

Online Chess Tournament Rules

Below are the basic rules and structure of the IASE Online Chess Tournament.

Categories

- Terrific Taurus
- Amazing Alpha Centauris and above

Online Platform

- The IASE Online Chess Tournament will be conducted on the lichess.org website.
- Participants will be provided with detailed information about the platform, login credentials, and tournament arena details.

Tournament Structure

- The tournament will be conducted in the Swiss tournament format.
- Every participant will play all the rounds.
- There will be no knockout matches.
- Terrific Taurus category will have three rounds.
- Amazing Alpha Centauris and above category will have five rounds.
- The number of rounds depends on the number of participants.
- Match fixtures will be randomly paired and controlled by the platform.
- The tournament will be conducted over two days, with one day reserved for tie-breaker rounds.
- In a particular round, all matches will run in parallel.

Time Control

- Terrific Taurus category: fifteen minutes per player per game.
- Amazing Alpha Centauris and above category: ten minutes per player per game.
- No time increment per move.

- A break of five to ten minutes after each round.
- All regular rounds will be completed on the first day.

Scoring System

- Win: one point.
- Draw: half point to each player.
- Loss: zero points.

After completion of all rounds, the top two players will be declared as Winner and Runner-up.

Tie-Breaker Round

- Tie-breakers will be conducted only if the top two players have equal points.
- No tie-breakers will be conducted for other positions.
- Time control will be seven minutes for Terrific Taurus and five minutes for Amazing Alpha Centauris and above.
- If more than two players are involved, the number of rounds will be decided by the organizers.

General Instructions

- The date and time of the tournament will be announced separately.
- Participants are advised to play two to three practice games on the platform before the tournament.

Coordinators

The match framework has been Discussed and finalized during the scheduled coordinator meetings. The coordinators for Chess are:

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