

Mario Kart Tournament Directions

Materials Needed:

- Nintendo Switch console
- Nintendo Switch dock
- HDMI cable
- AC adapter (power cord)
- TV with an available HDMI port
- Joy-Con controllers

Steps:

1. Prepare the Dock:

- Open the back cover of the Nintendo Switch dock.

2. Connect the HDMI Cable:

- Plug one end of the HDMI cable into the HDMI OUT port on the dock.
- Plug the other end of the HDMI cable into an HDMI port on your TV.

3. Connect the AC Adapter:

- Plug the AC adapter (power cord) into the AC ADAPTER port on the dock.
- Plug the other end of the AC adapter into a power outlet.

4. Place the Nintendo Switch in the Dock:

- Align the bottom of the Nintendo Switch console with the dock's connector and gently slide it into place.
- Ensure the console is properly seated in the dock.

5. Turn on the TV and Select the HDMI Input:

- Turn on your TV.
- Use your TV remote to select the HDMI input you connected the Nintendo Switch to. This might be labeled as HDMI 1, HDMI 2, etc., depending on your TV.

6. Power On the Nintendo Switch:

- If the console does not automatically turn on, press the power button on the top left of the Nintendo Switch console.
- The Switch screen should appear on your TV.

7. Pair the Joy-Con Controllers:

- If not already paired, attach the Joy-Con controllers to the sides of the Nintendo Switch console or connect them wirelessly by pressing the small button on the side of each Joy-Con until they pair with the console.

8. Enjoy Your Game:

- Use the Joy-Con controllers to navigate the home screen and start playing your games.

Tips:

- Ensure all cables are securely connected.
- If the TV does not display the Nintendo Switch screen, double-check the HDMI input and make sure the Nintendo Switch is powered on.
- For better signal and performance, use the original Nintendo Switch cables and accessories.

Mario Kart Game Settings:

1. Set Up the Bracket:

- Create a 1v1 tournament bracket. You can use the bracket template on the desktop of the front office computer.
- List all the names participating in the competition. If there is more than one full bracket, you can adjust the rules for 4 players where the 2 winning players advance.

2. Launch Mario Kart 8 Deluxe:

- Insert the Mario Kart 8 Deluxe game cartridge into the console or launch the game from the home screen if it's a digital copy.

3. Select Multiplayer Mode:

- From the main menu, select "Multiplayer, 2 player."
- Choose "VS Race" type.

4. Select Characters and Karts (Split Screen):

- Select the characters and karts for all two (or four) players. Each player can customize their character and kart.

5. Choose the Rules:

- Choose 50cc Race.
- Choose the courses. Use random selection by turning around and choosing a map at random.

6. Start the Competition:

- Begin the first race. Players who finish first out of all other players advance to the next round.

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7. Track the Bracket:

- Record the results of each race on your bracket template.
- Continue this process until the final round determines the overall winning team.

8. Winning the Competition:

- The winner will receive one mini trophy with “#1” written on it in sharpie.
- The winner may choose to keep the bracket if they want it.