

e-sports Competition Guidelines

【Date】

Saturday, November 15th, 2025

Sunday, November 16th, 2025

【Venue】

Central Gymnasium Meeting Room

Practical room in Central Gymnasium

【Division】

General (Mario Kart) Division

*In case of a large number of applications, a lottery will be conducted. Only the representative will be notified by email in case of rejection. *

【Registration Restrictions】

None in particular

【Software Used】

MarioKart8 Deluxe

【Hardware Used】

Nintendo Switch

【Match Format】

Tournament

A double-elimination format will be used.

※Double elimination format

The double elimination format means that the tournament will be divided into two tournaments: the Winners Tournament and the Losers Tournament.

The winner of the Losers Tournament will move to the Winners Tournament Final.

【Rules】

- Team battles using VS Race.
- Each team will play 4 x 2 players. (Up to one substitute may be registered.)

- Grand Prix 150cc / Individual race / Normal items / Strong CPU / All vehicles / CPU included.
- All matches before the semifinals will have 4 races. All matches from the semifinals onwards will have 6 races.
- The qualifying team will be two teams per game.
- In case of a tie, the team with the highest average rank over 5 races among tied teams will win.
- Tire, glider, and controller selection or changes are free.
- Participate in the race with the registered participant name.
- On the day of the event, each participant will play the game with their team identifier added to the beginning of their player name.
(e.g., [Team Identifier] Player Name)
- The team identifiers will be shared with each team via the open chat.
- The minimum number of participants to start a match is 2 per team.
- The stage to be used will be determined by drawing lots from the following 12 courses. A course already used in a match will not be reused in that match.
 1. N64 Royal Raceway
 2. GBA Mario Circuit
 3. Dolphin Shoals
 4. DS Wario Stadium
 5. 3DS Neo Bowser City
 6. Excitebike Arena
 7. Tour Bangkok Rush (DLC)
 8. Wii Coconut Mall (DLC)
 9. GC DK Mountain (DLC)
 10. Sky Garden (DLC)
 11. SNES Bowser Castle 3(DLC)
 12. Wii Rainbow Road (DLC)

【Dealing With Late teams】

- A delay of up to 5 minutes from the scheduled start time is allowed.
- If more than five minutes have passed since the scheduled start time and the team does not have the minimum required two players, the team will be considered late and will lose by default.

【Adding Players on the Day of the competition】

- Adding players to multiple teams within the same event is not allowed.

- Re-adding a player who was once removed is not allowed.
- On the day of the event, only one team member may be changed.

【Referees】

Sports • Day Staff

【Notes】

- Eating and smoking are prohibited in the venue.
- Participating in a team not registered under your name is prohibited.
- Teams found to have unauthorized participants will be disqualified.
- Bring your own Nintendo Switch console and dock as they will not be provided.
- Bring your own earphones or headphones as they will not be provided.
- Bring your own controllers as they will not be provided. However, borrowing controllers within the same team is allowed.
- Connect your controllers yourself, and bring any necessary equipment (e.g., cables for Pro Controllers).
- Configure the game settings before the match, as there will be no time allocated for setup.
- Matches will use local communication, so refer to separate instructions on how to connect via local communication.
- Each team will be provided with one monitor. The game footage on the monitor will be projected via a projector for public viewing in the lounge of the Central Gymnasium.
- The Sports Day Student Committee and participating players are not responsible for any damage or loss of controllers or other equipment during the event.
- Do not use any equipment other than controllers and connection devices during matches without permission. If you want to bring additional equipment, contact the Sports Day Student Committee by email (spoday@stb.tsukuba.ac.jp) in advance for approval.
- Matches will be streamed and public viewing will be conducted in the lounge of the Central Gymnasium. Participation in the tournament implies consent to this.
- Follow the instructions of the referees. Failure to do so may result in disqualification or expulsion.