






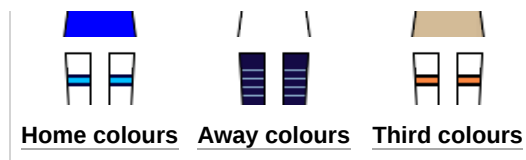
2022–23 Chelsea F.C. season

The **2022–23 season** was Chelsea Football Club's 117th year in existence and 34th consecutive season in the top flight of English football. In addition to the domestic league, Chelsea participated in this season's editions of the FA Cup, EFL Cup and UEFA Champions League.^[5]

The season covers the period from 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023. This was the first full season under new owner and chairman Todd Boehly after he officially acquired the club on 30 May 2022, making it the first season since 2002–03 without Roman Abramovich. It was also the first time in Chelsea's history that they were under four different managers in a single

Chelsea	
2022–23 season	
Owner	<u>BlueCo</u>
Chairman	<u>Todd Boehly</u>
Head coach	<u>Thomas Tuchel</u> <i>(until 7 September)</i> ^[1] <u>Graham Potter</u> <i>(from 8 September to 2 April)</i> ^[2] <u>Bruno Saltor</u> <i>(interim, from 2 to 6 April)</i> ^[3] <u>Frank Lampard</u> <i>(caretaker, from 6 April to 28 May)</i> ^[4]
Stadium	<u>Stamford Bridge</u>
Premier League	<u>12th</u>
FA Cup	<u>Third round</u>
EFL Cup	<u>Third round</u>
UEFA Champions League	<u>Quarter-finals</u>
Top goalscorer	League: <u>Kai Havertz</u> (7) All: <u>Kai Havertz</u> <u>Raheem Sterling</u> (9 each)
Highest home attendance	40,152 vs <u>Southampton</u> , 18 February 2023, Premier League
Lowest home attendance	38,882 vs <u>Borussia Dortmund</u> , 7 March 2023, UEFA Champions League
Average home league attendance	39,969
Biggest win	3–0 vs <u>Milan</u> (H), 5 October 2022, UEFA Champions League 3–0 vs <u>Wolverhampton Wanderers</u> (H), 8 October 2022, Premier League
Biggest defeat	0–4 vs <u>Manchester City</u> (A), 8 January 2023, FA Cup
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season. This was the first season since [1995–96](#) that the team failed to finish in the top half of the league table and the club's lowest league finish since ending the [1993–94](#) season in 14th place.



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Season summary

On 23 May, it was announced that long-serving goalkeeping coach Christophe Lollichon would leave the club after having joined from Rennes in 2007 to help with the training of former goalkeeper [Petr Čech](#).^[6]

On 28 May, Chelsea released a statement via the club website stating that "Chelsea Football Club can confirm that a final and definitive agreement was entered into last night to sell the Club to the Todd Boehly/Clearlake Capital consortium. It was expected that the transaction would be completed on Monday."^[7] The consortium led by [Todd Boehly](#), chairman and CEO of [Eldridge Industries](#), and Clearlake Capital, announced completion of the ownership transfer of Chelsea on 30 May 2022. The consortium also includes [Hansjörg Wyss](#), founder of the Wyss Foundation, and [Mark Walter](#), co-founder and CEO of [Guggenheim Partners](#). Walter and Boehly are partial owners of the [Los Angeles Dodgers](#), the [Los Angeles Lakers](#), and the [Los Angeles Sparks](#). The transaction has received all necessary approvals from The Government of the United Kingdom, The Premier League, and other authorities.^[8]

It was announced on 20 June that long-serving Chairman [Bruce Buck](#) would step-down after 19 years in the role effective on 30 June.^[9] A further statement was released on 22 June announcing a new-look Board of Directors including Boehly, Eghbali, Feliciano, Walter, Wyss as well as [Jonathan Goldstein](#), [Barbara Charone](#), [Daniel Finkelstein](#) and [James Pade](#). It was also revealed that long serving [Marina Granovskaia](#) left the club, with Boehly acting as interim Sporting Director as well as chairman.^[10] The club then announced on 27 June that Petr Čech would leave his role as technical and performance advisor at the end of the month.^[11]

On 13 July, Chelsea announced their first signing of the season, with English international winger [Raheem Sterling](#) joining the club for a reported fee of £47.5 million.^[12] Three days later, they completed the signing of [Kalidou Koulibaly](#) for a reported fee of £33 million.^[13]

