



SSNL Foundation Sport Application

Foundation Sport is the introductory phase of any sport wishing to become a part of the SSNL Varsity Program and also for any sport that is not meeting the Official Sport status level, to drop back down to, until the criteria to move back up is once again met.

The object of this level is to literally lay down a foundation, or in the case of being relegated, rebuild a foundation of interest in the sport on a regional basis. It is also meant to develop and foster that interest into more participation and eventually reach consistent enough participation levels to move into becoming an SSNL Official Sport.

Most Importantly, the sport should be one that can be developed within the school system and preferably have some ties to the school curriculum. The sport must also be one that fits into the philosophy of SSNL.

Please see below and Submit along with a draft of the Sport Technical Standards to sconnolly@schoolsportsnl.ca by May 1st.

(Note: Schools are encouraged to apply much earlier, so they have the opportunity to put off a sample tournament using their proposed technical standards and gather feedback and data, which can greatly benefit the sport starting off in the most effective way should the application be successful). Any questions email Sean Connolly or call 709-729-3447.

Name: _____

Email: _____

School: _____

Sport: _____

Gender Divisions:

Girls _____

Boys _____

Co-Ed _____



Sport Technical Standards

Each SSNL Sport has a Technical Standards that governs and/or highlights its sport rules. If SSNL already has an existing sport that is very similar to the sport for which you are applying then make sure you review those standards. If not, then look at our existing Tech Standards for any Sport that might be run similar to see our existing layout and format. These can be found on our web site on each sport page at www.schoolsportsnl.ca.

Following our format submit a draft of your sport's technical standards, which must include (at a minimum):

- Type of Events offered (eg. Girls _____, Boys _____, Co-ed, 500m this, 1km that, etc...)
- Team composition: What are the maximum # of players to register, max to dress, and minimum to play.
- Facility requirements including minimum field of play size.
- Equipment required. Also identify the ideal major piece of equipment e.g. A Molten GG6X Girls Basketball and also if there is anything different for girls and boys.
- Main Playing rules that are different/modified from governing body rules of that sport or that should be highlighted because they are important/frequently asked. Also identify the governing body for rules e.g. FIBA for Basketball
- What are the typical scheduling requirements (i.e. provide an ideal sample schedule of times, list max games per day, time needed between back to back games, etc...).
- Identify any tie-breaking procedures. Layout the 2-team and 3 team tie-breaker procedure if relevant to your sport i.e. if your sport has a team component.
- List the required # and kind of Officials and their recommended or required certification.
- List the total max cost per team that might be required for Officials and what is the cost of an individual official in your sport.