



## **CUHK Inter-collegiate Table Tennis Competition Rules and Regulations 2025-2026**

### **I. System of Play:**

Please refer to the inter-collegiate competition system of play announced by the Intra University Activities Sub-committee on Physical Education Unit.

### **II. Rules:**

Unless stated in the prospectus and the guidelines, all rules and regulations will be governed by the rules and regulations of Hong Kong Table Tennis Association.

### **III. Format:**

- (1) Order of Play: (i)singles (ii)singles (iii)doubles (iv)doubles (v)singles
- (2) Team events will be played in the best-of-five matches (sets). All matches will be played in the best-of-three games to 11 points. All matches must be played out, regardless of the score in the contest.
- (3) 7 players can actually participate whereas the maximum number of registered players in each team could be 10. Each player can participate in only ONE match.
- (4) Any team with less than 4 players' presence when submitting the line-up roster will not be allowed to compete.
- (5) Representatives of each team will be served as referees.

### **IV. Point System:**

- (1) In all matches, 2 points for a winner, 1 point for a loser and 0 point for an abstainer or being disqualified. The team with the highest point will win.
- (2) If two teams score the same points, the winning team will rank higher.
- (3) If 3 or more teams of the group gained the same points, their relative positions shall be decided by considering the ratios of wins to losses in individual matches, games and points.
- (4) If it is not possible to resolve equalities by means of the procedure specified in the above, the ranking shall be decided by lot.

**V. Withdrawal:**

Any team with less than 4 players' presence before the time of the fixture will be considered as abstention.

**VI. Appeal:**

Matters of any protest should be reported to the convenor immediately. Also, it should be submitted to the appeal board in writing within 24 hours after the match. The judgement from the appeal board will be the final decision.

**VII. Remarks :**

If there is any inadequacy in these guidelines, the convenor reserves the right for amendments.