

SELECTION OF CANDIDATES UNDER QUOTA FOR EMINENT SPORTS PERSONS

1. The purpose of this quota is to recognize and give weightage to the sports eminence of the candidates and hence marks awarded for sports achievements alone will be considered in ranking the candidates, provided the candidates have obtained the minimum academic marks specified. The candidates are expected to continue good performance in sports, even after admission.
2. The candidate shall submit **all the sports certificates** along with participation certificates and relevant forms issued by Associations / Federation recognized, but only one highest achievement in a tournament (among the International, National, State, Divisional and District) in an academic year in the sports disciplines listed in Table VIII will be considered for awarding marks.
3. Selection of the candidate will be based on the marks obtained by the candidate strictly following the guidelines given in the tables below:

Table I – Marks for Recognized International Achievement

S. No	Competition	Allocation of Marks			
		Gold	Silver	Bronze	Participation
1.	International (Representing India Category – I)	1000	850	650	300
2.	International (Representing India Category – II)	500	450	400	150

Table II – Marks for Recognized National Achievement

S. No	Competition	Allocation of Marks			
		Gold	Silver	Bronze	Participation
1.	National Championships / National Games – Organized by National Federations / IOA	190	160	130	50
2.	School Games Federation of India (SGFI) Meet (National Level)	190	160	130	50
3.	KHELO-India Youth Games	190	160	130	50
4.	National Inter School Competition (National Level)	190	160	130	50

Table III – Marks for Recognized State Championships

S. No	Competition	Allocation of Marks			
		Gold	Silver	Bronze	Participation
1.	State Championship Representing Revenue District – Organized by State Associations	95	80	65	20

Table IV – Marks for Recognized State Level Achievements

S. No	Competition	Allocation of Marks			
		Gold	Silver	Bronze	Participation
1.	Bharathiar Day Sports Meet (State Level)	80	65	50	15
2.	Republic Day Sports Meet (State Level)	80	65	50	15
3.	State Inter School Competition (State Level)	80	65	50	15
4.	KVS/CBSE National Sports Meet (State Level)	80	65	50	15
5.	KHELO-India Youth Games	80	65	50	15
6.	Chief Minister Trophy / SDAT State Games (State Level)	80	65	50	15

Table V – Marks for Recognized Divisional Level Achievements

S. No	Competition	Allocation of Marks			
		Gold	Silver	Bronze	Participation
1.	Bharathiar Day Sports Meet (Divisional Level)	60	45	30	10
2.	Republic Day Sports Meet (Divisional Level)	60	45	30	10
3.	KVS / CBSE National Sports Meet (Divisional Level)	60	45	30	10

Table VI – Marks for Recognized District Level Achievements

S. No	Competition	Allocation of Marks			
		Gold	Silver	Bronze	Participation
1.	District Tournaments / Sports Meet / Championships conducted by District Sports Associations (Recognized by SDAT / TNOA)	45	30	15	5
2.	District Inter School Competition / SAI Promotion Games (District Level)	45	30	15	5
3.	Chief Minister Trophy / SDAT State Games (District Level)	45	30	15	5

Gold (I Position); Silver (II Position); Bronze (III Position)

4. (a) For International Tournaments:

Category - I : Olympics, World Cup, Commonwealth Games and Asian Games (Games organized in four years frequency by the International Olympic Committee).

Category – II : A minimum of six countries must have participated for international tournaments, which are not covered under Category I and such tournaments should have been approved by Indian Olympics Associations (IOA), Sports Authority of India (SAI) and Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports (MYAS), Government of India.

Open / Invitational / Memorial / any indifferent nomenclature or title of tournaments / Championship at International level, not approved by any of the above authority will not be considered for marks.

- 1. Participation / achievement in international tournaments will be considered only with earlier achievements at National and State level tournaments. Direct participation in any International or National tournaments will not be considered for award of marks.**
- 2. The highest achievement in only one annual regular tournament, officially conducted in a regular manner by the member National Olympic Committee (NOCs) authorized by the International Olympic Committee (IOC) / International Sports Federations affiliated to the IOC will be considered for award of marks. The players / sports persons representing the Country in such tournaments through Indian Olympic Association (IOA) / respective National Sports Federations recognized by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India or IOA will be considered for the award of marks in each year.**
- 3. Only tournaments officially recognized by the Indian Olympic Association / respective official National Federations will be considered for the award of marks (for each year) from 01.06.2019 to 31.05.2023 (01.06.2019 to 31.05.2020, 01.06.2020 to 31.05.2021, 01.06.2021 to 31.05.2022, 01.06.2022 to 31.05.2023).**
- 4. Certificates of Participation or Achievements in tournaments submitted along with Form I alone are eligible for marks indicated in Table (I) above (should be submitted before the last date for submission of application).**
- 5. Players who participated in any of the Categories I and II in Table (I) should produce the copies of the following:**
 - a. VISA, Immigration entry in passport, clearance from Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports (Government of India), Indian Olympic Association and respective National Sports Federations including BCCI.**
 - b. The fixture, draw, schedule of events, players' accreditation, National Medal, Merit, Diploma, Participation certificate and Form-I issued by respective National Sports Federation and certificates signed and issued in the prescribed format by the President or Secretary General of the National Olympic Committee of the Organizing Country and International Federation.**

