

PADEL TABLE TENNIS RULES



SCORING & MATCH FORMAT

Matches use table tennis scoring. Each set is played to 11 points, but you must win by two points. The match is played as a best of 5 sets - first to win 3 sets wins the match.

EQUIPMENT

Standard table tennis tables and balls are used, together with the Padel Table Tennis enclosure.



SERVING RULES

The Ball must bounce on the server's side before crossing the net.

- Singles:

The serve can land anywhere on the opponent's side. Players take turns to serve two points each.

- Doubles:

The serve must land in the opponent's diagonal service box. The player on the right-hand side always serves first. After the first serve, the server swaps sides with their teammate to take their second serve. The ball then goes to the right-hand sided opponent to begin their two serves.

FAULTS & LETS

No second serves - if you fail to serve correctly, the point goes to your opponent. A 'let' is called if the serve touches the net but still lands correctly on the opponent's side - the serve is retaken.



RETURNS & RALLY PLAY

Players may return the ball:

- Directly over the net
- Off a side wall
- Off their own back wall to the opponent's side

In doubles, teammates must take alternate shots. The ball may only bounce once on the table but can bounce multiple times on surrounding walls.

WINNING A POINT

If your opponent fails to land the ball on your side of the table, you win a point.



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