In the first match of the new [Premier League](#) season, Chelsea defeated [Everton](#) 1–0 at Goodison Park, with [Jorginho](#) scoring a penalty.^[14] The second game of the season saw Chelsea face their North London rivals [Tottenham Hotspur](#) at [Stamford Bridge](#). After a relatively quiet first half, Chelsea went into the break 1–0 up courtesy of defender Kalidou Koulibaly's first goal for the club – a volley from a [Marc Cucurella](#) corner. Tottenham Hotspur midfielder [Pierre-Emile Højbjerg](#) equalised in the 68th minute, with Chelsea players and manager, [Thomas Tuchel](#), unhappy that [Kai Havertz](#) had been fouled in the build-up to the goal, as well as Tottenham Hotspur forward [Richarlison](#) being in an offside position and obstructing Chelsea goalkeeper

Édouard Mendy's view of Højbjerg's shot. In the aftermath of the goal, Tuchel squared up to Tottenham Hotspur manager, and former Chelsea boss, Antonio Conte, after Conte's exuberant celebrations. Both managers were shown yellow cards.^[15] Chelsea regained the lead through right-back Reece James' composed finish in the 77th minute. Tottenham Hotspur equalised again in the 96th minute, after Harry Kane had headed in from a corner. Once again, Tuchel and the Chelsea players were unhappy that Tottenham Hotspur defender Cristian Romero had pulled on Marc Cucurella's hair at the previous corner – an incident which had been reviewed by VAR referee Mike Dean.^[16] Both the referee and VAR admitted a mistake was made, during the hair pulling incident. Following the full-time whistle, there was another heated confrontation between Tuchel and Conte, with referee Anthony Taylor showing both straight red cards. In his post-match press conference, Tuchel stated that he was frustrated with the refereeing decisions against his team, and when asked about the supporters' view that Taylor has a history of making decisions against Chelsea, he replied: "I don't think just some of the fans think that. I can assure you the whole dressing room of us, every single person, thinks that".^[16] He went on to say that "of course" his players were worried when they had learned of Taylor's appointment to this game, and replied "maybe it would be better" when asked if Taylor should not referee Chelsea games in future.^[16] In the third league match, Chelsea travelled to Elland Road to face rivals Leeds United and suffered a heavy 3–0 defeat, the first of the season, leaving them five points behind league leaders Arsenal.^[17]

During the first week of September long time serving head of international scouting Scott McLachlan left the club. He had been on gardening leave for three months after being in his post for the last eleven years – during which he oversaw both the men's and youth recruitment during a significant portion of the Roman Abramovich era.^[18]

On 6 September, Chelsea started their UEFA Champions League campaign away to Dinamo Zagreb, losing 1–0.^[19] Shortly after the loss, Tuchel was sacked by the club.^[20]

On 8 September, Chelsea announced Graham Potter as their new head coach.^[21] Potter's debut match for Chelsea saw the Blues' draw against Red Bull Salzburg 1–1 in a home Champions League match, with a Raheem Sterling goal.^[22] In Potter's second match, Chelsea defeated Crystal Palace 2–1 away from home. In his third match in charge, Chelsea trounced Milan 3–0 at Stamford Bridge, improving their position in the Champions League. They also won the reverse fixture away from home 2–0 top go top of their group. In between the two UCL games, Chelsea easily dispatched of Wolverhampton, 3–0. Chelsea's good form continued, as they defeated Aston Villa 2–0 on the road, with a Mason Mount brace. Overall, Potter won five and drew one of his first six matches in charge.

However, in the next 19 league matches, Chelsea only managed 4 wins and seven draws, while sustaining eight losses culminating in a 0–2 home defeat to Aston Villa. As a result, the team dropped to 11th and Graham Potter was sacked on 2 April 2023. Chelsea were also out of both the Carabao Cup and FA Cup after losing to Manchester City in the third round of both competitions although they unexpectedly knocked out Borussia Dortmund in the Champions League round of 16 (0–1 away, 2–0 home). He was replaced by interim Bruno Saltor until 6 April,^[3] when a new interim, Frank Lampard, was hired until the end of the season.^[4] Lampard had already led Chelsea in the 2019–20 and the first half of 2020–21 seasons. In Lampard's first match on 8 April 2023, Chelsea lost 0–1 in an away game against Wolves.^[23]

