

This Handbook is to be used in conjunction with the **Butterfly 'More Schools' Project Toolkit** which includes a Competition Template Pack, Certificate Pack, Developmental Circuit Master Instruction Cards and other relevant information – all free to download from the ESTTA website (development section).

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Finally the **English Schools' Table Tennis Association** is a fully constituted body with the following objects:

- To promote, encourage and improve the playing of table tennis in schools.
- To encourage the formation of Local and County Schools' Table Tennis Associations.
- To organise the National School Team Championships and National Individual Championships in Under 19/16/13/11 age groups.
- To liaise with School Sport Partnerships, their Partnership Development Managers, School Sport Co-ordinators, Primary Link Teachers and Competition Managers to promote intra and inter school events.
- To promote, with the English Table Tennis Association, the development of schools' table tennis as part of a unified programme for young people.
- To select representative teams to play in:
 - The International School Sport Federation biennial 'World Schools' Table Tennis Championships (Under 17) for champion school teams and selected teams.
 - The Annual Schools' Home Countries Invitation International Championships in Under 18/16/14 age groups.
 - The British Primary Championships (Under 11).
 - The UK School Games (in partnership with the ETTA).

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