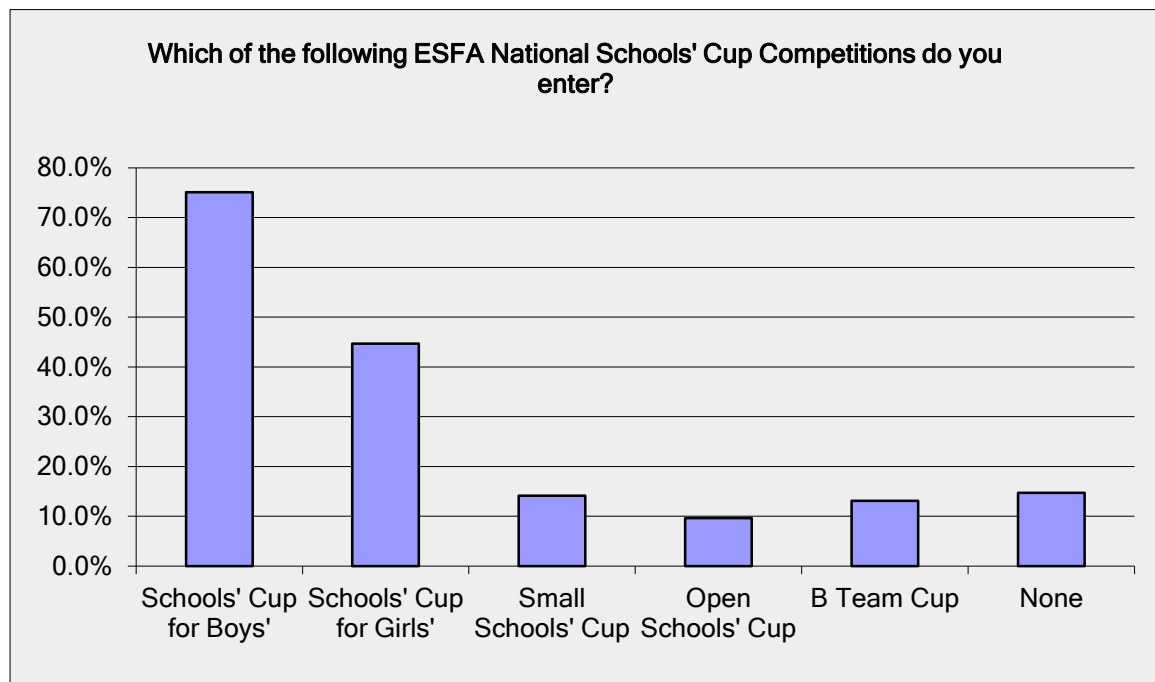


# ESFA National Competitions Review (Secondary Schools) Results: 2015/2016

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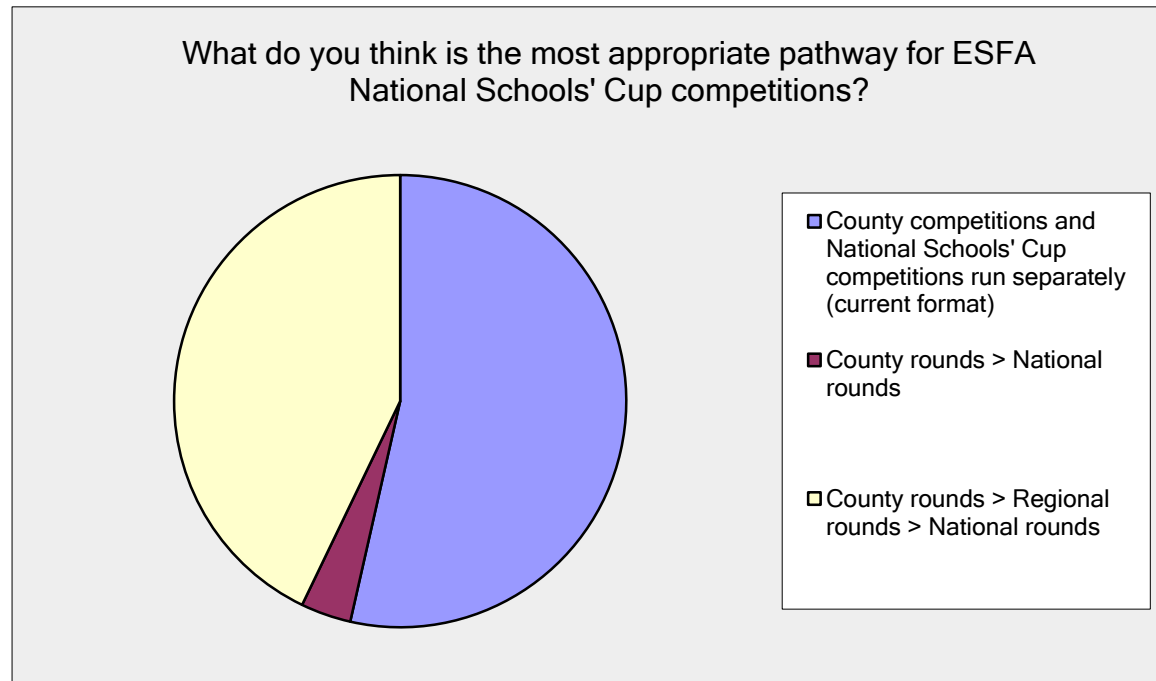
**Q1: Which of the following ESFA National Schools' Cup Competitions do you enter?**

Answer Options	Response Percent