Chelsea ended the season in 12th place after only managing 1 win and 2 draws, while sustaining 6 losses, in their nine league games under Lampard ending with a home draw to Newcastle United, capping off a turbulent first season under new ownership. As they had also been knocked out of the Champions League after losing 4–0 on aggregate to Real Madrid in the quarter-finals, they will not participate in European football next season for the first time since 2016–17, the most recent time they won the Premier League.^{[24][25]}

Management team

Position	Name
Coach	 <u>Frank Lampard</u>
Assistant coach	 <u>Björn Hamberg</u>
	 <u>Anthony Barry</u>
Goalkeeper coach	 <u>Henrique Hilário</u>
	 <u>Ben Roberts</u>
Assistant goalkeeper coach	 <u>James Russell</u>
Recruitment analyst	 <u>Kyle Macaulay</u>

Players

Squad information

Players and squad numbers last updated on 28 May 2023. Appearances include all competitions.^[26]

Note: Flags indicate national team as has been defined under FIFA eligibility rules. Players may hold more than one non-FIFA nationality.

No.	Player	Nat.	Position(s)	Date of birth (age)	Signed in	Contract ends	Signed from	Transfer fee	Apps.	Goals
Goalkeepers										
1	<u>Kepa Arrizabalaga</u>		<u>GK</u>	3 October 1994	2018	2025 ^[27]	 <u>Athletic Bilbao</u>	£71.5M ^[28]	163	0
13	<u>Marcus Bettinelli (HG)</u>		<u>GK</u>	24 May 1992 (aged 31)	2021	2026 ^[29]	 <u>Fulham</u>	Free ^[30]	1	0
16	<u>Édouard Mendy</u>		<u>GK</u>	1 March 1992 (aged 31)	2020	2025 ^[31]	 <u>Rennes</u>	£22M ^[32]	105	0
36	<u>Gabriel Slonina (U21)</u>		<u>GK</u>	15 May 2004 (aged 19)	2022 ^[33]	2028	 <u>Chicago Fire</u>	£8.1M	0	0
Defenders										
4	<u>Benoît Badiashile (U21)</u>		<u>CB</u>	26 March 2001 (aged 22)	2023	2030	 <u>Monaco</u>	£35M	11	1
6	<u>Thiago Silva</u>		<u>CB</u>	22 September 1984 (aged 38)	2020	2024 ^[34]	 <u>Paris Saint-Germain</u>	Free	117	5
14	<u>Trevoh Chalobah (HG)</u>		<u>CB / RB / DM</u>	5 July 1999 (aged 23)	2018	2028	 <u>Chelsea Academy</u>	N/A	63	4
21	<u>Ben Chilwell (HG)</u>		<u>LB / LWB</u>	21 December 1996 (aged 26)	2020	2025 ^[35]	 <u>Leicester City</u>	£45M ^[36]	85	9
24	<u>Reece James (HG)</u>		<u>RB / RWB / CB</u>	8 December 1999 (aged 23)	2018	2028	 <u>Chelsea Academy</u>	N/A	147	11
26	<u>Kalidou Koulibaly</u>		<u>CB / LB</u>	20 June 1991 (aged 32)	2022	2026	 <u>Napoli</u>	£33M	32	2
28	<u>César Azpilicueta (captain)</u>		<u>RB / RWB / CB</u>	28 August 1989 (aged 33)	2012	2024 ^[37]	 <u>Marseille</u>	£7M ^[38]	508	17
32	<u>Marc Cucurella</u>		<u>LB / LWB / CB</u>	22 July 1998 (aged 24)	2022	2028	 <u>Brighton & Hove Albion</u>	£63M ^[39]	33	0
33	<u>Wesley Fofana</u>		<u>CB</u>	17 December 2000 (aged 22)	2022	2029	 <u>Leicester City</u>	£69.5M	20	2
Midfielders										
5	<u>Enzo Fernández (U21)</u>		<u>CM / DM</u>	17 January 2001 (aged 22)	2023	2031	 <u>Benfica</u>	£106.7M	22	0
7	<u>N'Golo Kanté</u>		<u>DM / CM</u>	29 March 1991 (aged 32)	2016	2023 ^[40]	 <u>Leicester City</u>	£32M ^[41]	269	13
8	<u>Mateo Kovačić</u>		<u>CM / DM</u>	6 May 1994 (aged 29)	2019	2024 ^[42]	 <u>Real Madrid</u>	£40M ^[43]	221	6
12	<u>Ruben Loftus-Cheek (HG)</u>		<u>CM / DM / RWB</u>	23 January 1996 (aged 27)	2014	2024 ^[44]	 <u>Chelsea Academy</u>	N/A	155	13
19	<u>Mason Mount (HG)</u>		<u>AM / CM / LW</u>	10 January 1999 (aged 24)	2017	2024 ^[45]	 <u>Chelsea Academy</u>	N/A	195	33
20	<u>Denis Zakaria</u>		<u>DM / CM</u>	20 November 1996 (aged 26)	2022	2023	 <u>Juventus</u>	Loan	11	1
23	<u>Conor Gallagher (HG)</u>		<u>CM / AM / RM</u>	6 February 2000 (aged 23)	2019	2025	 <u>Chelsea Academy</u>	N/A	45	3

