

ePremier12 Global Qualifier Rules

These rules apply to the "Global Qualifier" online tournament(s) to select players for the ePremier12, a tournament to be hosted by WBSC (World Baseball Softball Confederation) in November 2024. The "Global Qualifier" will consist of online qualifiers and play-off.

There will be two (2) "Global Qualifier", the "ePremier12 1st Global Qualifier" and the "ePremier12 2nd Global Qualifier."

【Schedule】

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- Week 1: Sunday, April 14, 2024 10:00 - Sunday, April 21, 2024 07:59 PDT
- Week 2: Sunday, April 28, 2024 10:00 - Sunday, May 5, 2024 07:59 PDT
- Week 3: Sunday, May 12, 2024 10:00 - Sunday, May 19, 2024 07:59 PDT
- Week 4: Sunday, May 26, 2024 10:00 - Sunday, June 2, 2024 07:59 PDT
- Play-offs: Late June 2024

<2nd>

- Week 1: Sunday, June 23, 2024 10:00 - Sunday, June 30, 2024 07:59 PDT
- Week 2: Sunday, July 7, 2024 10:00 - Sunday, July 14, 2024 07:59 PDT
- Week 3: Sunday, July 21, 2024 10:00 - Sunday, July 28, 2024 07:59 PDT
- Week 4: Sunday, August 4, 2024 10:00 - Sunday, August 11, 2024 07:59 PDT
- Play-offs: Late August 2024

【Entry Requirements】

- Must have a copy of the PlayStation®4 or Nintendo Switch™ version of WBSC eBASEBALL™: POWER PROS.
- Must be able to connect to the internet to access Championship Mode within the game.
- Must have a Sony Entertainment Network (SEN) account or Nintendo Account to access Championship Mode within the game.

- Users of the PS4® version must have a paid subscription to PS Plus to access Championship Mode within the game.
- Users of the Switch version must have a paid subscription to Nintendo Switch Online.
- Anyone can participate in the online qualifiers, but only players who were born on or before April 1, 2009 will be eligible to play in the playoffs.

【Ranking】

- The ranking will be determined by Qualifier Points (QP) earned in the ePremier12 Global Qualifiers held in the "Championship" mode.
- There will be 2 online qualifiers, the 1st and 2nd Global Qualifiers, each with a playoff.
- There will be a total of four online tournaments per each of the two Global Qualifiers. The rankings of each online tournament will be determined by Selection Points (SP).
- Selection Points (SP) will reset to 0 for each online tournament.
- The SP used for the rankings will be based on 10 games only. SP will be calculated by adding up the total points from the 10 games during the event period in which the player had the best score.
- At the end of each Week, the top 50 players of the SP ranking will be awarded QPs, and the top 16 players with the most accumulated points after Week 4 will advance to the Play-off. The table below shows the QPs for each ranking.
- *If a player has already qualified for the ePremier12, he/she will be moved up in the rankings.

【QP Ranking Point Table】

1 st	500	11 th	82	21 st	54	31 st	34	41 st	14
2 nd	250	12 th	79	22 nd	52	32 nd	32	42 nd	12
3 rd	150	13 th	76	23 rd	50	33 rd	30	43 rd	10
4 th	120	14 th	73	24 th	48	34 th	28	44 th	8
5 th	100	15 th	70	25 th	46	35 th	26	45 th	6
6 th	97	16 th	67	26 th	44	36 th	24	46 th	5
7 th	94	17 th	64	27 th	42	37 th	22	47 th	4
8 th	91	18 th	61	28 th	40	38 th	20	48 th	3
9 th	88	19 th	58	29 th	38	39 th	18	49 th	2
10 th	85	20 th	56	30 th	36	40 th	16	50 th	1

- All ties for the QP shall be settled in the order of the following list.
 - The player with the highest SP ranking of the tournaments participated within each of the 1st and 2nd online qualifiers.
 - The player with the highest number of SP in the competitions within each of the 1st and 2nd online qualifiers.
 - The player with the highest total number of wins within each of the 1st and 2nd online qualifiers.
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- Candidates for the qualifiers of the Play-offs will be contacted by KDE via in-game notification with an entry form. WBSC will receive and manage the personal information provided in the entry form. Runners-up may also be notified of alternate candidates or advancement.

【Tournament Regulations】

- Please use the most recent data version for WBSC eBASEBALL™: POWER PROS.
- In online matches, the game settings, fields, and the player batting/fielding first will be adjusted in line with the in-game rules.
- Team costs will be set differently for each Week. Details will be announced prior to each event.

- Details of the Play-offs will be announced at the completion of the online tournaments.

【Prohibited Items】

- Players will be disqualified if they are judged by the organizers to have engaged in unfair play or unsporting behavior, such as intentionally matching against the same opponent.
- Players who repeatedly disconnect during online matching may be subject to penalties, including disqualification, at the discretion of the organizers.

【Rules Management】

The tournament organizers are in charge of these rules, and changes may be made to them without notice.

【Publication - Revisions】

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