



## 2024 NCAA DIVISION I FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

### **First-, Second- and Quarterfinal-Rounds Preferred Starting Times**

If you are selected to host a first-, second- or quarterfinal-round game during the 2024 NCAA Division I Football Championship, please indicate your preferred start times and upload this form to the Championships Host Bid portal (<https://championships.ncaa.org>) **by the end of the day Wednesday, Nov. 6.**

*It is preferred that first-, second- and quarterfinal-round games broadcast on ESPN+ start no earlier than 2 p.m. local time. Preferred game times will be taken into strong consideration; however, finalized game times will ultimately be determined by ESPN in consultation with the NCAA. ESPN has added set windows and networks, so flexibility may not be as easy as it has been in years past. Please note below those locked in windows.*

Host Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **First Round – Saturday, Nov. 30 (all ESPN+, flexibility on game times)**

Preferred Start Time: \_\_\_\_\_  
*please list local time AND Eastern time*

*If preferred time is earlier than 2 p.m. local time, please explain why.* \_\_\_\_\_

Please note any known conflicts on campus or at your facility. \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Second Round – Saturday, Dec. 7 (all ESPN+, flexibility on game times)**

Preferred Start Time: \_\_\_\_\_  
*please list local time AND Eastern time*

*If preferred time is earlier than 2 p.m. local time, please explain why.* \_\_\_\_\_

Please note any known conflicts on campus or at your facility. \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Quarterfinal Round – Friday, Dec. 13 or Saturday, Dec. 14 (Friday window is 9 p.m. ET (ESPN); Saturday windows are Noon and 3:30 ET (ABC) and one ESPN+; time TBD)**

Preferred Start Time: \_\_\_\_\_  
*please list local time AND Eastern time*

*If preferred time is earlier than 2 p.m. local time, please explain why.* \_\_\_\_\_

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Please note any known conflicts on campus or at your facility. \_\_\_\_\_

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**\*\*Due to available television windows, the matchups for the quarterfinal(s) and both semifinal-round games will be determined by ESPN in consultation with the NCAA.**