

DENTAL OLYMPICS SOCCER

Events: Men's
 Women's

Format:

1. One men's team and one women's team per school.
2. Dental Olympics Soccer games will be played in accordance to FIFA Soccer rules. The following rules also apply.
3. NO slide tackles are allowed. Upon the first offense, the player will be yellow carded. After the second offense, the player will be removed from the game and not permitted to play soccer for the rest of the tournament.
4. An official referee will call all games.
5. One linesman must be provided by each team playing.
6. Jerseys:
 - a. Each school must wear the same colored t-shirts/jerseys
 - b. The goalie should wear a different color shirt than that of his teammates
7. Teams will consist of not more than 20 players on the roster from each school.
8. No shoes with metal cleats, **shin guards are required.**
9. Each half will be 25 minutes long with a five minute halftime.
10. Multiple substitutions are allowed.
11. In the event that there is a tie at the end of regulation, game winner will be determined by:
 - Five penalty kicks, to be done immediately following the game. If it is still tied, penalty kicks will continue in a sudden death format; each team will continue to kick penalty shots until one team does not make a goal.
 - If the championship game is tied, it shall go into overtime consisting of two 10 minute halves. If no winner, then 5 penalty kicks (see above).
12. All players participating must be on a roster. Rosters should be given to opponents team captains before start of play, and should be checked along with student ID.