

2019
SCHOOL
GAMES

Year 5/6 Sportshall Athletics Competition

Tuesday 19th March 2019

Venue - Eastlands Indoor Track

Competition Pathway.

- 1 Intra-School and UKA Awards**
In partnership with UK Athletics and England Schools the Sportshall Awards allow teachers to deliver, test, and reward all children across the Sportshall activities. Excel Scoring programs can monitor progress and be used for virtual competition, for more information visit <http://www.sportshall.org/primary/primary-sportshall/primary-sportshall-awards>

NB. An athlete can only represent their school in one event at the Greater Manchester School Games County Finals

- 2 SGO Area/Borough Event**
Open to all schools in the area/borough with the winning school from each borough being invited to the School Games County Final

- 3 Greater Manchester School Games County Final**
This stage of the competition is organised by the Sportshall team and comprises of 20 schools representing the 10 boroughs of Greater Manchester

Teams

Players must be from year 5 and/or year 6
Teams should have a minimum of 9 girls and 9 boys and a maximum of 15 girls and 15 boys
Athletes can compete in a maximum of 2 track and 2 field events

Competition Format

Track

1 + 1 Lap Relay
2 + 2 Lap Relay
6 Lap Paarlaf

Each requires 2 girls and 2 boys

Obstacle Relay
Over/Under Relay
4 x 1 Lap Relay

Each requires 4 girls and 4 boys

Field

Chest Push
Soft Javelin
Speed Bounce
Standing Long Jump
Standing Triple Jump
Vertical Jump

Each requires 3 girls and 3 boys

Competition Scoring

The emphasis is upon team participation rather than individual success. Whilst being able to record each athlete's times/distances, it is the overall team score that will be counted.

Track Events

The order teams finish each race is recorded, times can be noted alongside this. Points are awarded based on position, 1st place will be awarded 40 points, 2nd place 38 points etc (for 20 teams).

Field Events

3 girls and 3 boys will contest each event with individual scores being recorded but the best try of each child is added together to create a team total which determines team position and points. The scoring sheets will calculate positions and can be found here:

<http://www.sportshall.org/primary/primary-sportshall/primary-sportshall-competition>

Rules

All rules can be found here:
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Fair Play

The ideals of good sportsmanship and respect should permeate throughout all competitive and recreational sport. They are displayed by someone who abides by the rules of a contest, respects their opponents and accepts victory or defeat graciously.



Entry deadline Friday 1st March

If you enter past this deadline your school will not appear in pre-press material

Health & Safety

Before all matches this must be read and adhered to: Players can't play if they are barefoot or in unsuitable footwear.

No jewellery to be worn.

All loose clothing must be tucked in and shoelaces tied.

No chewing gum or sweets.

Players should bring plenty of drinks.

All players are advised to warm up appropriately before each match.

When not competing, players must remain off the court and not get in the way or distract officials

Medical supplies that players may need should be brought with them on the day i.e. asthma inhalers.

All team teachers must ensure their pupils are under adult supervision at all times, even when playing.

Please ensure students have been briefed on health and safety.



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