

**THE FA YOUTH CUP  
THIRD ROUND QUALIFYING  
TIES TO BE PLAYED IN WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY 16 OCTOBER 2023**

1	South Shields	v	York City
2	Guiseley or Gainsborough Trinity	v	Hartlepool United
3	Chester-Le-Street United	v	Pontefract Collieries
4	Oldham Athletic or AFC Fylde	v	Chester
5	Farsley Celtic	v	Wythenshawe
6	Hyde United or Curzon Ashton	v	Lancaster City
7	Rochdale	v	Burscough or Macclesfield
8	Boldmere St Michaels	v	Basford United or Ingles
9	Bugbrooke St Michaels	v	Stourbridge
10	Newport Pagnell Town	v	Chasetown
11	Heather St Johns	v	Chesterfield
12	Tividale	v	Solihull Moors
13	Mickleover	v	Bedworth United
14	Hitchin Town	v	Bury Town
15	Leighton Town	v	King's Lynn Town
16	AFC Sudbury	v	Chelmsford City
17	Wingate & Finchley	v	Hemel Hempstead Town or Southend United
18	Barnet or Boreham Wood	v	May & Baker Eastbrook Community or Ware
19	Stanway Rovers	v	Barking
20	New Salamis or Hertford Town	v	Takeley
21	Walton & Hersham	v	Maidstone United
22	Tring Athletic	v	Jersey Bulls
23	Crawley Down Gatwick	v	Worthing
24	Uxbridge	v	Berkhamsted or Slough Town
25	Burgess Hill Town	v	Tonbridge Angels
26	Rusthall	v	Kingstonian or Lancing
27	Erith & Belvedere	v	Croydon
28	Welling United	v	Cobham or Dorking Wanderers
29	Thame United	v	Basingstoke Town
30	Torquay United	v	Reading City
31	Oxford City	v	Street
32	Mangotsfield United	v	Bridgwater United
33	Truro City	v	Eastleigh
34	Aldershot Town	v	Weston Super Mare
35	Fareham Town	v	Wimborne Town

**MATCH DATES**

All ties must be played in week commencing Monday 16 October 2023, kick-off 7.00pm, unless mutually agreed otherwise.

When a match is drawn after 90 minutes, the winner shall be determined by the taking of kicks from the penalty mark in accordance with the procedure adopted by The International Football Association Board.

Matches in The FA Youth Cup Competition take priority over all other matches with the only exception being home first team commitments.

**MATCH ARRANGEMENT FORM – DO NOT POST**

Home Clubs must ensure that the Match Arrangement Form is completed and received by The FA Competitions Department by Wednesday 11 October 2023 by emailing to [competition.matcharrangements@thefa.com](mailto:competition.matcharrangements@thefa.com)

Match Arrangement forms are available on TheFA.com under the following link:-  
<http://www.thefa.com/TheFACup/More/match-forms>

**PLAYER REGISTRATION DEADLINE**

The Player Registration Deadline is **12 noon on the day previous to the date fixed for playing the match**, this includes postponements.

**AGE GROUP BRACKETS**

**Only those players are eligible to take part who have reached the age of 15 years by midnight on 31 August of the current season and not reached the age of 18 years as at midnight on 31 August of the current season. (For season 2023-2024, a player must have been born on or after 1 September 2005 and before 1 September 2008).**

**Competition Proper – Ties to be played by the closing date:-**

First Round Proper	Saturday 4 November 2023
Second Round Proper	Saturday 25 November 2023
Third Round Proper	Saturday 16 December 2023
Fourth Round Proper	Saturday 20 January 2024
Fifth Round Proper	Saturday 10 February 2024
Sixth Round Proper	Saturday 9 March 2024
Semi Final	Saturday 6 April 2024
Final	Saturday 4 May 2024