



## SEND Football Events 2023 / 2024

### Overview

Welcome to the Devon School Games Event hosted by Active Devon and the Devon School Games Organisers. We aim to provide every child with a positive experience in an environment where the young person's motivation, competence and confidence are at the centre of everything we do.

We have a series of SEND Football Events across the academic year:

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## SLD Events

### What To Expect from the Day?

This event format will be decided once all entries have been received.

### Team Size:

Six (6) a side on the pitch and up to 8-9 players per team.

### Event Dates:

- Event 1 – Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2023  
**Entries will close** at 1600 on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2023.  
To register for this event please complete this [Entry Form Link](#)
- Event 2 – Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2024  
**Entries will close** at 1600 on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2023.  
To register for this event please complete this [Entry Form Link](#)

### Event Timings:

- Arrival - 11am
- Event Briefing - 11am – 11.15am
- Event Start - 11.30 am with lunch breaks during game off time
- Event Concludes - 2.30pm

**Venue:** Devon FA Headquarters, Coach Road, Newton Abbot, TQ12 1EJ

### Event Contact:

Entries will be dealt with by Lisa Alford at Active Devon and can be reached on the following:

Email - [lisa.alford@activedevon.org](mailto:lisa.alford@activedevon.org) - Mobile - 07582 350349

Torquay United Community Sports Trust will be delivering the event on the day at Devon FA Head Quarters.





## SLD Events

Who is the Event for?	What's the Intent?
Year 7 & 8 (mixed boys and girls)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To go to an unfamiliar environment</li> <li>• To work with unfamiliar adults and children</li> <li>• Build confidence to engage in physical activity and try new sports and physical activities</li> <li>• Develop and improve physical fitness (cardiovascular fitness, flexibility, body composition, muscular strength, muscular endurance, posture, balance and core stability)</li> <li>• Opportunity to represent your school for the first time</li> <li>• Raise self-esteem, self-confidence and self-worth (think positively about themselves and how they perceive the world around them)</li> </ul>
Year 9 / 10 / 11 (mixed boys and girls)	
Pupils who have a limited understanding of an invasion game	
Pupils who have limited physical capability to take part actively and competitively in a fast paced game	





## MLD/EBD Events

### What To Expect from the Day?

This SEND Football event will consist of a round robin leading to semi-finals and finals.

### Team Size:

Six (6) a side on the pitch and up to 8-9 players per team.

### Event Dates:

- Event 1 - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2023  
**Entries will close** at 1800 on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2023  
To register for this event please complete this [Entry Form Link](#)
- Event 2 - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2024  
**Entries will close** at 1700 on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2024.  
To register for this event please complete this [Entry Form Link](#)
- Event 3 - Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2024  
**Entries will close** at 1700 on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2024  
To register for this event please complete this [Entry Form Link](#)

### Event Timings:

- Arrival - 10am – 10.15am
- Event Briefing - 10.15 - 10.30am
- Event Starts - 10.30am with lunch breaks during game off time
- Event Concludes - 1.30pm

**Venue:** Devon FA Headquarters, Coach Road, Newton Abbot, TQ12 1EJ

### Event Contact:

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Email - [lisa.alford@activedevon.org](mailto:lisa.alford@activedevon.org) - Mobile - 07582 350349

Catherine Kilburn and Steve Dinnie will be coordinating this event on the day and can be reached on the following:

Email

Catherine Kilburn - [ckilburn@orchardmanor.devon.sch.uk](mailto:ckilburn@orchardmanor.devon.sch.uk)

Steven Dinnie - [sdinnie@orchard-manor.org](mailto:sdinnie@orchard-manor.org)





## MLD/EBD Events

Who is the Event for?	What's the Intent?
Year 8 and 9 (mixed boys and girls)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To go to an unfamiliar environment</li> <li>To work with unfamiliar adults and children</li> <li>Build confidence to engage in physical activity and try new sports and physical activities</li> <li>Develop and improve physical fitness (cardiovascular fitness, flexibility, body composition, muscular strength, muscular endurance, posture, balance and core stability)</li> <li>Opportunity to represent your school for the first time</li> <li>Raise self-esteem, self-confidence and self-worth (think positively about themselves and how they perceive the world around them)</li> </ul>
Year 10 and 11 (mixed boys and girls)	
Pupils who can play in a game with an understanding and knowledge of rules, tactics and positions needed to play	
Pupils who are physically capable of taking part in a competitive game	





## Girls SEND Festival Event

### What To Expect from the Day?

This event format will be decided once all entries have been received.

### Team Size:

Bring as many girls to the festival as you can, there is no minimum or maximum number due to the format of the event.