(b) For National Tournaments

- 1. The National tournaments should have been officially be recognized as the regular annual championships / tournament, by Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports (MYAS) or Indian Olympic Association (IOA) or SAI or SDAT or respective official National Sports Federation will be considered (for each year) for the award of marks.**
- 2. Marks will not be awarded for selection trials and coaching camps.**

- 3 Tournaments conducted by the Federation which are not recognized by the IOA or MYAS, TNOA or SDAT at National Level for a particular period will not be considered for award of marks.
- 4 Candidates must have participated at zonal, district, divisional, national and international in a particular game / sports in the same hierarchical order as per the existing norms applicable for a particular game / sport.

(c) For State Tournaments

- 1 The State Level tournaments should officially be recognized as the regular annual championships or tournament, by the respective official State Association or SAI or SDAT will be considered (for each year) for the award of marks.
- 2 Marks will not be awarded for selection trials and coaching camps.
- 3 Any tournaments conducted by the Association which are de-recognized by the TNOA or SDAT at State Level for a particular period will not be considered for award of marks.

(d) For CBSE/ KV Schools Sports Achievements

- 1 The number of KV and CBSE schools, when compared to State Board schools in Tamil Nadu is very less. Hence, the cluster level achievements are not considered.
- 2 The candidates participated in the tournaments conducted by CBSE and KV schools, at Regional / South zone are equated to Divisional level achievements, and the National level achievements are equated to State level of State board schools.

5. General Conditions

1. For consideration of candidates seeking admission under the category of eminent sports person, he/she should attach all the attested photocopies of participation certificates and the relevant forms issued by the competent sports authorities, along with the application.
2. Participation / achievements in each academic year from **01.06.2019 to 31.05.2023 (01.06.2019 to 31.05.2020, 01.06.2020 to 31.05.2021, 01.06.2021 to 31.05.2022 and 01.06.2022 to 31.05.2023)** in sports / game shown in the list alone will be considered for the award of marks. National or State Level Championships or Tournaments conducted by Sports Federations or Associations recognized by Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports (MYAS) or Indian Olympic Association (IOA) or Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu (SDAT) or Tamil Nadu Olympic Association (TNOA) alone will be considered for award of marks (Recognition of State Associations / National Federations should be relevant to the year concerned).
3. The relevant attested copies of certificates issued by the competent authorities as detailed below are to be submitted along with the application before the last date for submission of the applications.
4. These Certificates are not valid unless signed personally in ink by the authorities mentioned in Table VII.
5. Open or Invitational or Memorial or any indifferent nomenclature or title of tournaments or Championship at District or State or National or International level will not be considered for marks.
6. District or Inter – District Championship means the championships conducted by the respective recognized District or State Sports Association for a Revenue District or Revenue Districts in the State of Tamil Nadu.
7. Direct participation or achievement at any level without participating in the qualifying level competitions such as District or State or National or direct selection conducted by District

- or State Sports Association or National Sports Federation to represent the District or State or National or International tournaments or championships will not be considered for award of marks.
8. For international achievements in Tennis, marks for Gold, Silver and Bronze will be awarded to players who are ranked first, second and third respectively in the ATP or WTA rankings of International Tennis Federation for awarding participation marks for the top 5 ranked players will be considered from the ATP or WTA list published by the International Tennis Federation. Necessary document and proof should be enclosed by the candidate.
For National or State level achievement in Tennis, marks for Gold, Silver and Bronze will be awarded to players who are ranked first, second and third respectively in the AITA or TNTA at National or State. For awarding of participation mark the top 5 ranked players will be considered from the list published by AITA or TNTA at National or State level based on the ranking. Necessary document and proof should be enclosed by the candidate.
 9. **Certificates should be in printed form and necessary Form – I and II should be in prescribed format. (Certificates or forms issued in letter pads will be invalid.)**
 10. All other sport disciplines in which ranking is the criteria for assessment of achievement, rules indicated in item 8 above will be applicable for award of marks.
 11. For Cricket, the annual official Championships or Tournaments conducted within the country under the auspices of TNCA or BCCI at District or State or National Level alone will be taken into consideration for that year.
 12. Multiple events in a particular sport must be standardized events and in accordance with the events organized by the approved international Federations. Events newly created and not in accordance with the requirement will not be considered for award of marks.
 13. **The participation or achievements of candidates with nativity of Tamil Nadu who represented Tamil Nadu alone are eligible for marks under National Category.**
 14. **Only Tamil Nadu candidates are eligible to apply for admission under Sports Quota and only the KVS and CBSE schools within Tamil Nadu are eligible for marks.**
 15. A Committee constituted by the University for this purpose will rank the candidates based on the marks assigned to the certificates enclosed along with the application. Candidates with a minimum sports mark of 5 and above alone will be considered for ranking.
 16. **All the achievement certificates are to be supported necessarily by the relevant participation certificates and appropriate forms.**
 17. **No further enclosures or certificates will be entertained after the last date for submission of completed application.**
 18. Highest achievement or participation certificates obtained by candidate at different levels such as District or State or National or International in each year along with earlier achievements should be enclosed without fail (A candidate shall enclose copy of all eligible certificates, which may be arranged according to year in a serial manner for scrutiny).
 19. Candidates in proportion to the available seats will be called to appear for an interview before the Committee for verification of the Originals, followed by counselling after ranking.
 20. If any candidate fails to produce the requisite Original Certificates or Forms, his/her place will be allotted to the candidate next in rank and so on. The consequential vacancy at the end of the rank list will be filled up from among the additional candidates according to their ranks.
 21. All the highest level of participation or achievement should be supported by earlier achievements at all levels of competition.

