

# Cricket Rules

- Matches shall be played according to the ICC rules in force, as adopted from time to time by the Board of Control for Cricket in India, unless otherwise modified.
- All the matches will be conducted on league cum knockout basis and each side is allowed to complete 20 overs unless the opposing team is dismissed earlier. Each bowler can bowl a maximum of 4 overs. The semi-finals and finals also will be of 20 overs.
- The bowling team is given 2 hours to complete its quota of 20 overs. The penalty for every short over will be decided by the all captains prior to the meet.
- No spike shoes will be used by the players.
- If there is a tie, the team having the better run rate shall be considered for deciding placing.
- The umpires are empowered to rearrange the number of overs by each side in the event of a delayed start or if play is suspended. The number of overs for the team batting second will not be reduced if the team batting first has been dismissed in fewer than agreed number of overs.
- Each college shall submit a list of players not exceeding sixteen who may participate in the tournament. Not more than 16 certificates shall be awarded to a team.
- Rules regarding the postponement of cricket match due to rain
  - When rain affects play during the innings of the first team itself, the match will be continued, from where it has been discontinued. The umpires will decide whether the ground is fit for play or not.
  - When rain affects the play during the innings of the second team batting and if the team batting second has not yet batted for half the number of overs, the match will be manned as in "i".
  - If the team batting second has batted for more than half the overs and if further play is not possible on the same day, the winner is decided to be the team with better scoring rate at the particular point where and when the second team stopped batting.

## Format

The format of a Twenty20 match is quite similar to normal limited-overs match, only the number of overs for batting is just twenty, just as the name of the game suggests. The game is played between two teams, each of them having a single innings of 20 overs. In the context of Twenty20 cricket, there is a visual difference as well, though it is a pretty minor one. In T20, members of the batting team do not arrive from/retire to traditional dressing rooms. Rather, they have a bench, mainly a row of chairs, visibly in the playing arena, used for coming and going purposes.

## General Regulations:-

- We'll be conducting matches with white balls so its mandatory for every team to wear coloured outfits on fields.
- In case of heavy rain, decision taken by umpires will be considered as final.
- In case of any discrepancy during finals or semi-finals, winner will be decided on the basis of points tally of league matches STRICTLY .
- Teams are requested to report the ground 15 minutes before the scheduled start time.
- Walkover will be given to a team if the opponent team is not able to reach the ground within 15 minutes of the scheduled time.
- If there would be need of applying D/L rules, Umpire's decision will be final.

- No team shall argue with umpires in any case. it could lead to cancellation of team registration and no refunds will be given. it could also attract proper disciplinary actions against the team.
- All the matches are to be played on turf wicket.
- No extra labour will be provided for any team help.

**\*\*RULES & SCHEDULE ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE IN THE SPIRIT OF THE GAME & FESTIVAL AND THE FINAL DECISION RESTS WITH THE *SANGRAM* ORGANIZING TEAM**