

Multi-society competition

Having societies and sports teams compete in a big competition can be a great way to raise money on campus!



Getting ready

Step 1 – Decide what type of competition you want to do. Games or sports tournaments always work well!

Step 2 – Choose members of your team to help organise the event – some may already be active in societies so be sure to make use of those networks.

Step 3 – Set up the event page, choose a date and secure any resources/permissions you need for the day to ensure everything runs smoothly.

Step 4 – Get as many societies as possible involved. Make sure you have a desirable prize for the winning team, and charge a 'suggested donation' per team or individual for entry. Utilize your participants' knowledge and friends across university to get as many people involved as possible

Top tip

- Think about ways you can upgrade the event - you could sell food and drinks, do a BBQ or run a raffle for extra donations.

What you'll need

- Location and permissions
- Any relevant resources (e.g. footballs, stopwatches, megaphone etc.)
- Prizes
- Society contact details (usually via the SU website or social media)
- First aid kit (just in case)
- A camera to take lots of photos

On the day

- Arrive early with your team and delegate responsibilities.
- Prepare the venue for the competition with the prizes on show.
- Ensure each team has a way to distinguish itself and that everyone knows what is happening, when and who is taking part. You may need to MC for the day to do announcements!

Post event

- If you are collecting donations on the day, count and bank them as soon as possible. Send them to MRF immediately to avoid possible complications.
- Make sure you congratulate the participants and tell your team how much they can add to their fundraising pages.
- Post all the photos on social media and thank everyone for taking part!