

LEAGUE PHASE GROUPS

Every league is divided into four playing groups:

- League A includes 16 teams, divided into four groups of four teams
- League B includes 16 teams, divided into four groups of four teams
- League C includes 16 teams, divided into four groups of four teams
- League D includes 7 teams, divided into one group of four teams and one group of three teams



In Leagues B and C, the four group winners will gain promotion to the next league up. In Leagues A and B, the teams that finish bottom will be relegated to the next league down. In League D, the two group winners will gain promotion to League C while the four teams that finish bottom of League C will play play-out to determine the two teams relegated to League D. The play-outs will be played in March 2022 in home and away matches.

The promotions and relegations will take effect for the next edition of the competition.

THE WEEK OF FOOTBALL CONCEPT

As in the previous UNL and European Qualifiers cycles, UEFA schedules the matches in accordance with the Week of Football concept:

- games are spread across the Week of Football from Thursday to Tuesday (or from Wednesday to Wednesday in case of triple headers)
- on Saturdays and Sundays the matches kick-off at 15.00, 18.00 and 20.45CET
- on the other days the standard kick-off time is 20.45CET

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