



**BRITISH SCHOOLS  
KARTING CHAMPIONSHIP**



**2023!**

**MOTIVATE, EDUCATE AND ENGAGE  
YOUR STUDENTS LIKE NEVER BEFORE**



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# STUDENT SAFETY

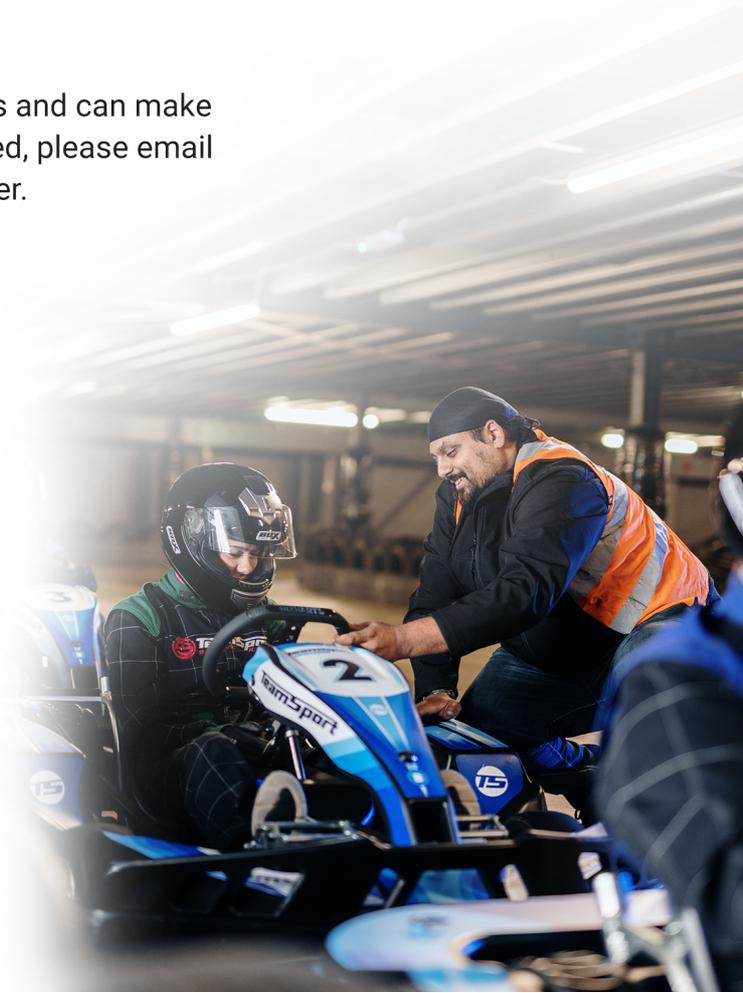
The safety of your students and any spectators is our prime consideration at all times. TeamSport Indoor Karting has been chosen as the host venue for the BSKC championship for this very reason.

Every competitor will receive a full safety briefing on each visit to the track before they race. Every competitor will receive a helmet, race suit and gloves.

Every venue has a thoroughly consistent approach when it comes to safety policies and procedures. All students, regardless of which venue they race at are racing in optimally safe conditions with safe in the knowledge that all relevant Public Liability and Risk assessments in place.

Karting is a form of Motorsport and accidents can happen. All participants will be required to complete a pre race form at registration to ensure they have read and fully understand any risks involved.

We are fully transparent on all our safety measures and can make available to any organiser further details as required, please email [info@bskc.co.uk](mailto:info@bskc.co.uk) if you would like to discuss further.





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# WHY YOUR STUDENTS SHOULD ENTER BSKC

We could shout about the benefits of BSKC all year long...team-work, confidence building, exhilarating, engaging the disengaged, tactical awareness, supporting each other, motivation, rewarding, enhanced skill set, Inspiring, new activity, personal fulfilment... you get the idea!

Don't just listen to us though, checkout what previous educational providers had to say following their time in BSKC.

“It's been most effective in involving 'disengaged' students, fostering a sense of belonging.”

