

Auckland Term 1 Tennis

Entry Information 2024

Dates

Grade	Season Dates	Entries Close	Playing Day	Playing Times
Premier, A2 Boys & Girls	Wednesday 7 th February – 13 th March	31 st January	Wednesday	4.15pm
A3, Senior B, Junior A & B Girls & Boys	Saturday 17 th – 23 rd March	7 th February (12:00pm)	Saturday	8.15am or 10.15am

Venues

Home and Away school venues or school booked courts.

School venues will be used to accommodate other team games.

Any schools with requests regarding court usage or time allocation need to notify College Sport at the time of entry.

Entries

- Entries must be submitted online via EnterNOW
- College Sport will invoice schools once the season has begun.
- Teams withdrawn after the entry closing date will still be liable for the entry fee.

Registration

Premier, A2 & Junior A Grades - All teams entered are required to register their team lists for grading purposes. Tennis rankings will be gathered from Tennis NZ Match Hub which will determine which grade your team will be compete in based on the teams overall ranking.

Teams that qualify for the Premier Grade will be required to register their team list on EnterNow under Premier registration tab. A request to complete these team lists will sent to schools after rankings are gathered.

Age Groups

There are separate Boys and Girls grades for all age groups.

Junior: U15 on the 1st January in the current year Senior: U19 on the 1st January in the current year

Grades

Premier & A2 Boys & Girls:

A3 Boys & Girls:

Senior B Boys & Girls:

Junior A Boys & Girls:

Rankings based on the top 4 players
6 players and Zonal where possible
7 Rankings based on the top 6 players
8 Rankings based on the top 6 players
9 Premier & A2 Boys & Girls:
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Premier & A2

- Teams will consist of 4 players
- Play the best of three sets, first to 4 games
- Both singles and doubles normal advantage.
- In singles and doubles at 3-all the first to 5 will win the set. If 4-all a 12-point tiebreaker to be played (first to 7 with a margin of 2). The third set to be a super tiebreaker (first to 10 with a margin of 2).
- Premier & Senior A Grade will always be based on configure rankings for the top 8 teams. No more than two teams from one school in the Top 8
- Results sheets need to be submitted to College Sport via email to <u>school.sport@collegesport.co.nz</u>.
 Please put 'premier tennis' in the subject line of email.
- Premier & A2 Grade result sheets are available on the CSA website under <u>Tennis > Information</u>
- Players whose rankings are used to determine seeding will be required to play at least 75% of matches in the competition. If not, teams will not be eligible to play for finals.

A3, Senior B, Junior A & B Grades

Matches are played according to the normal rules of tennis. All matches are of one set with a tie-breaker at 6-all.

Rules

Please refer to the College Sport Auckland Rules & Bylaws page on our website.

General

Draws and results can be found on the College Sport website <u>www.collegesport.co.nz</u>. Results can be entered online via SportsRunner.