Schools' Cup for Boys'	75.1%
Schools' Cup for Girls'	44.7%
Small Schools' Cup	14.1%
Open Schools' Cup	9.6%
B Team Cup	13.1%
None	14.7%



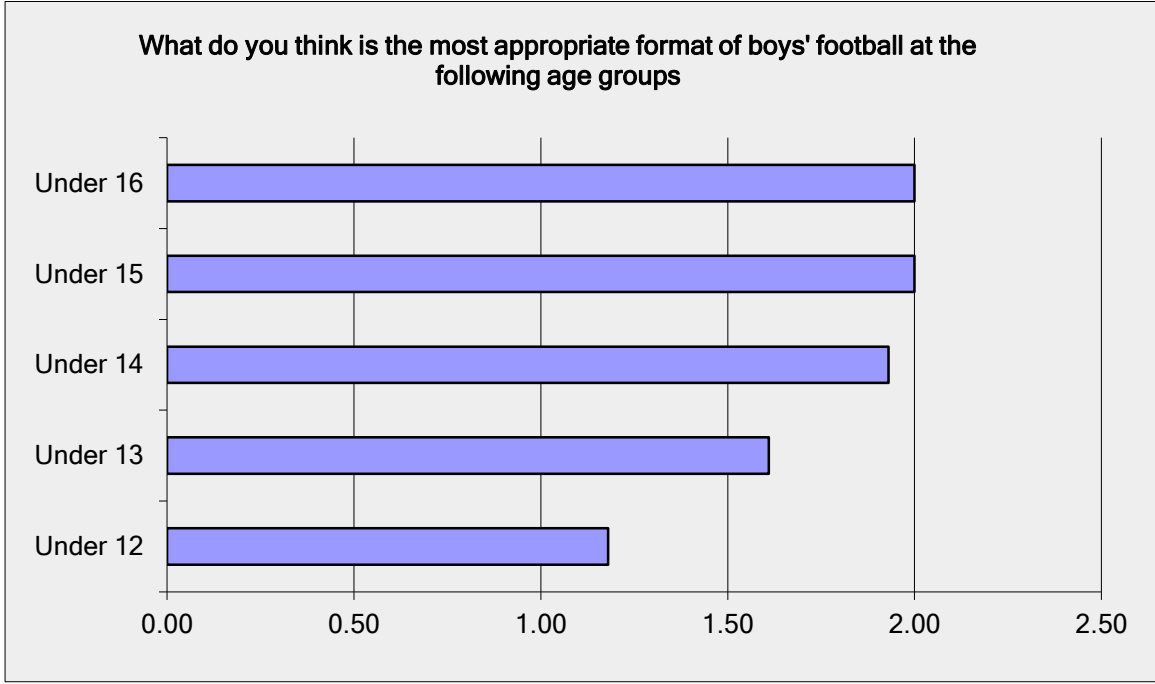
## Q2: What do you think is the most appropriate pathway for ESFA National Schools' Cup competitions?