C GARNETT - BOSWORTH COMMUNITY & SPORTS COLLEGE

“The team aspect of the BSKC helps to teach the students the value of working well with others, and we always see an improvement in their academic work and social skills.”

IAN HARDY - SENIOR TECHNICIAN - SEAHAM SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY, COUNTY DURHAM

“This reinforces what teaching is all about! Inspiring young people to experience new activities and to believe in themselves. BSKC certainly fulfils these points and more.”

A COBLEY, - PARK VIEW BUSINESS & ENTERPRISE SCHOOL

“The team work, planning, tactical awareness and peer support evident within each team is really impressive - the students maturity grows in leaps and bounds. This also rubs off in lessons for some students, where we find students have a new focus.”

D LEATER - KINGDOWN COMMUNITY SCHOOL

“I have always tried to encourage girls to take part. The girls concerned here gained a fantastic 'can do' attitude. They know now that they can take part in whatever activities they choose to, and they are not restricted by social convention.”

P DURBER - CARTER COMMUNITY

“The championship proved to be a wonderful event and did so much for the students who took part. The self belief and self confidence that this event helped to build is immeasurable and the team morale that it generated was astonishing.”

DEREK WEAVER - TEACHER - SHENLEY ACADEMY, BIRMINGHAM

# SOUND GOOD? WANT TO KNOW MORE?

There are **4 parts** to the British Schools Karting Championship

The **first stage is the Practice Session**. Here students will gather together in their teams at their local TeamSport Karting venue and take to the track for the first time following a full safety briefing. They will learn how to drive a kart, start to understand the racing lines and gradually gain their confidence on the track. Each student will go on track twice during this event and everyone will have the opportunity to speak to their race hosts to ask questions, get racing tips and generally have an awesome time!

The **second stage is the Local Final**. Students will revisit the track they did their practice session at, and once again have a full safety briefing before battling it out on track against other school teams. Each person will race twice for their team and this is where the team spirit, support and tactics really come in to fruition. Be sure to encourage spectators for your teams and rally up the support from other students to boost their confidence and enjoyment.

The **third stage is the Regional Final**. Students who take a podium place at the Local Final will be invited to the Regional Final. There is an additional fee of £60 per team for this event which is paid online in advance. The Regional final host venues can be found at [www.bskc.co.uk/regional](http://www.bskc.co.uk/regional). Students will race twice each at the regional final and can expect an epic battle out on track which can be as exhilarating for them as it is their supporters spectating!

The **fourth and final stage is the National Final**. This takes place at Warrington and is **FREE** of charge for all those that qualify. The standard of sportsmanship and talent at the national final is next level. Again, all members of the team will race twice in their bid to secure the top of the podium. The national final will conclude with podium presentations and awards for the new title holders of the **British Schools Karting Championship**.



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# LET'S MAKE IT HAPPEN

## FIND YOUR STUDENTS

They need to be aged 13 years or older on 1st January 2023 and be at least 1.57m (5'2") wearing shoes.

## PUT THEM IN TEAMS OF 3

Students need to be in a teams of 3 and available to attend the practice session and local final session together. For your nearest track and date check out: [bskc.co.uk/race-schedule](https://bskc.co.uk/race-schedule).

## TEAM CAPTAIN

This is usually a teacher, but it can be a parent with the permission of the school. This person will be responsible for the booking, payment and ideally there to support the students at the events.

## AGREE FUNDING

The cost to enter a team of 3 is £150, £50 per student. The payment is made in one transaction for the whole team online at [bskc.co.uk/register](https://bskc.co.uk/register). It is at your discretion if the school/college pays directly, seeks a donation of support or if you ask parents to contribute for their own child. NB if a team qualifies for the regional final they will pay an additional £60 per team. If a team qualifies to the National Final this is **FREE**.

## HOUSE KEEPING

Only one driver in the team may hold (or have previously held) a racing license at the level of Karting National B or higher. Practice sessions will be held in February and March to prepare teams for the ultimate competitive races taking place in the regional qualifying round in May and the National Final in June 2023.