



**Gold Coast TITANS ALL SCHOOLS
2021
NOMINATION PROCESS**
(Document revised – 12 January 2021)



Entry to the Qld All Schools Championships requires submission of the Official Entry Form by the due date. The Nomination Process shall follow the following procedure in order, to address the enormous popularity of the QAS event. Unfortunately, there is simply not enough room for everyone and therefore entry will be restricted with preference afforded to “priority schools” from within Queensland with limited places held over for Interstate & International teams. In order, to receive priority entry a Queensland school must satisfy the Key Selection Criteria as used in previous years.

Priority Entry recognises that some schools are more deserving than others in the competition for available places and will be offered entry should they satisfy as many of the Key Selection Criteria (KSC) as possible. The more points earned - the stronger the case for inclusion. Also, it should be noted that once entry is confirmed that school will be afforded all teams (up to the maximum) they nominate. Places are limited and not all nominees will be successful. In this case any school who is not offered a place via the “priority” entry will automatically be included in the reserve list with rank order determined by points gained.

Priority Entry is based on achieving points as awarded below.

1. **Long term Entry.** A school that has been integral in the development and ultimately the success of the event through their on-going commitment over a number of years. To satisfy the criteria, a school shall have been involved for a minimum of 20 years in total (since 1996 when accurate records are available.) **50 points**
2. **Medium term entry.** Schools who have been involved for 10 to 19 years in total. **20 points**
3. **Participated in 2020 event.** Schools who committed to the event during COVID in 2020 earn a bonus **20 points.**
4. **Unlimited nomination.** The school can play at any time (Wed, Thurs & Fri) and there are no restrictions as to when they can or can't play, earn - **20 points**
5. **Schools who are endorsed TFA Academy schools.** **50 points**
6. **QAS Performance 2020.** A school team who finished in top 4 earns **50 points** per team, **20 points** for top 8 finish, and **15 points** for top 16 finish at QAS in 2020.
7. **Non-endorsed school touch programs.** Schools who run legitimate Touch programs for students at their school which would include as a minimum – Talent level and higher accredited teacher/coaches, conducting referee accreditation courses for students, and demonstrated community touch links etc. (note schools may be asked to verify these claims) **20 points**
8. **Student referees.** Schools who provide accredited student referees (non-playing) from their school will earn **5 points** per referee up to a maximum of 20 points.
9. **Other -** If you believe you have a reasonable claim or relevant information to support your entry (other than any of the above) – you can also provide that information for consideration when nominating. (Points to a maximum of 20 can be allocated for any such submissions. E.g. Touch developing school, small or remote school, disadvantaged school, or school has high number of indigenous students etc.

Other relevant Information

At all times, the overall philosophy of the event including Qld Touch Football outcomes shall be the priority and as such, some places will be reserved for “wild card” entries, Interstate and International schools as per below.

1. **Regional All Schools 2021 – Qualifying events)** New schools with inability to satisfy the KSC will be directed to these events and some “wild card” invitations/places will be held for a limited number of qualifiers.
2. **International teams.** (a limited number of places have been set aside for the event in 2021 should International borders open, nominations are limited to first in) Note – International Schools may nominate but are not expected to pay a deposit until circumstances are clear.
3. **All queries should be directed to the Tournament Director.**



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CRITERIA ENTRY FORM**



Instructions: Please complete the form below and retain for your records. The total points should be submitted when completing the Official Entry Form. You may be asked to submit the form below by the Tournament Director to verify any claims made.

SCHOOL:

TEACHER CONTACT:

CATEGORY	POINTS	Supporting notes
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2.		
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TOTAL POINTS		

Please note that the completed form need not be submitted with the Entry Form unless requested by the Tournament Director.