

ISTANBUL KENT UNIVERSITY RECTORATE CUP INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT

- a) The team rosters consist of at least 6 and at most 10 players. (Each team should be formed in such a way that the number of men and women on the field and on the bench is equal.)
- **(b)** Only one licensed athlete in volleyball can be included in each team.
- (c) Official referees take part in matches; yellow and red card rules apply. A disqualified player cannot play throughout the tournament.
- e) Before the start of the competition, the teams must provide the list of the players with a wet signature to the technical officer in charge of the match no later than 15 minutes before the start of the competition.
- (e) Players participate in the matches with the jersey numbers indicated in the team lists given before the tournament. Numbers must be written on the front of the jerseys.
- (f) After the team lists have been submitted by the Organizing Committee, changes cannot be made to the team roster.
- g) The team captain is responsible for the team during the matches.
- (d) Any unsportsmanlike conduct (swearing, fighting) is the reason for disqualification from the tournament. In the matches of the teams which are disqualified from the tournament, the status of score is forfeited.
- h) Students, academic and administrative staff can take part in the same team.
- i) Teams will apply with a special team name of their own choosing. This specific name may be a Turkish or a foreign word, but names, which contain a political message and swear words, are contrary to law and morality, may offend a person or an institution, etc, cannot be chosen. İstanbul Kent University will not be liable for damages to persons and institutions stemming from the names which are decided in a way that an ordinary person pays maximum attention to but still cannot notice. İstanbul Kent University reserves the right of revocation against the team that has caused damage.
- (j) The team names that the Organizing Committee does not find appropriate are changed, otherwise said teams cannot take part in competitions.
- k) The tournament procedure will be determined by the Committee according to the number of participating teams.



GAME RULES

- a) The rules of the game determined by the Turkish Volleyball Federation apply.
- **b)** Sportsmanlike conduct is essential in the tournament.
- c) The match is won by the team that wins 2 (two) sets.
- d) A set is won by the first team to reach 25 points by a difference of at least 2 points. If there is an equality of 24-24 in the scores, the game continues until the two-point difference is reached (26-24, 27-25, etc.).
- e) The rest period between the two halves (halftime) and the intervals cannot exceed 5 (five) minutes.
- f) In each set, there is the right to an interval (30 sec.). Only the captain in the game has the right to talk to the referees when the ball is out of bounds. He/she can request an interval.
- g) In matches, 2 (two) points are given to the winning team (resulting in 2-0), 1 (one) point is given to the defeated team (resulting in 2-1). In competitions that end in a 2-0 score, points are not given to the defeated team.
- d) The team that has not played 2 (two) matches during the tournament is disqualified from the tournament. The results of the matches the team played priorly remain valid. The remaining matches are scored as 2-0 (two-zero) against said team.
- h) Teams are present on the field 15 minutes before the match time. A team that fails to complete a minimum match roster of 6 (six) people within 15 minutes of the start time of the match cannot enter the competition and is considered forfeited with a 2-0 (two-zero) score.
- i) 2-point scoring system of the Volleyball Federation will be applied.
- j) The team that wins the final match becomes the Tournament Champion. The gold medal will be presented to the winning team, the silver medal to the runner-up and the bronze medal to the third. In addition, a "fair play" award will be presented to a team at the end of the tournament.

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