

## 2016 Toronto School SCRABBLE® Championship

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EVENT	GRADES	LOCATION	DATE
<b>West Qualifier</b> (for schools west of Yonge St.)	5-6 7-8	<b>Swansea P.S.</b> 207 Windermere Avenue, Toronto	Thursday, March 3 <sup>rd</sup> 9:30am check-in
<b>West Juniors</b> (for schools west of Yonge St.)	4		
<b>East Qualifier</b> (for schools east of Yonge St.)	5-6 7-8	<b>Bowmore P.S.</b> 80 Bowmore Road, Toronto	Tuesday, March 8 <sup>th</sup> 9:30am check-in
<b>East Juniors</b> (for schools east of Yonge St.)	4		
<b>City Championship</b> (for teams that have advanced from a regional Qualifier above)	5-8	<b>Bayview Glen School</b> 85 Moatfield Drive, Toronto	Wednesday, March 30 <sup>th</sup>
<b>High School Tournament</b>	9-12		

The events will have a similar format to tournaments from previous years with the emphasis on friendly rivalry. There will be a variety of prizes for being a good sport, theme words, and participation. The top ten pairs from the East and West Qualifiers will advance to the City Championship on March 30<sup>th</sup>. The winning team from our City Championship (Grades 5-8) will be awarded free admission to the 2016 North American School SCRABBLE® Championship on April 9<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> in Providence, RI.

### FORMAT:

In the Juniors, Qualifiers and City Championship, students play in pairs.

NEW: In the High School Tournament, students play individually, i.e. one-on-one.

Games are limited to 25 minutes per team (50 minutes total) and a SCRABBLE® clock is used. Both teams keep track of the score and verify the score throughout the game. At the end of a game, students report who won and the scores. For consecutive rounds, players are matched against players with similar records. We follow the official rules outlined for School SCRABBLE® tournaments, which are available on our website at [www.schoolscrabble.ca](http://www.schoolscrabble.ca).

### SCHEDULE:

We will do our best to adhere to the following schedule:

Qualifiers and Juniors		City Championship and High School	
9:30 am	Check-in and Announcements	9:30 am	Check-in and Announcements
10:00 am	Round 1 (Game On!)	10:00 am	Round 1 (Game On!)
11:00 am	Round 2	11:00 am	Round 2
12:00 pm	Lunch (players should bring lunch)	12:00 pm	Round 3
12:30 pm	Round 3	12:50 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm	Awards Ceremony	1:20 pm	Round 4
2:00 pm	Exit	2:10 pm	Awards
		2:30 pm	Exit