30	<u>Carney Chukwuemeka (U21)</u>		CM / AM / LM	20 October 2003 (aged 19)	2022	2028	 <u>Aston Villa</u>	£20M	15	0
56	<u>Omari Hutchinson (U21)</u>		AM / LW / RW	29 October 2003 (aged 19)	2023	2025	 <u>Chelsea Academy</u>	N/A	2	0
67	<u>Lewis Hall (U21, ListB)</u>		LM / LB / CB	8 September 2004 (aged 18)	2021	2025	 <u>Chelsea Academy</u>	N/A	12	0
Forwards										
9	<u>Pierre-Emerick Aubameyang</u>		ST / LW / RW	18 June 1989 (aged 34)	2022	2024	 <u>Barcelona</u>	£10.3M	21	3
10	<u>Christian Pulisic</u>		LW / RW / RWB	18 September 1998 (aged 24)	2019	2024 ^[46]	 <u>Borussia Dortmund</u>	£58M ^[47]	145	26
11	<u>João Félix</u>		ST / LW / RW	10 November 1999 (aged 23)	2023	2023	 <u>Atlético Madrid</u>	Loan	20	4
15	<u>Mykhailo Mudryk (U21)</u>		LW / AM / RW	5 January 2001 (aged 22)	2023	2031	 <u>Shakhtar Donetsk</u>	£88.5M ^[48]	17	0
17	<u>Raheem Sterling (HG)</u>		LW / RW / LWB	8 December 1994 (aged 28)	2022	2027	 <u>Manchester City</u>	£47.5M ^[12]	38	9
18	<u>Armando Broja (U21, ListB)</u>		ST	10 September 2001 (aged 21)	2020	2028	 <u>Chelsea Academy</u>	N/A	19	1
22	<u>Hakim Ziyech</u>		RW / AM / RWB	19 March 1993 (aged 30)	2020	2025 ^[49]	 <u>Ajax</u>	£37M ^[50]	107	14
27	<u>David Datro Fofana (U21)</u>		ST / RW / LW	22 December 2002 (aged 20)	2023	2029 ^[51]	 <u>Molde</u>	£8M ^[52]	4	0
29	<u>Kai Havertz</u>		ST / AM / RW	11 June 1999 (aged 24)	2020	2025 ^[53]	 <u>Bayer Leverkusen</u>	£72M ^[54]	139	32
31	<u>Noni Madueke (U21)</u>		RW / ST / AM	10 March 2002 (aged 21)	2023	2030	 <u>PSV</u>	£30.6M	12	1

Notes:

- Player (HG) – Player who fulfils the Premier League's "Home Grown Player" criteria.^[55]
- Player (U21) – Player who was registered by Chelsea as an Under-21 Player on the 2022–23 Premier League Squad List.^[55]

- Player (*ListB*) – Player who was registered by Chelsea on the 2022–23 UEFA Champions League Squad List B.^[56]

Transfers

In

Summer

Date	No.	Pos.	Player	From	Fee	Source
1 July 2022	50	GK	 Eddie Beach	 Southampton	Undisclosed	^[57]
13 July 2022	17	FW	 Raheem Sterling	 Manchester City	£47,500,000	^{[12][58]}
16 July 2022	26	DF	 Kalidou Koulibaly	 Napoli	£33,000,000	^{[13][59]}
	56	MF	 Omari Hutchinson	 Arsenal	Free	^[60]
2 August 2022	36	GK	 Gabriel Slonina	 Chicago Fire	£8,100,000	^{[61][62]}
4 August 2022	30	MF	 Carney Chukwuemeka	 Aston Villa	£20,000,000	^{[63][64]}
	45	DF	 Zak Sturge	 Brighton & Hove Albion	Free	^[65]
5 August 2022	32	DF	 Marc Cucurella	 Brighton & Hove Albion	£60,000,000	^{[66][39]}
11 August 2022	77	MF	 Tyler Dibling	 Southampton	£1,700,000	^[67]
19 August 2022	46	MF	 Cesare Casadei	 Inter Milan	£16,800,000	^[68]
31 August 2022	33	DF	 Wesley Fofana	 Leicester City	£75,000,000	^{[69][70]}
1 September 2022	9	FW	 Pierre-Emerick Aubameyang	 Barcelona	£10,300,000	^[71]

