

RULES OF SPORTS & GAMES 2016-

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VOLLEYBALL (BOYS“ & GIRLS“)

1. The rules as adopted by the Volleyball Federation of India shall be followed, unless otherwise modified in these rules.
2. At Cluster level, all the matches shall be played on knock out basis.
3. The matches at Cluster level shall be played as best of three sets, each set of 25 points. A set is won by the team which first scores 25 points with a minimum lead of two points. In the case of a 24-24 tie, play is continued until a two point lead is achieved (26-24; 27-25;)
4. The semi final and final, will be played as best of five sets. In case of a two – two sets tie, the deciding set (fifth set) will be played to 15 points until a two point lead is achieved (16-14; 17-15;)
5. Maximum two „time outs“ per set, of 30 seconds each will be allowed on the request of concerned coach/captain.
6. The colour and design of the playing kit of the members of team must be the same, except for „libero“ (defensive player) who must wear a uniform contrast in colour with that of the other members of the team.
7. The first & second position winning teams from every Cluster will qualify to participate in National level tournament.
8. At National level, matches shall be played on league cum knock out basis.
9. All the matches at National level will be played on the basis of best of five sets.
10. **At National level:** All the teams reporting may be divided into different pools in such a way that by and large no pool is of less than four teams. From each pool, the two teams emerging on top will qualify to play the knock-out stage matches. The match to decide the third and fourth positions shall also be played.
11. In the matches played on league basis, in case of tie, the match will be decided as follows:

At first the following calculations will be taken -

Match won = 02 points. Match lost = 01 point. Match forfeited = 00 point.

Result will be tabled as under:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
Name of the team	Matches won	Matches lost	Total points	Sets won	Sets lost	<u>Total score point</u>	
						Favour	Against

In case of a tie of total points at (D) between two or more teams, the following equation determines the ranking:

$$\frac{\text{Sets won (E)}}{\text{Sets lost (F)}}$$

The team of higher rate of sets will be ranked higher. If the tie still persists, the following equation will be applied:

$$\frac{\text{Total score points in favour (G)}}{\text{Total score points against (H)}}$$

Team of higher rate of scored points will be ranked higher.

If the tie remains undecided, precedence will be given to the team winning the match in which the concerned teams have played against each other.

12. Ordinarily, no team shall be called upon to play two matches a day. In exceptional circumstances, however if a team is asked to play two matches a day, there should be at least a gap of four hours between the two matches.
13. A team shall consist of a maximum of 12 players.

The school Organizing Cluster level competition shall take a Group Photo of the teams that have qualified to participate at National level competition. The photo shall be signed by the host school Principal and forwarded to the school organizing Nationals along with the original entry Performa.