Answer Options	Response Percent
County competitions and National Schools' Cup competitions run separately (current format)	53.6%
County rounds > National rounds	3.6%
County rounds > Regional rounds > National rounds	42.9%



**Q3: What do you think is the most appropriate format of boys' football at the following age groups**

Answer Options	9-a-side	11-a-side
Under 12	249	54
Under 13	116	185
Under 14	21	283
Under 15	1	304
Under 16	1	304

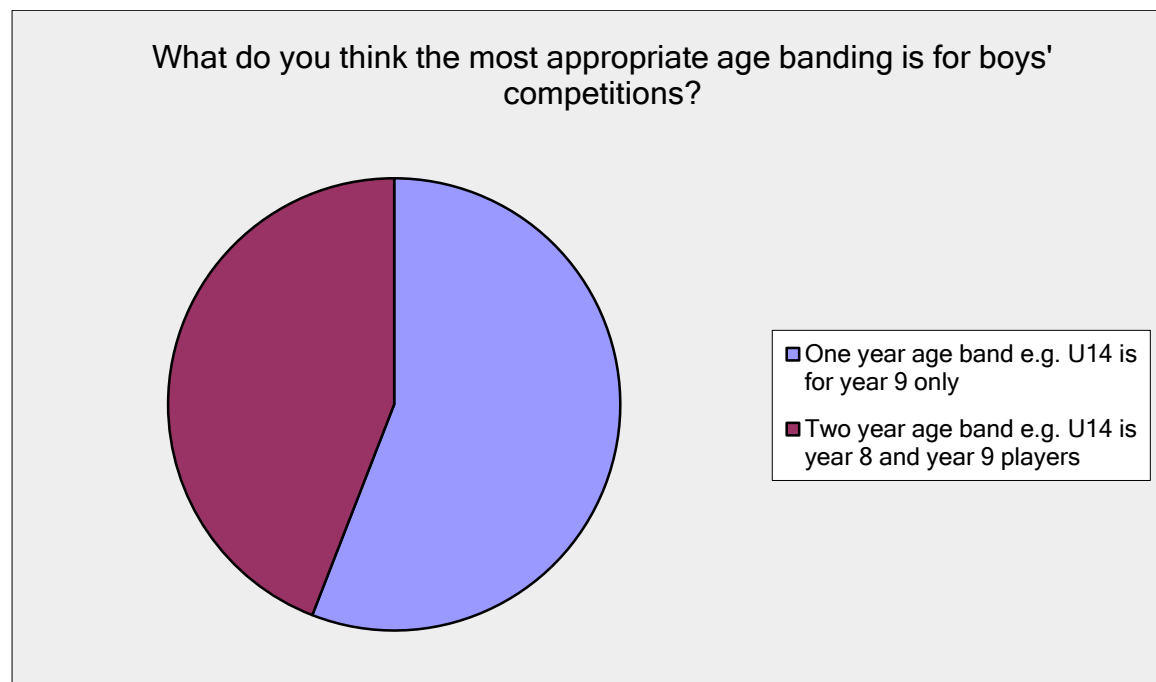


**Q4: What do you think is the most appropriate format of girls' football at the following age groups**

Answer Options	7-a-side	11-a-side	9-a-side	Rating Average	Response Count
Under 12	165	16	114	1.49	295
Under 13	73	39	180	1.88	292
Under 14	20	143	135	2.41	298
Under 15	8	234	55	2.76	297
Under 16	10	259	28	2.84	297