Winter

Date	No.	Pos.	Player	From	Fee	Source
5 January 2023	4	DF	 Benoît Badiashile	 Monaco	£35,000,000	^{[72][73]}
7 January 2023	27	FW	 David Datro Fofana	 Molde	£10,000,000	^{[51][52]}
		MF	 Andrey Santos	 Vasco da Gama	£18,000,000	^[74]
15 January 2023	15	MF	 Mykhailo Mudryk	 Shakhtar Donetsk	£62,000,000	^[48]
20 January 2023	31	FW	 Noni Madueke	 PSV Eindhoven	£29,000,000	^[75]
29 January 2023	—	DF	 Malo Gusto	 Lyon	£26,300,000	^[76]
31 January 2023	5	MF	 Enzo Fernández	 Benfica	£106,700,000	^[77]
10 February 2023		FW	 Jimmy-Jay Morgan	 Southampton	£3,000,000	^{[78][79]}

Loan in

Summer

Date	No.	Pos.	Player	From	Fee	Source
1 September 2022	20	MF	 Denis Zakaria	 Juventus	£2,700,000	^[80]

Winter

Date	No.	Pos.	Player	From	Fee	Source
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11 January 2023	11	FW	João Félix	Atlético Madrid	£9,700,000	[81][82]
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Out

Summer

Date	No.	Pos.	Player	To	Fee	Source
1 July 2022	2	DF	Antonio Rüdiger	Real Madrid	Free	[83]
	4	DF	Andreas Christensen	Barcelona	Free	[84][85]
	41	MF	George McEachran	Swindon Town ^[a]	Released	[87]
	42	MF	Thierno Ballo	Wolfsberger AC ^[b]	Released	[87][88]
		GK	Karlo Žigert	Gorica	Free	[87][89]
		DF	Jake Clarke-Salter	Queens Park Rangers	Free	[84][90]
		MF	Danny Drinkwater	Retired ^[c]	N/A	[84]
		MF	Charly Musonda	Levante ^[d]	Released	[84][92]
12 July 2022		FW	George Nunn	Derby County	Free	[93]
20 July 2022		DF	Josh Tobin	Cray Wanderers ^[e]	Free	[94]
5 August 2022		DF	Matt Miazga	FC Cincinnati	Free	[95]
8 August 2022	11	FW	Timo Werner	RB Leipzig	£25,300,000	[96]
15 August 2022		MF	Edwin Andersson	Stoke City	Free	[97]
23 August 2022	33	DF	Emerson	West Ham United	£15,000,000	[98][99]
26 August 2022		DF	Luke Badley-Morgan	Stoke City	Free	[100]
29 August 2022		MF	Ross Barkley	Nice ^[f]	Released	[101][102]
1 September 2022	3	DF	Marcos Alonso	Barcelona	Free	[103][104]
	35	MF	Billy Gilmour	Brighton & Hove Albion	£10,000,000	[105]
	77	MF	Tyler Dibling	Southampton	Undisclosed	[106]
		DF	Xavier Mbuyamba	Volendam	Undisclosed	[107]
		FW	Kenedy	Valladolid	£500,000	[108]
2 September 2022		FW	Michy Batshuayi	Fenerbahçe	£3,500,000	[109]
11 November 2022		DF	Alex Kpakpé	Rangers ^[g]	Released	[111]







Winter

Date	No.	Pos.	Player	To	Fee	Source
31 January 2023	61	FW	Jude Soonsup-Bell	Tottenham Hotspur	Free	[112]
	5	MF	Jorginho	Arsenal	£12,000,000	[113]

Loans out



Summer

Date	Until	No.	Pos.	Player	To	Fee	Source
30 August 2021	30 June 2023		MF	Tiémoué Bakayoko	Milan	£1,800,000	

