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APEX LEGENDS PLAYER GUIDE

NSE Spring 2025

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1.Introduction

Thank you for signing up to Apex Legends NSE Winter. This document is a guide to playing in the tournament and working through it will help avoid on the night issues and ensure you get the best out of your tournament experience.

Discord

In order to make it easier for other players to contact you on the night it is recommended you add a discord username to your nse profile. To do this go to nse.gg ->profile ->edit

2. Format

Online League Week 1-3

The Apex Legends NSE Winter tournament will run over 4 weeks with games taking place every Tuesday. Lobbies will be announced at the start of each night and Teams will play 4 games in that lobby. After all games, players will be awarded league points for that evening. In the first 3 weeks teams will be snake seeded. If teams are tied in the league, the highest scoring week is used as the first tiebreaker. If still tied, the most recent result is used.

Lobby Placement	League Points (Week 1-3)
1	25
2	21
3	18
4	16
5	15
6	14
7	13
8	12
9	11
10	10
11	9
12	8

13	7
14	6
15	5
16	4
17	3
18	2
19	1
20	0

Online League Finals Week 4

In the 4th week the top 20 teams will be put in the Finals Lobby. Teams in the Finals Lobby will play a maximum of 6 rounds of Match point format (50 point threshold). Top 10 teams from weeks 1-3 will be given advanced starting points.

3. On the night information (Tournament system, contacting admins)

Schedule

6:30pm	Check-in closes
~6:45pm	Round 1 fixtures published
7pm	Team Captains meeting
7.15pm	Round 1
7.45pm	Round 2
8.15pm	Round 3
8.45pm	Round 4

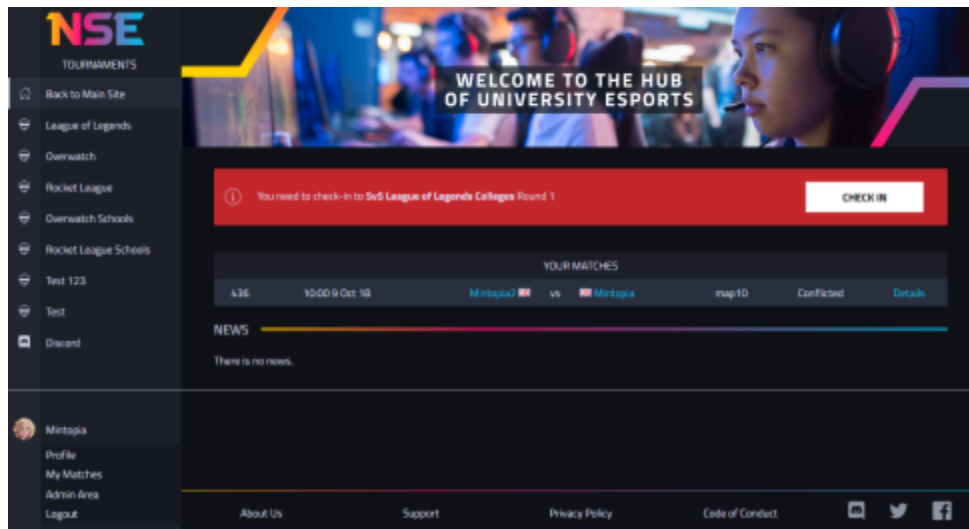
Please note after round 1 round times are approx and players are recommended to start as soon as everyone is ready.

Logging in to the tournament site.

To login in to the [tournament site](#) use the email and password you used to sign up for www.nse.gg.

How to check in

Before 6:30pm each week for the swiss stage you will need to check in by clicking the “CHECK IN” button while on the [tournament site](#). This lets us know you are here for games this week and minimizes the number of byes we have to give. If you do not check in for a week you will not get matches for that week.



