

BGS Term 4 2026 – Summer Sport Key Information

Term 4 provides an opportunity for our Summer Sport program to take a slightly different approach to the traditional Term 1 season. As many APS schools do not enter teams in Term 4 competitions, there are fewer Saturday fixtures available across Badminton, Cricket, Futsal, Tennis and Touch Football. Where possible, we will seek to provide additional fixtures for teams below Firsts level in Cricket and Tennis, subject to the availability of suitable opponents.

Our focus during Term 4 is to provide boys with opportunities to train, develop their skills and prepare for the Term 1 Summer Sport season, while also allowing them to maintain their involvement with community sporting clubs. Boys who are not scheduled to play an APS fixture on a Saturday will participate in one training session per week for five weeks.

Please note that boys will compete in the year level they will be entering in 2027. For example, a current Year 8 student will train and compete in the Year 9 competition during Term 4.

There will be **no** Year 10 teams entered in Term 4 Summer Sport. This is due to the current Year 9 cohort participating in the Great Southwest Journey (GSWJ) Experience, which takes place during two of the four weeks of the Term 4 season.

The dates listed below are the scheduled fixtures for our Firsts teams. Please note that teams below Firsts level may not play on all, or any, of these dates, depending on the availability of suitable fixtures and opponents.

Key Term 4 and Term 1 Dates:

Training will begin Week 4 – Monday 26 October (Non-Open 1sts Teams)

Term 4

Week 3 – Saturday 24 Oct (Round 1)

Week 4 – Saturday 31 October (Melbourne Cup Weekend – No Sport)

Week 5 – Saturday 7 Nov (Round 2)

Week 6 – Saturday 14 Nov (Round 3)

Week 7 – Saturday 21 Nov (Round 4)

Week 8 – Saturday 28 Nov (Round 5)

Week 9 – Saturday 5 Dec (Round 6)

Term 1

Week 1 – Saturday 30 Jan (Round 7) (Practice matches/trainings for all non-1st teams)

Week 2 – Saturday 6 Feb (Round 8) (Round 1 – non-Open 1st Teams)

Week 3 – Saturday 13 Feb (Round 9) (Round 2 – non-Open 1st Teams)

Week 4 – Saturday 20 Feb (Round 10) (Round 3 – non-Open 1st Teams)

Week 5 – Saturday 27 Feb (Round 11) (Round 4 – non-Open 1st Teams)

Week 6 – Saturday 13 March (Semi Finals) (Round 5 – non-Open 1st Teams)

Week 7 – Saturday 20 March (Grand Finals)

SUMMER SPORT SCHEDULE: TERM 4 2026

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
BEFORE SCHOOL	Year 8 Tennis Training (JS Tennis Courts & UC Courts) Year 8 Badminton Training (BGS JS Gym)	Year 7-12 Swimming Training (BGS Pool) 1sts/2nds Futsal Training (BGS JS Gym) Year 9 Tennis Training (JS Tennis Courts & UC Courts)	Tennis Development Squad (JS Tennis Courts) Year 8 Touch Football Training (Crowther Oval)	Year 7-12 Swimming Training (BGS Pool) 1sts/2nds Futsal Training (BGS JS Gym) Year 8 Cricket Training (Mitchell Oval) 1sts Tennis Training (JS Tennis Courts)	
AFTER SCHOOL	1sts / 2nds Sailing Training (Royal Brighton Yacht Club) Year 9 Cricket Training (Mitchell/Crowther Oval) Year 9 Badminton Training (BGS JS Gym)	1sts Badminton Training (BGS JS Gym) 1sts/2nds Cricket Training (Mitchell/Crowther Oval) 1sts Tennis Training (JS Tennis Courts) 1sts Touch Football Training (Crowther Oval)	Year 9 Cricket Training (Mitchell/Crowther Oval) Year 9-12 Squash Training (Melbourne Squash Centre) Year 9 Touch Football Training (Crowther Oval)	1sts Badminton Training (BGS JS Gym) 1sts/2nds Cricket Training (Mitchell/Crowther Oval) 1sts Sailing Training (Royal Brighton Yacht Club) 2nds Tennis Training (JS Tennis Courts) 1sts/Open Touch Football Training (Crowther Oval)	