

FIVB
 VOLLEYBALL
WOMEN'S WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
JAPAN 2018

OPENING MATCH

Saturday
29 September

POOL A,B,C,D
5 COMPETITIONS DAYS

29 Sep - 4 Oct

4 COMPETITIONS DAYS

7-11 October

3 COMPETITIONS DAYS

14-16 October

1 COMPETITION DAY

19 October

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20 October

FIRST ROUND (4 CITIES)

POOL A

YOKOHAMA

POOL B

SAPPORO

POOL C

KOBE

POOL D

HAMAMATSU

JPN	CHN	USA	SRB
NED	ITA	RUS	BRA
ARG	TUR	KOR	DOM
GER	BUL	THA	PUR
CMR	CAN	AZE	KAZ
MEX	CUB	TTO	KEN

24 Teams
4 Pools of 6 teams
60 Matches

5 Matches per team – Round Robin
5th and 6th Eliminated*

8 Teams leave competition

SECOND ROUND (2 CITIES)

POOL E

NAGOYA

POOL F

OSAKA

A1	B1
D1	C1
A2	B2
D2	C2
A3	B3
D3	C3
A4	B4
D4	C4

16 Teams
2 Pools of 8 teams
32 Matches

4 Matches per team – Round Robin
4th to 8th Eliminated*

10 Teams leave competition

THIRD ROUND (1 CITY)

POOL G

NAGOYA

POOL H

NAGOYA

Draw 1st E/F	Draw 1st E/F
Draw 3rd E/F	Draw 3rd E/F
*Draw 2nd E/F	*Draw 2nd E/F

In case E1 and E3 are in the same pool, F2 will be automatically allocated to that pool (E1, F2, E3) and E2 in the other (F1, E2, F3)

SEMI-FINALS (1 CITY)

Semi-finals

YOKOHAMA

5th Place Match

YOKOHAMA

G1 v H2

H1 v G2

G3 v H3

6 Teams
2 Pools of 3 teams
6 Matches

2 Matches per team
Top 2 teams from each pool advance to Semi-Finals

2 Teams leave competition

6 Teams

Direct Elimination
2 Matches
Winners advance to Finals

FINALS

Final Match

YOKOHAMA

3rd Place Match

YOKOHAMA

Semifinal
Winners

Semifinal
Losers

4 Teams

3rd/4th Place and Finals
2 Matches