Grand Final - Winners of Semi Finals.

14 POOL DRAW (15 Girls)

Progression – Top team from each Pool plus 2 best seconds to progress.

Final 16 **Quarter Finals**

Game 1. Winner Pool A vs. second best second Winner Game 1 vs. Winner Game 2

Game 2. Winner Pool B vs. Winner Pool G

Game 3. Winner Pool C vs. Winner Pool F Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4.

Game 4. Winner Pool D vs. Winner Pool E

Winners of above Games Progress to Semi Final No.1

Game 5. Winner Pool H vs. BEST second Winner Game 5 vs. Winner Game 6.

Game 6. Winner Pool I vs. Winner Pool N

Winner Game 7 vs. Winner Game 8. Game 7. Winner Pool J vs. Winner Pool M

Game 8. Winner Pool K vs. Winner Pool L

Winners of above games Progress to Semi Final No.2

Grand Final - Winners of Semi Finals.

EQUALIZATION METHOD

(Determining the best seconds and thirds for progression to finals)

The overall positioning or ranking of teams and the determining of the Pool winner at the end of the round robin for Progression (to the Finals Series, Final 16 and or quarter finals etc) is as per the **Conditions of Play 6.4**

In determining ranking across multiple Pools to enable Finals progression, issues arise when within any division, there exist Pools with varying team numbers. (e.g. 6, 7 or 8 teams) This then means that teams have not played the same number of round robin games, making comparison across Pools more difficult. To make for a fairer comparison, the number of games played shall be equalized. Therefore, determination shall be based on a Pool of 7 or 6 round robin games. Pools of 8 teams shall have the game against the lowest ranked team at the end of the round robin removed (to make 7 teams) from calculations of Game Points, Differential and Percentages as per below. In the rare case that there are only 6 teams in a Pool, all teams shall have the game vs the lowest ranked team at the end of the round robin added to calculations (i.e. twice or to make up the six games required).

Once equalization has occurred and teams are to be ranked, the following procedure is applied -

- 1. Game Points accrued
- 2. Differential (for minus against)
- 3. Percentage (for divided by against x 100)
- 4. Drop off if all else equal