Captains Meeting

Every week we will be running a team captains meeting on discord. During the captains meeting, admins will recap important information for that week's games including any rules changes. To join the captains meeting

1. Join <https://discord.gg/jNqA9qG>
2. Click the Apex Legends logo in the #get-role channel to get the APEX role
3. Join Player meeting room

How to find fixtures

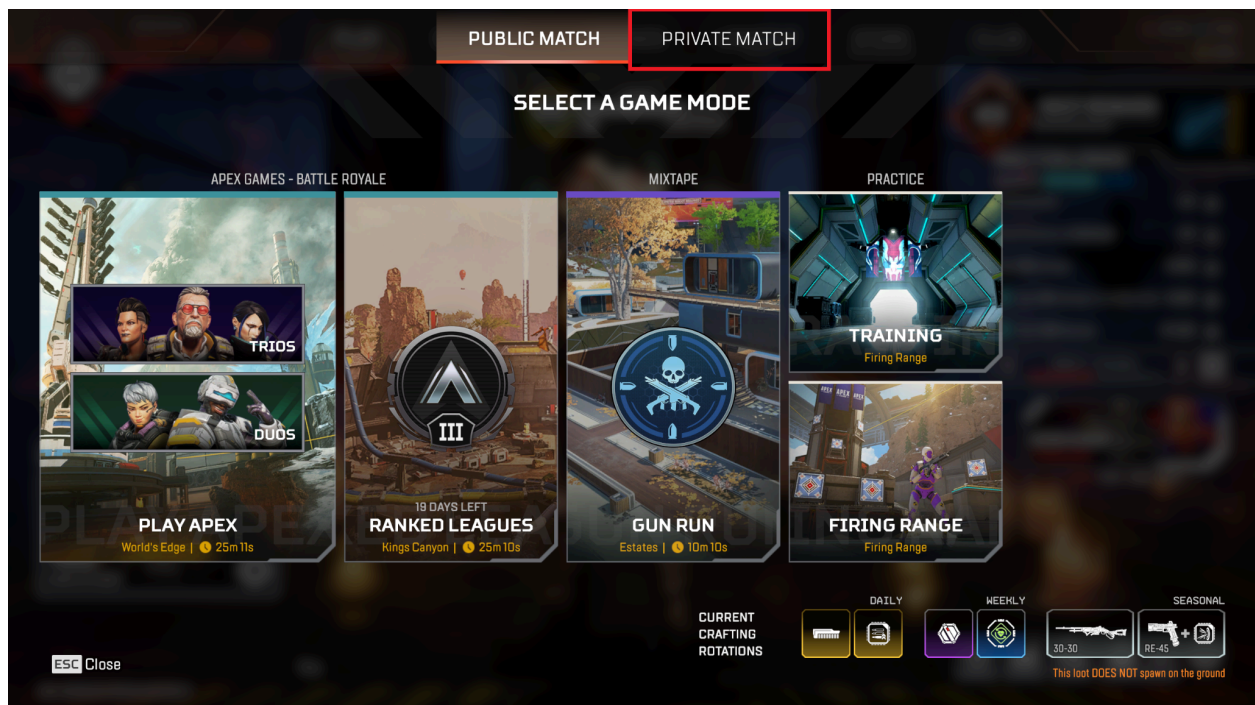
Each week a spreadsheet will be posted in #Apex-Announcements that will include the lobby code and fixtures. #Apex-Announcements.

How to join a lobby.

