EDGE ESPORTS TRYOUTS

SPRING 2027

The [EDGE] Esports, Development, Growth, and Education Foundation is a local 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization with a mission to provide teens with STEM education, leadership training, student wellness, and college and career pathways through the interest of scholastic esports.

Forging Champions in the Game of Life through Scholastic Esports

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EDGE ESPORTS OFFERS

Competitive Scholastic Esports Program

- High School UIL competition against schools across Texas (1A–6A) through the Texas Scholastic Esports Federation (TexSEF) as well as possible options through PlayVS Scholastic leagues, Tanches Esports League (TEL), and the Texas Esports Collective (TEC); participation in regional and state tournaments
- Structured, team-based environment with coaching and development
- Direct connections to colleges and universities offering scholarships to play collegiate esports

STEM Education

- Hands-on experiences that connect gaming interest to real technology careers
- Exposure to fields like computer science, game design, cybersecurity, and digital media

Leadership Training

- Builds communication, teamwork, and problem-solving skills that colleges and employers actively seek
- Players learn to lead on and off the screen

College & Career Pathways

- Coaches and staff actively connect players to scholarship opportunities and collegiate esports programs
- Players build a portfolio of skills that stand out in college and job applications

Player Wellness

- A supportive environment where mental health and personal growth are prioritized alongside competition
- We develop the whole person, not just the gamer

BOARD MEMBERS / COACHES

Rachel Lebowitz
DeeAnn Wagner
Stephanie Bellochio

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SCHEDULE

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

TUESDAYS	4:30 - 7:00 PM*	Matches / Practice for Fortnite, SSBU 1v1, Splatoon, Marvel Rivals
WEDNESDAYS	4:30 - 7:00 PM	Practice for ALL Players; Makeup Day for any Rescheduled Matches
THURSDAYS	4:30 - 7:00 PM*	Matches / Practice for SSBU 3v3, Rocket League, FGC titles: Street Fighter, Guilty Gear Strive, Tekken, Marvel Tokon, 2XKO

** NOTE: For players participating in both TexSEF and TEL competitions, arrival time will be 3:30 pm with match times at 3:45 pm and 5:00 pm.*

IMPORTANT DATES

Jan 9 -10	Tryouts
Jan 12	Practice Week
Jan 16	EDGE Esports Facility Grand Opening Celebration
Jan 19	Preseason Week
Jan 25 - March 25	Regular Season
March 29 - April 16	Playoffs
Feb 27	ESC13 Tournament in Austin (Fortnite, SSBU only) or the RGV Tournament in Mercedes (all titles)
April 2 - 3	Tournament at Brazosport College in Lake Jackson (all titles)
April 29 - May 1	TexSEF Esports State Championships at the Esports Stadium in Arlington

NOTE: Other events, tournaments, and fundraisers may be added to the schedule at a later date. Schedule subject to change due to league changes.

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COMMITMENT FORM

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WHAT WE REQUIRE OF OUR PLAYERS (AND PARENTS)

Commitment To:

- The program and your teammates
- Attend all matches, practices, other events and fundraisers (see schedule)
- The EDGE Code of Conduct and Student Handbook
- Parents: Support your player in all of his/her efforts and requirements of the program
- Parents: Travel with your player to tournaments and other events

Good Attitude

- We would rather have a good player with a great attitude than a great player with a poor attitude.

Your Best Effort

- We expect all players to give their best effort at all times. This includes a high-level of commitment to in-person practices as well as at-home practice as directed by your coaches.
- Arrive on time. Do not leave until you are dismissed.

Passing Grades

- All players are required to maintain passing grades of 70 or higher in every subject to be eligible for competition. Parents are required to report player grades every three weeks.

Join the EDGE Esports Discord

- All communication will be through our Discord server. Parents and players are required to join the server, be aware of all postings, and submit information when required.