22. Short listed candidates will be called for Counselling based on their ranks and allotment of colleges earmarked for the Sports Quota based on the ranking before the start of main Counselling.
23. Candidates securing admissions under Eminent Sports Persons quota should sign an undertaking at the time of receiving allotment order assuring of participation in sports activities in the college preferred by them.
24. Legal action would be taken on parents and candidates for furnishing bogus documents under this Sports Quota. They should ensure that the certificates obtained are from competent authorities.
25. A CANDIDATE CAN UTILIZE THE SPORTS QUOTA ONLY ONCE.
26. Candidates applying for Sports Quota Category should enclose **Annexure IV (Page No.55 of the prospectus)** with attested copies of relevant Sports Certificates along with the application.

Table VII – Competent Authority to issue Forms / Certificates

Category	Competent Authority	Form / Certificates
International (Representing Nation)	President or Secretary of the National Sports Federation (recognized by Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports or IOA) Participation certificate / Diploma should be signed by the President or Secretary General or Chairman of the organizing Committee of the host Nation.	Certificate and Form – I
National (Representing State)	Member Secretary, SDAT or Secretary of the State Association (recognized both by SDAT and TNOA)	Certificate and Form – II
National Games (Representing the State)	President / Secretary of IOA and Chairman of the organizing Committee	Certificate and Form - II
National (Representing State)	Chief Inspector of Physical Education for National School Games competitions.	Certificate and Form – IV
School Games Federation of India (SGFI) (National Level)	President / Hon. Gen. Secretary, SGFI	Certificates and Forms
National Inter-School Competition (National Level)	Executive Director or Director – General, Sports Authority of India	Certificates and Forms
KVS Nationals (State Level)	Commissioner or Joint Commissioner of KVS	Certificates
CM Trophy (State Level)	Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu.	Certificates
SDAT approved State Level Tournaments	Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu.	Certificates
CBSE National Sports Meet (State Level)	A.E.O. – Sports or Secretary, CBSE	Certificates
Bharathiar Day Sports Meet (State Level)	Regional Inspector of Physical Education and Chief Inspector of Physical Education.	Certificates
Republic Day Sports Meet (State Level)	Regional Inspector of Physical Education and Chief Inspector of Physical Education.	Certificates
State Inter School Competitions (State Level)	Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu.	Certificates
Bharathiar Day Sports Meet (Divisional Level)	Regional Inspector of Physical Education and Chief Education Officer	Certificates
Republic Day Sports Meet (Divisional Level)	Regional Inspector of Physical Education and Chief Education Officer	Certificates
KVS Regional Level (Divisional Level)	Assistant Commissioner of KVS	Certificates
CBSE South Zone Sports Meet (Divisional Level)	A.E.O.-Sports or Secretary, CBSE	Certificates
District Inter-School Competitions (Divisional Level)	District Sports Officer	Certificates
District Level Competition	Officer RIPE and District Education Officer	Certificates

Table VIII – SPORTS QUOTA (2023-24) - LIST OF SPORTS DISCIPLINES

1. Archery	29. Mallakhamb
2. Athletics	30. Motor Sports
3. Atya Patya	31. Netball
4. Badminton	32. Powerlifting
5. Ball Badminton	33. Rollball
6. Baseball	34. Roller Skating
7. Basket ball	35. Rowing
8. Beach Volleyball	36. Rugby
9. Billiards and Snookers	37. Sailing
10. Body Building	38. Sepak Takraw
11. Boxing	39. Shooting
12. Canoeing & Kayaking	40. Silambam
13. Carom	41. Softball
14. Chess	42. Soft tennis
15. Cricket	43. Squash Rackets
16. Cycle Polo	44. Swimming
17. Cycling	45. Table Tennis
18. Fencing	46. Taek – won – do
19. Football	47. Tennikoit
20. Golf	48. Tennis
21. Gymnastics	49. Throwball
22. Handball	50. Triathlon
23. Hockey	51. Volleyball
24. Judo	52. Weightlifting
25. Karate – Do	53. Wrestling
26. Kabaddi	54. Wushu
27. Kho – Kho	55. Yachting
28. Korf ball	56. Yogasanas