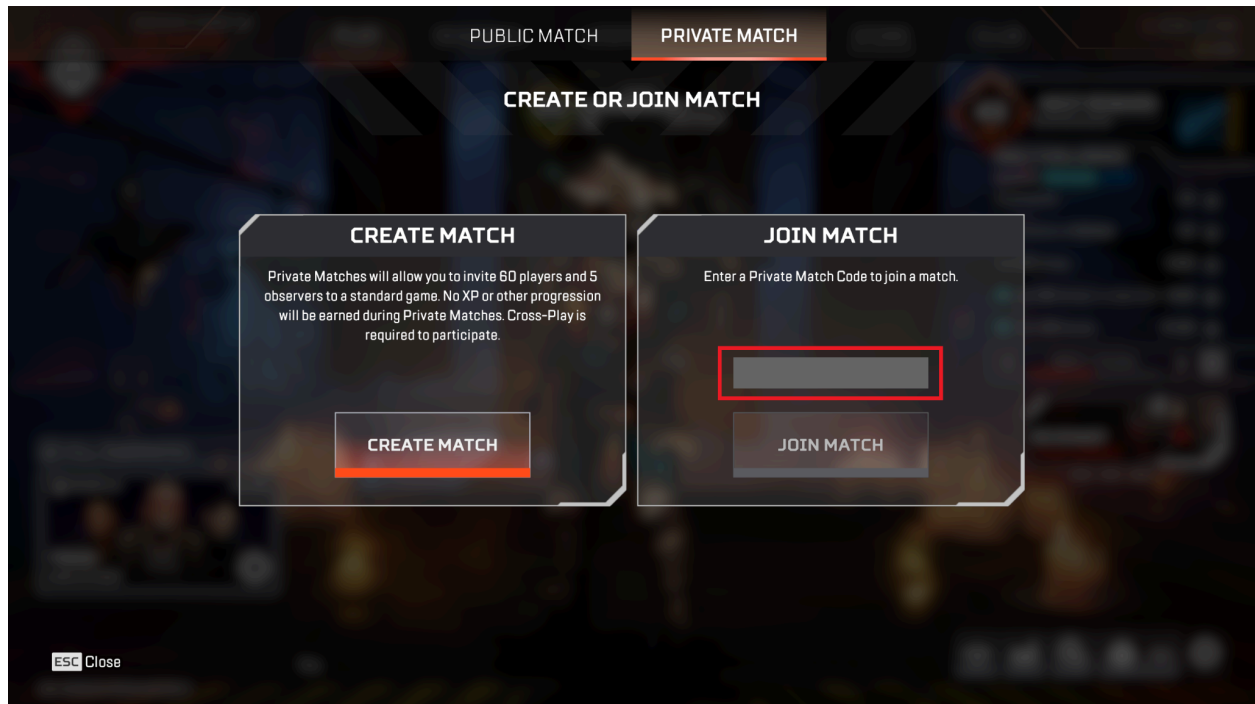
From the main Apex screen, go to the playlist select screen.



Select "Private Match" at the top



Enter the lobby code into the "Join Match" box.



Join your assigned team by clicking on the empty team slot.



4. No Show

If a player is not ready 20 minutes after the game is scheduled or 20 minutes after their last game has ended (whichever is later). Please contact admin via discord.

5. Rules

RULES SUMMARY

This is a quick summary of rules that most players need to know. [Click here to download the full rulebook](#)

- All players must be current students of the same university.
- Check-in deadline is 6.30pm. Players who don't check-in will be automatically dropped from the tournament.
- Teams must have at least 3 players.
- Teams are expected to arrive promptly for all games. If a team is more than 15 minutes late for the start of the game they will not be included in that game.
- Offensive ingame names are not allowed.
- Verbal abuse is not allowed. In particular any use of racist, sexist, homophobic or any other discriminatory language will be suspended for the remainder of the season (minimum of 3 weeks, carried over to the following season).

Players are expected to uphold the NSE Code of Conduct at all times whilst playing in the tournament.

MAP POOL

- E-District
- Storm Point
- World's End

POINT SYSTEM

Teams will earn 1 point per kill, in addition to this, teams will earn points based on their final position each round:

Finish Position	Points
1st	12 Points
2nd	9 Points
3rd	7 Points

4th	5 Points
5th	4 Points
6th - 7th	3 Points
8th - 10th	2 Points
11th - 15th	1 Point
16th - 20th	0 Points

In the event of a tie, the following tiebreaks are applied in order:

- Highest scoring game
- Best placement (in one game)
- Total kills

SUBSTITUTION RULES

- Teams may add/remove players from the team between weeks.
- Teams may play with any players listed on their roster.
 - Teams may substitute players between rounds.
- Players may be added to teams at any point as long as it does not cause a delay to round starting.
- Players may not play for more than one team in a single tournament night.

All decisions regarding the interpretation and enforcement of these rules are at the sole discretion of the NSE Admin Team, whose decisions are final.

These rules may be amended, changed or supplemented when required by the NSE Admin Team to ensure fair play and competitive integrity.

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6. Contact

During week

To contact mid week or before the tournament begins email Tournaments@nse.gg or message us via [Discord](#). Make sure you go to the #get-role channel to get the Apex Legends role to see Apex Legends related channels.

On tournament nights

The tournament system has a built in ticketing system however the quickest way to contact an admin will normally be via Discord. To contact an admin, join the help waiting room channel or an empty help room and an admin will join you as soon as they are available.

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