

Scottish Cricket – Competition Rules (2022 changes v 2021 in bold and underlined)



Rule	Scottish Cup	Eastern Premiership	S&PCU Championship	ESCA Championship	WDCU - Premier & First Division	ACA Grades	Nosca
Scottish Qualified	No rule.	Minimum 7.	No rule.	No rule.	No rule.	No rule.	No rule.
Balls	Lords pink, <u>2 per innings</u>	<u>Magna pink, 2 per innings.</u>	Dukes red.	Readers red.	<u>Lords RCC or Oxbridge Windsor, Premier Div – pink (1 x per innings), First Div - red</u>	Dukes red	
Wides	Legside - strict. Offside - guideline.	Legside - strict. Offside - guideline.	Legside - strict. Offside - strict, 17" line.	Legside - Profile. Offside - guideline.	Legside - strict. Offside - guideline.	Laws of Cricket	Legside - strict. Offside – Laws of Cricket
Overs per bowler	Max 10 overs.	Max 10 overs.	Max 9 overs. 45 overs / side.	Max 10 overs.	Max 10 overs.	Max 8 overs. (40)	Max 8 overs. (40)
Powerplays	Over 1-10 ; max 2 outside 30 yard circle 11-40 : max 4 outside 41-50 : max 5 outside	Over 1-10 ; max 2 outside 30 yard circle 11-40 : max 4 outside 41-50 : max 5 outside	Initial 13 overs with max 2 fielders outside 30 y 14 - 45 : max 5 outside.	Over 1-10 ; max 2 outside 30 yard circle 11-40 : max 4 outside 41-50 : max 5 outside	Over 1-10 ; max 2 outside 30 yard circle 11-40 : max 4 outside 41-50 : max 5 outside	None 30 yard circle Max 5 outside Max 5 leg	None
Free Hit	Yes - all No Balls.	Yes - all No Balls.	Yes - all No Balls.	Yes - all No Balls.	Yes - all No Balls.	None	Yes - all No Balls.
Over head height	Wide	Wide	No Ball as Laws	Wide	Wide	No Ball as Laws	No Ball as Laws
Above Shoulder	No Ball if >2 per over.	No Ball if >2 per over.	No rule.	No Ball if >2 per over.	No Ball if >2 per over.	No rule.	No rule.
Interrupted games	Duckworth Lewis Stern V4.0.	Duckworth Lewis Stern V4.0.	Normally 1pm start. No restart after 8.30pm. Short game:20,25,30,35,40 overs, 5 overs per 22.5 mins. Calculator >20ovs of 2nd inngs. >15 (30/35), >10(20/25)	7.40 (8.10 if 1pm) end game. Short game: 30,35,40,45 overs. And / or reduce 2nd inns by 5ovs per 20mins. 30 ovs=Min 2hrs left. Rules state X% target for win. Calculator >20ovs of 2nd innings.	Duckworth Lewis Stern V4.0.	Normally 1pm start. No restart after 8.00pm. Short game:20,25,30,35. Reduce inns by 5ovs per 20mins. Cricket stats rain calculator	12 noon. Delay 40 mins at start no reduction. Short game:20,25,30,35. Reduce inns by 5ovs per 20mins. Rain calculator. No start after 2 hrs abandon
Teas	<u>Notify by prior Tuesday.</u>	<u>Provided - as pre Covid.</u>	<u>Clubs expected to provide.</u>	<u>Each club decides preseason.</u>	<u>Bring your own.</u>	<u>Bring your own.</u>	<u>Bring your own.</u>
Points	Not applicable to Cup.	<u>Win - 25 points. Losing side bonus points from 2nd inngs only. 2,4,6,8 points if batting (60,70,80,90% of 1st inngs) OR 2,4,6,8 points if bowling (2,4,6,8 wickets taken).</u>	Win - 25 points. For losing side, up to 7 batting points (every 25 runs from 75 to 225), up to 7 bowling points (1,3,5,7,9 plus 2 for 10th wicket).	Win - 20 points. For losing side, up to 5 batting points (every 25 runs from 100 to 200) and up to 5 bowling points (1,3,5,7,9 wickets).	Win - 25 points. Losing side bonus points from 2nd inngs only.1,3,5,7,9 points if batting (60%,70%,80%,90%,95% of 1st inngs) OR 1,3,5,7,9 if bowling (for 3,5,7,8,9 wickets taken).	Win 30 pts. Bonus points. For losing side, up to 10 batting points (every 15 runs from 40) Bowling 1 point per wicket	Win - 20 points. For losing side, up to 5 batting points (every 25 runs from 75) and up to 5 bowling points (2,4,6,8,10 wickets).
Points deduction:							
No scorer	Not applicable to Cup.	1st default - no sanction.	No sanction.	> 2 defaults, 2pts per game.	5 pts if no home scorer.	No sanction.	No sanction.
Slow over rate	Not applicable to Cup.	1pt if over time, e.g. 3h20m.	1pt per over >time eg 3hrs.	1pt per over >time, eg 3h20m.	1pt per over >time, eg 3h20m.	1pt per over >time eg 3hrs.	No sanction.
Match Reporting	WTU online match and pitch reports by end of Monday.	By end of Sunday WTU online match & pitch reports. <u>Teamsheets to CS.</u>	WTU online pitch /discipline report, mileage exp claim.	WTU online match / pitch report by end of Wednesday.	Online reports via WTU. No deadline stated.	WTU online pitch /discipline report, mileage exp claim.	WTU online pitch /discipline report, mileage exp claim.