

# DEADLINE DATES FOR ESFA NATIONAL CUP COMPETITIONS

SEASON 2022-2023



## INTER-SCHOOL AND COLLEGE COMPETITIONS

Competition Title	Deadline Date	Half Term										Christmas Holidays					Half Term													
	03 September	10 September	17 September	24 September	01 October	08 October	15 October	22 October	29 October	05 November	12 November	19 November	26 November	03 December	10 December	17 December	24 December	31 December	07 January	14 January	21 January	28 January	04 February	11 February	18 February	25 February	04 March	11 March	18 March	25 March
PlayStation U12 9v9 Schools' Cup (Boys)					1		2				3		4		5				6		7				8		9			
PlayStation U12 9v9 Schools' Cup (B Teams)						1						2		3		3			4		4		5		6		7			
PlayStation U12 9v9 Elite Schools' Cup				1						2				3						4		4		5		5				
PlayStation U12 9v9 Small Schools' Cup (Boys)					1						2			3				4			4		5			6				
PlayStation U12 9v9 Schools' Cup (Girls)							1				2			3					4		5		6			7		8		
PlayStation U13 Schools' Cup (Boys)				1		2				3		4		5				6		7		7		8		9				
PlayStation U13 Schools' Cup (B Teams)					1					2			3					4			4		5		6		7			
PlayStation U13 Elite Schools' Cup					1					2				3								4		4		5				
PlayStation U13 Small Schools' Cup (Boys)						1					2			3					4			4		5			6			
PlayStation U13 Schools' Cup (Girls)					1		2				3			4					5		5		6		7		8			
PlayStation U14 Schools' Cup (Boys)					1		2				3		4		5				6		6		7		8		9			
PlayStation U14 Schools' Cup (B Teams)						1						2			3				4			4		5		6		7		
PlayStation U14 Elite Schools' Cup (Boys)				1						2				3							4		4		5					
PlayStation U14 Small Schools' Trophy (Boys)					1						2			3					4			4		5		6				
PlayStation U14 Schools' Cup (Girls)				1		2				3			4						5		5		6		7		8			
PlayStation U15 Schools' Cup (Boys)				1		2				3		4		5					6		6		7		8		9			
PlayStation U15 Schools' Cup (B Teams)					1					2			3						4			4		5		6		7		
PlayStation U15 Elite Schools' Cup (Boys)					1					2				3								4		4		5				
PlayStation U15 Small Schools' Cup (Boys)						1					2			3					4			4		5			6			
PlayStation U15 Schools' Cup (Girls)					1		2				3			4					5		5		6		7		8			
U16 Schools' Cup (Boys)					1		2				3		4		5				6		6		7		8		9			
U16 Schools' Cup (B Teams)						1						2			3				4			4		5		6		7		
U16 Elite Schools' Cup (Boys)				1						2				3							4		4		5					
U16 Small Schools' Cup (Boys)					1						2			3					4			4		5		6				
U16 Schools' Cup (Girls)				1		2				3			4						5		5		6		7		8			
U18 Schools' Trophy (Boys)				1		2				3		4		5					6		6		7		8		9			
U18 Schools' Trophy (B Teams)					1						2			3					4			4		5		6		7		
U18 Schools' Trophy (Girls)						1				2				3						4			4		5					
U18 Super League (Boys)				G1		G2				G3		G4		G5					K1		K2				K3		K4			
U18 Super League (Girls)					G1		G2				G3		G4		G5							K1		K2				K3		K4



## CHAMPIONS' CUP – INTER-ASSOCIATION COMPETITIONS

Competition Title	Deadline Date	03 September	10 September	17 September	24 September	01 October	08 October	15 October	22 October	29 October	05 November	12 November	19 November	26 November	03 December	10 December	17 December	24 December	31 December	07 January	14 January	21 January	28 January	04 February	11 February	18 February	25 February	04 March	11 March	18 March	25 March	01 April	08 April			
U11 7-a-side Primary Cups									Half Term						D		Christmas Holidays						C		Half Term									R		
U12 Indoor Football Fives															D									A												
U12 9v9 Inter District Cup (Boys)					G1		G2					G3		G4		G5							K1			K2					K3				K4	
U12 9v9 Inter District Cup (Girls)					G2		G2					G3		G4		G5							K1			K2					K3				K4	
U13 Inter District Cup (Boys)					G1		G2					G3		G4		G5							K1			K2					K3				K4	
U13 Inter District Cup (Girls)					G1		G2					G3		G4		G5							K1			K2					K3				K4	
U14 Inter District Cup (Boys)				G1			G2					G3		G4		G5							K1			K2				K3			K4			
U15 Inter District Cup (Boys)				G1			G2					G3		G4		G5							K1			K2				K3			K4			
U14 Inter County Cup (Boys)					G1		G2					G3		G4		G5							K1			K2				K3			K4			
U14 Inter County Cup (Girls)							G1					G2				G3							G4				G5					K1			K2	
U16 Inter County Cup (Boys)					G1		G2					G3		G4		G5							K1			K2				K3			K4			
U16 Inter County Cup (Girls)							G1					G2				G3							G4				G5					K1			K2	
U18 Inter County Cup (Boys)					G1		G2					G3		G4		G5							K1			K2				K3			K4			

Denotes Girls' FA RTC Open Weekend Dates. Round 3 of the knockout phase of the Girls' Inter County Cups will be played on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May, if any groups of 5 teams are required

**Key**  
 D = District Round Nomination Date      C = County Round Nomination Date  
 R = Regional Round Fixtures              A = Area Rounds to be completed  
 G = Group Fixture Play-on Date          K = Knockout Cup Play-on Date

Notes:

- In Inter-County Cup competitions, where associations are drawn into groups of 4 teams, only 3 play-on dates will be required to complete the group phase. However, the number of entries may dictate that some groups of 5 teams are required, in which case, 5 play-on dates will be required to complete the group phase
- In Inter-District Cup competitions, associations will be drawn into groups of 5 teams, but the number of entries may dictate that some groups of 4 or 6 teams are required
- Those teams finishing in 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the group phase will qualify to compete in the KO rounds of the Champions' Cup. Those that finish in 3<sup>rd</sup> place and below will all qualify to compete in the Plate Cup
- Representative fixtures for ESFA Inter County and Inter District Cup competitions have been scheduled for different weekends to avoid a clash for players which may be involved in both categories of football
- ESFA has allocated a 3-week gap in between fixtures except for those played between October half term and Christmas

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