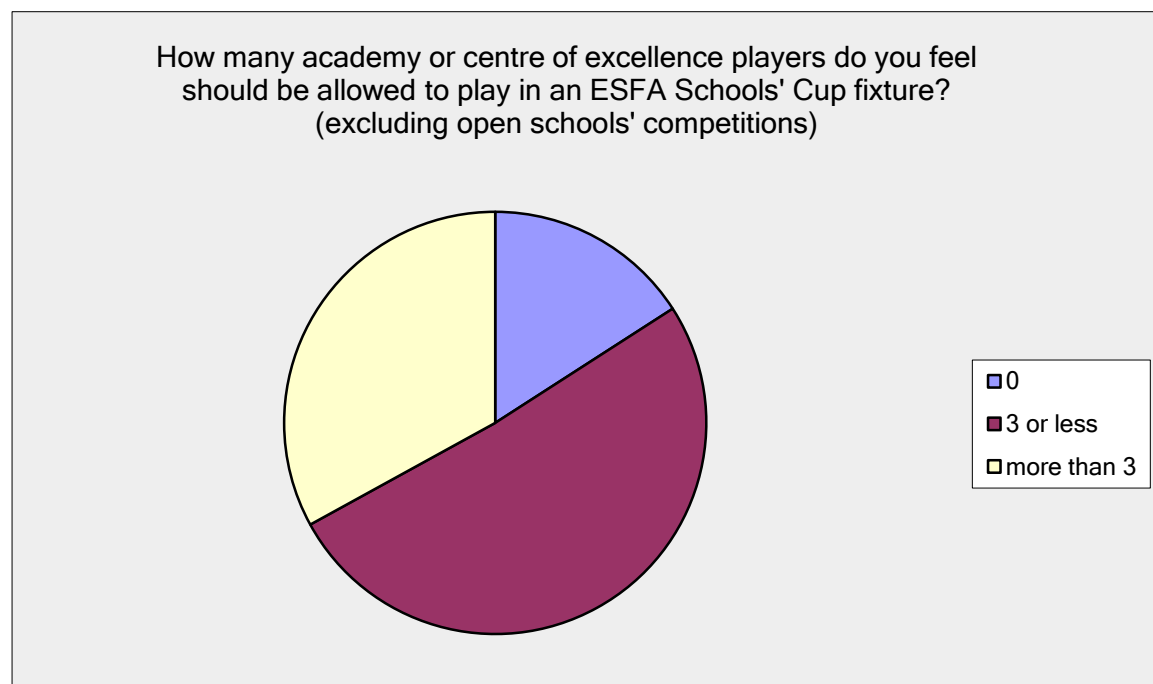
**Q5: What do you think the most appropriate age banding is for boys' competitions?**

Answer Options	Response Percent
One year age band e.g. U14 is for year 9 only	55.9%
Two year age band e.g. U14 is year 8 and year 9 players	44.1%



