



All Hong Kong Schools Jing Ying Badminton Tournament 2023-2024 (Secondary Schools Section) 2023-2024年度全港學界精英羽毛球比賽 (中學組)



[General Rules]

The All Hong Kong Schools Jing Ying Badminton Tournament 2023–2024 is organized by the Schools Sports Federation of Hong Kong, China, and subvented by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department.

1. Competition Schedule

| Date | Time | Venue | Competition (To be confirmed) | |
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| 16/10/2023 (Mon) | 08:00-16:00 | Tsuen Wan West Sports Centre 荃灣西約體育館 | Preliminary Round Secondary Boys and Girls Doubles | |
| 03/11/2023 (Fri) | 08:00-18:30 | Lai Chi Kok Park Sports Centre 荔枝角公園體育館 | Preliminary Round Secondary Girls Single | |
| 20/11/2023 (Mon) (Updated) | 08:00-17:30 | Tiu Keng Leng Sports Centre 調景嶺體育館 (Updated) | Preliminary Round Secondary Boys Single | |
| 24/11/2023 (Fri) (Updated) | 09:00-15:00 | Lai Chi Kok Park Sports Centre 荔枝角公園體育館 (Updated) | Secondary Boys and Girls Quarter Finals to Final Round | |

2. Eligibility of Participants

- 2.1 All participants must be born on or after 1 January 2005.
- 2.2 Participants MUST present their valid Student Athletes Registration Card 2023-2024 (either Physical or *Electronic) when reporting. Failure to do so will result in disqualification.

<u>*Please note that the Electronic Student Athletes Registration Card is only applicable to secondary school</u> <u>students.</u>

3. Competition System

- 3.1 Two categories : Boys and Girls; Two events : Singles and Doubles, each participating school may enter a maximum of 4 boys and 4 girls including 2 in Singles and 1 team in Doubles;
- 3.2 Players can participate in either the Singles or Doubles but not both;
- 3.3 Single Knock-out system ;
- 3.4 In preliminary round to top 16, matches will be played to the best of one game. Top 8 to final, matches will be played to the best of 3 games. Each game should be 21 points as adopted by the Hong Kong Badminton Association (HKBA).
- 3.5 There shall be position matches to determine the 1st to 8th positions for Singles; the 1st to 4th positions for Doubles.

4. Awards

- 4.1 Trophies (1st to 8th) and certificates will be awarded to top 8 winners of Singles.
- 4.2 Trophies (1st to 4th) and certificates will be awarded to top 4 winners of Doubles; Trophies (Merit Award) and certificates will be awarded to 5th-8th places of Doubles.
- 4.3 Trophies will be distributed on the Final Day after competition finishes.

5. Entry Fee

- 5.1 \$120.00 per participant in singles
- 5.2 \$120.00 per pair in doubles

6. Seeding Arrangement

For details, please refer to HKSSF Secondary Schools General Information Booklet 2023-2024 ~ Jing Ying Tournaments ~ Seeding Arrangement.

7. Important Date

- 7.1 Closing Date of Entries: 20th September 2023 (Wed)
- 7.2 Confirmation of Entries: **25th September 2023 (Mon) on or before 17:00**

Accepted entries will be uploaded to the website of the HKSSF (www.hkssf.org.hk) on 22nd September 2023 (Fri) for checking. Schools should check the Participating List carefully to ensure all entries are included and the names of players are correct. Discrepancies must be reported to the HKSSF on or before 22nd September 2023 (Fri) on or before 17:00. No alteration of players would be entertained after closing date.

7.3 Lots Draw: 4th October 2023 (Wed) (To be confirmed) Schools are welcomed to witness the lots drawing at 4:30PM in the Federation Office (Room 205), 1/F, 7 Carmel Village Street, Homantin, Kowloon.

7.4 Competition Fixtures: 9th October 2023 (Mon)
 Competition fixtures and reporting time will be uploaded to the website of the HKSSF. Participating schools please download fixtures from the web.

8. Others

- 8.1 Hong Kong Badminton Association rules will be adopted unless otherwise specified.
- 8.2 Apart from the above mentioned, other rules and regulations will be followed with reference to the Secondary Schools General Information Booklet 2023-2024 issued by the Hong Kong Island & Kowloon Regional Committee and the New Territories Regional Committee.

8.3 Shuttlecocks (RSL Tourney#1) will be provided for competition.

- 8.4 Uniform:
 - 8.4.1 Players should wear short-sleeved shirt with sports shorts or pants and they also have exemption from the uniform requirement in General Rules of Sports Competition 7.4, i.e. it is not necessary for all team players to dress in identical uniform with same colour and same style.

8.4.2 <u>The shirts shall be bearing school name / abbreviation / badge, which should be sewn or stenciled permanently.</u>

- 8.4.3 In general, please refer to General Rules of Sports Competition item 7
- 8.5 All participants must report at venue according to reporting time. Failing to play at the scheduled time will lead to a walk-over.
- 8.6 Due to disciplinary and safety measures, each participant school should assign a staff member or an authorized Team Manager (Non-staff member) to accompany the participants until the end of the competitions and he/she should take full responsibility of the conduct of the participants and their supporters both on and off the courts. The application of authorized Team Manager (Non-staff member) must be submitted online at least 4 working days prior to the Team Manager's assumption of duty. (https://star.hkssf.org.hk/login)
- 8.7 Entry receipts and athlete certificates will be posted within a month after the Tournament finishes.
- 8.8 The Organizing Committee has full right to make amendments on any matters when necessary.

9. Hong Kong Schools Team Competition

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| ISF Gymnasiade 2024 | | |
| Date: | 23-31 Oct 2024 (Tentative) | |
| Place: | Manama, Bahrain | |
| Event: | (TBC) | |
| Team Composition: | (TBC) | |
| Criteria: | Full-time students of the HKSSF member secondary schools with HKSSF Student Athlete Registration Card of 2023-2024 for Selection & 2024-2025 for Competitions; | |

2. Born in 2006-2008 (To be Confirmed) ;

| | | 3. | Resided in Hong Kong for a minimum of 3 years and holding a valid Hong Kong |
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| | | 4. | Identity Document ; According to HKSSF By-Laws & Rules 1.4, transfer student without valid Student Athlete Registration Card would NOT be allowed to participate in the Selection Trial / Competition. |
| Formation of Team : (TBC) | | 1. | Top 2 winners of each category of All HK Schools Jing Ying Badminton Tournament 2023-2024 will be selected to the team and participate in the Games; |
| | | 2. | Any vacancies from pt. 1 will only be filled up in order by $3^{rd} - 4^{th}$ places respectively; |
| | | 3. | Remaining quota will be decided by a Selection Trial ; |
| | | 4. | Details of Selection Trial will be announced in due course. |
| 10. | Enquiry | | |
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