



Stride Active Competitions

2023/24 School Partnership

More young
people
taking part
in fun,
meaningful
competition.

"The competition package includes lots of fantastic, varied, inclusive opportunities for the children to experience interschool competition through a range of well planned and organised events."

Riverside Primary School- Competition Member 2022/23

"We like the mixture of open and targeted events. It has allowed more opportunity for those who don't usually have the chance to represent the school to do so."

Kingsland Primary School- Competition Member since 2021/22

"As a school, we highly encourage the values festivals within our school. However, we feel that the competition package, also allows our more able pupils to take part in events. [The children have] thoroughly thrived and gained more confidence from taking part in the activities."

Weobley Primary School - Competition Member since 2021/22

We know that taking part in competitions and festivals can be a really positive experience for a young person.

It allows them to compete and represent their school, whilst contributing to their social development and enabling them to develop teamwork skills, communication and respect for others.

As the focus of the School Games continues to be placed on targeted groups of pupils, Stride Active competitions will provide opportunities for localised competitions, open to any young person. This will ensure that a greater number of young people can represent their school in sport. The competitions will focus on teamwork, enjoyment and other sporting values, designed to suit the needs of your area.

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Stride Active Competitions

- All-year round competitions
- 5 inter-school competitions per area
- 1 netball league per area, with county final
- Opportunities for A, B & C teams
- Areas will be able to tailor the sports, age groups and type of competition

Competitions will take place throughout the school year.

There will be competitions in the north, city and south areas of Herefordshire (minimum number required). Schools will decide on the competitions in their areas at the start of the academic year.

£450

Sports options:

Tag Rugby, Netball, Basketball, Tennis, Girls Football, Hockey, Rounders, Dodgeball, Frisbee, Sportshall Athletics, & Multiskills festivals.

New for 2023/24

Netball league

- All schools signed up will be placed in their own mini league with other local schools (north, city and south).
- There will be play by dates for you to get your league fixtures played by.
- Schools will send results to Stride Active after each fixture, who will manage the online league table.
- Winners of the leagues will then qualify for the next stage.
- There will be a grand final tournament at a neutral venue.

How will the sports & age groups be decided?

Once we know how many schools are in each area, we will bring you all together to decide on the competitions that you would like your young people to take part in. We will also decide on year groups at this point. This will be bespoke to each area/group of schools.

How many schools do we need to run a competition in an area?

There will need to be a minimum of 6 schools in each geographical area. If we do not have enough schools in your area to host competitions, you may be invited to join another area if you are able and willing to travel. Alternatively, if you are already part of a group of schools why not join up together?

Can I still access School Games competitions?

Yes, these competitions will be in addition to the competitions we run as part of School Games and will target different young people.

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How often will the competitions run?

Competitions will be spaced out across the year. Dates will be decided by schools in your area.

Where will the competitions run?

Where possible, inter-school competitions will take place at high school venues. League fixtures will take place within your own schools.

How many children can attend a competition?

This will depend on the activity and also the venue. Once the competitions have been decided and we know how many schools are in your area, we will be in a better position to establish numbers.

Who will run the competitions?

Stride Active will manage and run the inter-school competitions and county netball final. We will be using young leaders to support with the running and officiating of events. This is a great opportunity for them to develop their skills but please be aware that this could be new to them.

Sign-up!

To access additional competition opportunities for young people in your school, please get in touch!

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Or simply head to
www.strideactive.org/competitions/
to sign-up!



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