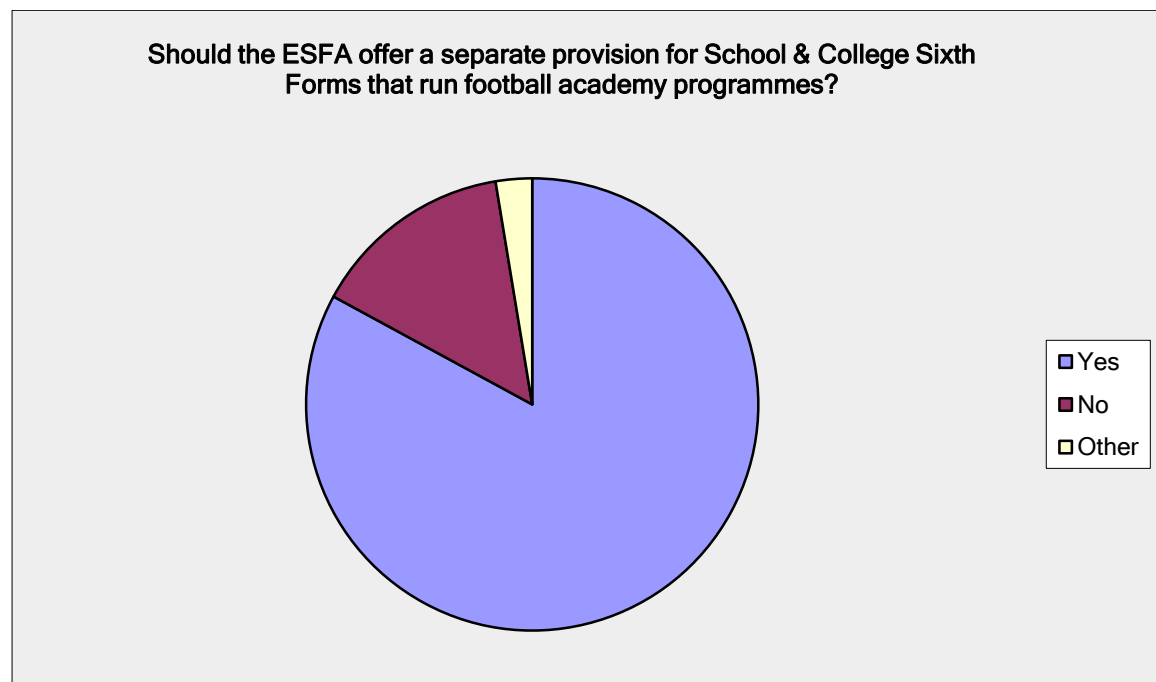
**Q6: How many academy or centre of excellence players do you feel should be allowed to play in an ESFA Schools' Cup fixture? (excluding open schools' competitions)**

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
0	15.9%	49
3 or less	51.1%	158
more than 3	33.0%	102



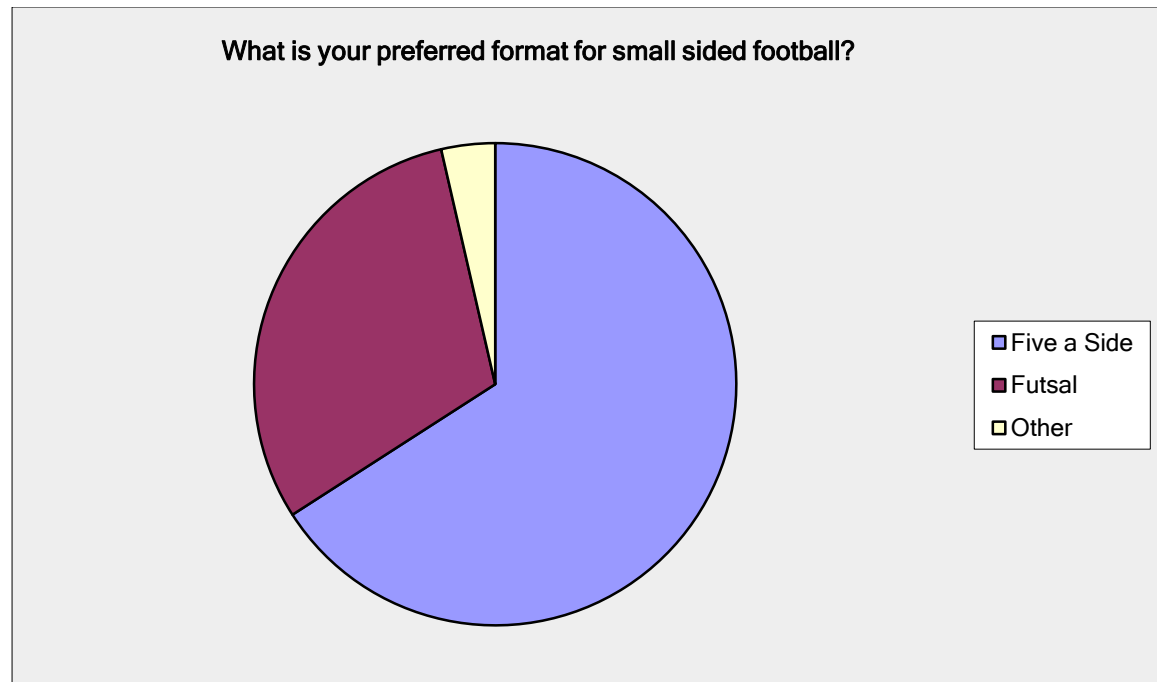
**Q6: Should the ESFA offer a separate provision for School & College Sixth Forms that run football academy programmes?**

