



EXAMPLE TIMINGS / FORMAT FOR A MINI TENNIS COMPETITION

4 TEAMS / 2 HOURS

This example is based on the following:

- Four teams taking part, in one box of four.
- Four Mini Tennis Courts are available.
- Timed Tennis format is being used.
- Each match lasts 10 minutes, however 15 minute slots are allocated to allow for change over.
- The total time available is 2 hours, based on: 1pm – 3pm.

Blue Group	Team A	Team B	Team C	Team D
Team A				
Team B				
Team C				
Team D				

Matches:

A v B C v D
 A v C D v B
 A v D B v C

TIME:	ACTIVITY:
Pre 1:00pm	Teams arrive & sign-in
1:00pm – 1:15pm	Introductions, warm-up and explain rules / format
1:15pm – 1:30pm	Blue Group – A v B
1:30pm – 1:45pm	Blue Group – C v D
1:45pm – 2:00pm	Blue Group – A v C
2:00pm – 2:15pm	Blue Group – D v B
2:15pm – 2:30pm	Blue Group – A v D
2:30pm – 2:45pm	Blue Group – B v C
2:45pm – 3:00pm	Catch – up time / presentations

Considerations:

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- If you have a shorter amount of time available, you can shorten the length of matches.



EXAMPLE TIMINGS / FORMAT FOR A MINI TENNIS COMPETITION

5 TEAMS / 2 HOURS

This example is based on the following:

- Five teams taking part, in one box of five.
- Four Mini Tennis Courts are available.
- Timed Tennis format is being used.
- Each match lasts 8 minutes, however, 10 minute slots are allocated to allow for change over.
- The total time available is 2 hours, based on: 1pm – 3pm.

Blue Group	Team A	Team B	Team C	Team D	Team E
Team A					
Team B					
Team C					
Team D					
Team E					

Matches:

A v B	C v D
C v A	E v B
E v C	D v A
D v E	B v C
B v D	A v E

TIME:	ACTIVITY:
Pre 1:00pm	Teams arrive & sign-in
1:00pm – 1:15pm	Introductions, warm-up and explain rules / format
8 minute matches 10 minute slots to allow for changeover, etc	Blue Group – A v B Blue Group – C v D
	Blue Group – C v A Blue Group – E v B
	Blue Group – E v C Blue Group – D v A
	Blue Group – D v E Blue Group – B v C
	Blue Group – B v D Blue Group – A v E
2:50pm – 3:00pm	Catch – up time / presentations

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EXAMPLE TIMINGS / FORMAT FOR A MINI TENNIS COMPETITION

6 TEAMS / 2 HOURS

This example is based on the following:

- Six teams taking part, split into two boxes of three.
- Four Mini Tennis Courts are available.
- Timed Tennis format is being used.
- Each match lasts 8 minutes, however 10 minute slots are allocated to allow for change over.
- The total time available is 2 hours, based on: 1pm – 3pm.

Blue Group	Team A	Team B	Team C
Team A			
Team B			
Team C			

Matches:

A v B
C v A
B v C

Red Group	Team A	Team B	Team C
Team A			
Team B			
Team C			

Matches:

A v B
C v A
B v C

TIME:	ACTIVITY:
1:00pm	Teams arrive & sign-in
1:15pm – 1:30pm	Introductions, warm-up and explain rules / format
8 minute matches 10 minute slots to allow for changeover, etc	Blue Group – A v B Red Group – A v B
	Blue Group – C v A Red Group – C v A
	Blue Group – B v C Red Group – B v C
2:30pm	Play off final – Red Group winners v Blue Group winners
2:40pm – 2:50pm	Catch – up time
2:50pm – 3:00pm	Presentations

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EXAMPLE TIMINGS / FORMAT FOR A MINI TENNIS COMPETITION

7 TEAMS / 2 HOURS

This example is based on the following:

- Seven teams taking part, split into two boxes of three and four.
- Four Mini Tennis Courts are available.
- Timed Tennis format is being used.
- Each match lasts 7 minutes, however 9 minute slots are allocated to allow for change over.
- The total time available is 2 hours, based on: 1pm – 3pm.