### Event Dates;

- Event 1 - Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023
- Entries will close at 1200 on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2023.
- To register for this event please complete this [Entry Form Link](#)
- Event 2 – Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024
- Entries will close at 1800 on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2024
- To register for this event please complete this [Entry Form Link](#)

### Event Timings

- Arrival - 10.30am – 10.45am
- Event Briefing - 10.45am – 11.00am
- Event Start - 11.00am with lunch breaks during game off time
- Event Concludes - 2pm

**Venue:** Devon FA Headquarters, Coach Road, Newton Abbot, TQ12 1EJ

### Event Contact:

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Email - [lisa.alford@activedevon.org](mailto:lisa.alford@activedevon.org) - Mobile - 07582 350349

Ashley Harris (Devon FA Football Development Officer - Inclusion) will be coordinating this event on the day and can be reached on the following:

Email – [ashley.harris@devonfa.com](mailto:ashley.harris@devonfa.com) - Mobile – 07912089838





## Girls SEND Festival Event

Who is the Event for?	What's the Intent?
Primary Females	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To go to an unfamiliar environment</li> <li>• To work with unfamiliar adults and children</li> <li>• Build confidence to engage in physical activity and try new sports and physical activities</li> <li>• Develop and improve physical fitness (cardiovascular fitness, flexibility, body composition, muscular strength, muscular endurance, posture, balance and core stability)</li> <li>• Opportunity to represent your school for the first time</li> <li>• Raise self-esteem, self-confidence and self-worth (think positively about themselves and how they perceive the world around them)</li> </ul>
Secondary Females	





## MLD / EBD Year 6 & 7 Mixed Event

### What To Expect from the Day?

This event format will be decided once all entries have been received.

### Team Size:

Six (6) a side on the pitch and up to 8-9 players per team.

### Event Dates;

- Event 1 - Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023
- Entries will close at 1700 on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September
- To register for this event please complete this [Entry Form Link](#)
- Event 2 – Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024
- Entries will close at 1800 on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2024
- To register for this event please complete this [Entry Form Link](#)

### Event Timings

- Arrival - 10.30am – 10.45am
- Event Briefing - 10.45am – 11.00am
- Event Start - 11.00am with lunch breaks during game off time
- Event Concludes - 2pm

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Ashley Harris (Devon FA Football Development Officer - Inclusion) will be coordinating this event on the day and can be reached on the following:







## MLD / EBD Year 6 & 7 Mixed Event

Who is the Event for?	What's the Intent?
<p>Year 7 (mixed boys and girls)</p> <p>(schools can put Year 6 if they have any)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To go to an unfamiliar environment</li> <li>• To work with unfamiliar adults and children</li> <li>• Build confidence to engage in physical activity and try new sports and physical activities</li> <li>• Develop and improve physical fitness (cardiovascular fitness, flexibility, body composition, muscular strength, muscular endurance, posture, balance and core stability)</li> <li>• Opportunity to represent your school for the first time</li> <li>• Raise self-esteem, self-confidence and self-worth (think positively about themselves and how they perceive the world around them)</li> </ul>
<p>Pupils who can play in a game with an understanding and knowledge of rules, tactics and positions needed to play</p>	
<p>Pupils who are physically capable of taking part in a competitive game.</p>	





## Additional Information

### Clothing & Footwear:

Where possible trainers should be worn with suitable clothing for an outdoor event.

### Shinpads:

Where possible shinpads should be worn.

### Refreshments:

Please bring lunch, drinks and snacks with you for the day, there are no café facilities on site.

### Spectators & Guests:

We are not inviting guests or encouraging spectators to this event.

### Toilets & Changing Facilities:

Toilets and changing rooms available.

### Parking & Charges:

Limited parking spaces are available.

### First Aid & Medical Provision:

Devon FA staff are First Aid Trained (Introduction to First Aid in Football certificate). Devon FA will supply one first aid kit, although schools are advised to bring their own first aid kits too.

Automated External Defibrillator (AED) is situated at the entrance of the building.

### Nearest Accident & Emergency:

**Torbay Hospital**, Lowes Bridge, Torquay, TQ2 7AA  
Tel: 0300 456 8000 (local rate) or 01803 614567

### Litter:

Please collect your team's litter and take it home or place in the bins provided.

### Lost Property:

Lost property will be kept on the site and will be up to the discretion of the venue as to how long the items are kept.

### Risk Assessments:

A risk assessment will be carried out prior to the event date. Event staff will carry out a dynamic risk assessment on the morning of the event.





## Contacts:

Should you have any questions please contact your local School Games Organiser:

Torbay SGO - Annabel White - [annabel.white@paigntonacademy.org](mailto:annabel.white@paigntonacademy.org)

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Plymouth SGO - Josh Gilbert - [j.gilbert@sjhcsc.co.uk](mailto:j.gilbert@sjhcsc.co.uk)

South Hams & West Devon SGO - Beth Bosley - [bbosley@westst.org.uk](mailto:bbosley@westst.org.uk)

East Devon SGO - Kevin Moran - [kmoran@thekings.devon.sch.uk](mailto:kmoran@thekings.devon.sch.uk)

Exeter & Mid Devon SGO - Nick Gillard - [mr.gillard@st-lukes.devon.sch.uk](mailto:mr.gillard@st-lukes.devon.sch.uk)

South Dartmoor SGO - Dan Lugg - [DLugg@southdartmoor.devon.sch.uk](mailto:DLugg@southdartmoor.devon.sch.uk)

North Devon SGO - Angela Daniel - [ADaniel@gts.devon.sch.uk](mailto:ADaniel@gts.devon.sch.uk)

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- Twitter – @SGDevon
- Instagram -devonschoolgames