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	83.0%	258
No	14.5%	45
Other	2.6%	8
Other (please specify)		20



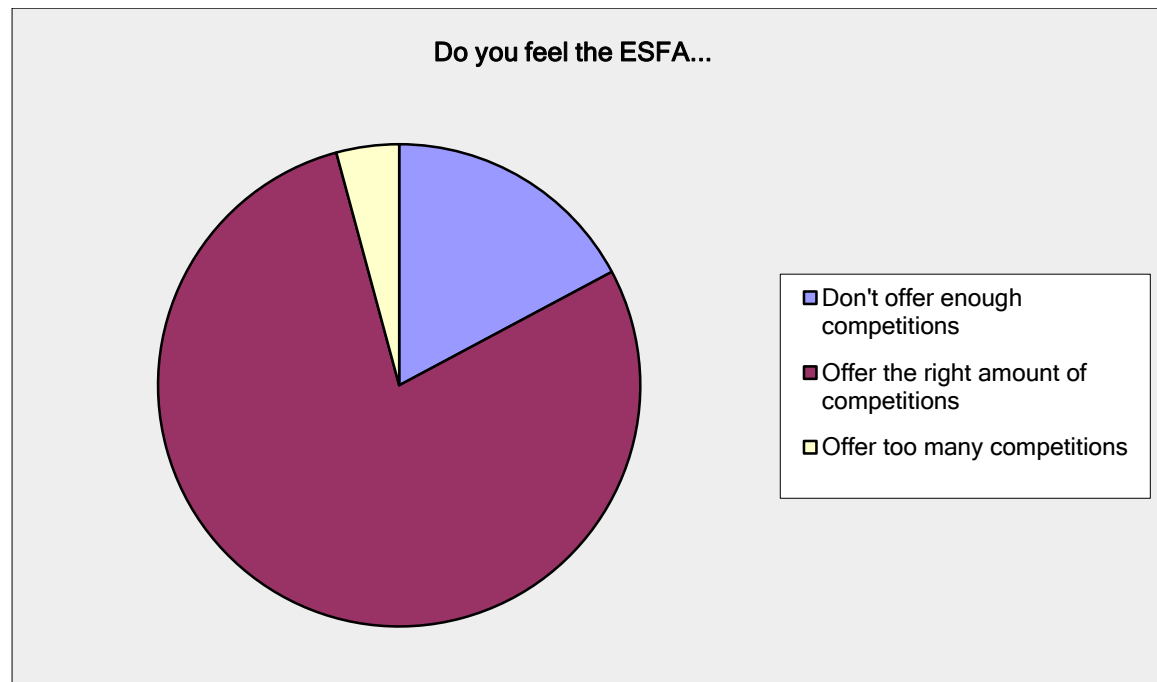
### Q7: What is your preferred format for small sided football?

Answer Options	Response Percent
Five a Side	65.9%
Futsal	30.5%
Other	3.6%



## Q8: Do you feel the ESFA...

Answer Options	Response Percent
Don't offer enough competitions	17.2%
Offer the right amount of competitions	78.6%
Offer too many competitions	4.2%





**Q9: Do you feel a 'player registration' system should be implemented by the ESFA?**

Answer Options	Response Percent
Yes	28.3%
No	65.0%
Other (please specify)	6.7%