Blue Group	Team A	Team B	Team C	Team D
Team A				
Team B				
Team C				
Team D				

Matches:

A v B
A v C
A v D
C v D
D v B
B v C

Red Group	Team A	Team B	Team C
Team A			
Team B			
Team C			

Matches:

A v B
C v A
B v C

TIME:

ACTIVITY:

Pre 1:00pm

Teams arrive & sign-in

1:00pm – 1:15pm

Introductions, warm-up and explain rules / format

7 minute matches 9
minute slots to allow
for changeover, etc

Red Group – A v B
Blue Group – C v D
Blue Group – A v C
Red Group – B v C
Blue Group – B v C

Blue Group – A v B
Red Group – C v A
Blue Group – D v B
Blue Group – A v D

2:35pm

Play off final –
Red Group winners v Blue Group winners

2:45pm

Catch – up time

2:50pm

Presentations

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8 TEAMS / 2 HOURS

This example is based on the following:

- Eight teams taking part, split into two boxes of four.
- Four Mini Tennis Courts are available.
- Timed Tennis format is being used.
- Each match lasts 5 minutes, however 7 minute slots are allocated to allow for change over.
- The total time available is 2 hours, based on: 1pm – 3pm.

Blue Group	Team A	Team B	Team C	Team D
Team A				
Team B				
Team C				
Team D				

Matches:

A v B
 A v C
 A v D
 C v D
 D v B
 B v C

Red Group	Team A	Team B	Team C	Team D
Team A				
Team B				
Team C				
Team D				

Matches:

A v B
 A v C
 A v D
 C v D
 D v B
 B v C

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Pre 1:00pm	Teams arrive & sign-in	
1:00pm – 1:15pm	Introductions, warm-up and explain rules / format	
5 minute matches 7 minute slots to allow for changeover, etc	Blue Group – A v B	Red Group – A v B
	Blue Group – C v D	Red Group – C v D
	Blue Group – A v C	Red Group – A v C
	Blue Group – D v B	Red Group – D v B
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2:45pm	Catch – up time	
2:50pm	Presentations	

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Team B					
Team C					
Team D					
Team E					

Matches:

A v B D v E E v B A v E
 C v A B v D D v A
 E v C C v D B v C

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1:45pm – 2:00pm	Blue Group C v A
2:00pm – 2:15pm	Blue Group E v B
2:15pm – 2:30pm	Blue Group E v C
2:30pm – 2:45pm	Blue Group D v A
2:45pm – 3:00pm	Blue Group D v E
3:00pm – 3:15pm	Blue Group B v C
3:15pm – 3:30pm	Blue Group B v D
3:30pm – 3:45pm	Blue Group A v E
3:45pm – 3:50pm	Catch – up time / presentations
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Team B			
Team C			

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Team B			
Team C			

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Team B				
Team C				
Team D				

Matches:

A v B
A v C
A v D
C v D
D v B
B v C

Red Group	Team A	Team B	Team C
Team A			
Team B			
Team C			

Matches:

A v B
C v A
B v C

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1:30pm – 1:45pm	Blue Group – A v B
1:45pm – 2:00pm	Blue Group – C v D
2:00pm – 2:15pm	Red Group – C v A
2:15pm – 2:30pm	Blue Group – A v C
2:30pm – 2:45pm	Blue Group – D v B
2:45pm – 3:00pm	Red Group – B v C
3:00pm – 3:15pm	Blue Group – A v D
3:15pm – 3:30pm	Blue Group – B v C
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Team B				
Team C				
Team D				

Matches:

A v B
 A v C
 A v D
 C v D
 D v B
 B v C

Red Group	Team A	Team B	Team C	Team D
Team A				
Team B				
Team C				
Team D				

Matches:

A v B
 A v C
 A v D
 C v D
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2:20pm – 2:30pm	Red Group – A v C
2:30pm – 2:40pm	Blue Group – D v B
2:40pm – 2:50pm	Red Group – D v B
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