

## Football

- Matches shall be played according to the rules of FIFA as adopted from time to time by the All India Football Federation unless otherwise modified.
- The duration of each match shall be **70 minutes (35-5-35)**. During the league stage, after the expiry of play-time, if the tie still persists, the points shall be shared equally.
- Every team shall submit a list of players, **not exceeding 16**, who may participate in the tournament. Not more than 16 certificates shall be awarded to a team.
- In the event of a draw at the end of a knockout game, no extra time will be allotted; we will directly go for penalty shootouts.
- The yellow cards given during the league stages won't be counted further in knockout stages.
- A team will be awarded 3 points for a win, 1 for draw, and zero points for a lost match.
- In case of tie, goal differences (i.e. Goals FOR minus Goals AGAINST) of all the matches played by the team shall be considered. If the tie still persists, the number of goals 'FOR' throughout the tournament shall be considered: If tie still persists, number of goals 'AGAINST' throughout the tournament shall be considered.