1 July 2022	End of season	9	FW	 <u>Romelu Lukaku</u>	 <u>Inter Milan</u>	£7,000,000	[114]
	15 January 2023 ^[h]	36	GK	 <u>Lucas Bergström</u>	 <u>Peterborough United</u>	Free	[116]
	End of season	45	DF	 <u>Sam McClelland</u>	 <u>Barrow</u>	Free	[117]
	31 January 2023 ^[i]		GK	 <u>Ethan Wady</u>	 <u>Woking</u>	Free	[119]
4 July 2022	End of season		GK	 <u>Nathan Baxter</u>	 <u>Hull City</u>	Free	[120]
7 July 2022	2 September 2022 ^[j]	70	GK	 <u>Prince Adegoke</u>	 <u>Welling United</u>	Free	[122][123]
9 July 2022	End of season		GK	 <u>Jamie Cumming</u>	 <u>Milton Keynes Dons</u>	Free	[124]
15 July 2022	End of season		DF	 <u>Ian Maatsen</u>	 <u>Burnley</u>	Free	[125]
22 July 2022	End of season		MF	 <u>Tino Anjorin</u>	 <u>Huddersfield Town</u>	Free	[126]
	End of season		DF	 <u>Henry Lawrence</u>	 <u>Milton Keynes Dons</u>	Free	[127]
2 August 2022	31 December 2022	36	GK	 <u>Gabriel Slonina</u>	 <u>Chicago Fire</u>	Free	[61]
5 August 2022	End of season		DF	 <u>Levi Colwill</u>	 <u>Brighton & Hove Albion</u>	Free	[128]
10 August 2022	End of season	31	DF	 <u>Malang Sarr</u>	 <u>Monaco</u>	£900,000	[129]
30 August 2022	End of season	20	FW	 <u>Callum Hudson-Odoi</u>	 <u>Bayer Leverkusen</u>	Free	[130]
31 August 2022	End of season		DF	 <u>Baba Rahman</u>	 <u>Reading</u>	Free	[131]
1 September 2022	23 January 2023 ^[k]	39	MF	 <u>Harvey Vale</u>	 <u>Hull City</u>	Free	[133]
	End of season	44	DF	 <u>Ethan Ampadu</u>	 <u>Spezia</u>	Free	[134]
	1 January 2023	51	MF	 <u>Joe Haigh</u>	 <u>Derby County</u>	Free	[135]
	11 January 2023 ^[l]	53	FW	 <u>Jayden Wareham</u>	 <u>Leyton Orient</u>	Free	[133]
	End of season	54	MF	 <u>Xavier Simons</u>	 <u>Hull City</u>	Free	[137]
	End of season		DF	 <u>Dujon Sterling</u>	 <u>Stoke City</u>	Free	[138]
	31 January 2023 ^[m]		FW	 <u>Bryan Fiabema</u>	 <u>Forest Green Rovers</u>	Free	[133]

Winter

Date	Until	No.	Pos.	Player	To	Fee	Source
13 January 2023	End of season	50	GK	 <u>Eddie Beach</u>	 <u>Chelmsford City</u>	Free	[140]
	End of season	40	GK	 <u>Teddy Sharman-Lowe</u>	 <u>Havant & Waterlooville</u>	Free	[141]
27 January 2023	End of season	42	DF	 <u>Bashir Humphreys</u>	 <u>SC Paderborn</u>	Free	[142]
29 January 2023	End of season		DF	 <u>Malo Gusto</u>	 <u>Lyon</u>	Free	[76]
30 January 2023	End of season	46	MF	 <u>Cesare Casadei</u>	 <u>Reading</u>	Free	[143]

31 January 2023	End of season	80	GK	 Max Merrick	 Hanwell Town	Free	[139]
2 March 2023	End of season		MF	 Andrey Santos	 Vasco da Gama	Free	[144]

Notes

- a. Released on 1 July 2022, McEachran joined Swindon Town on 13 February 2023.^[86]
- b. Released on 1 July 2022, Ballo joined Wolfsberger AC on 12 July 2022
- c. On 30 October 2023, Drinkwater announced his retirement from football.^[91]
- d. Released on 1 July 2022, Musonda joined Levante on 16 August 2022
- e. Released on 20 July 2022, Tobin joined Cray Wanderers on 8 November 2023
- f. Released on 29 August 2022, Barkley joined Nice on 4 September 2022
- g. Released on 11 November 2022, Kpakpé joined Rangers on 10 January 2023.^[110]
- h. On 15 January, Bergström was recalled from his season-long loan at Peterborough United.^[115]
- i. On 31 January, Wady was recalled from his season-long loan at Woking.^[118]
- j. On 2 September, Adegoke was recalled from his season-long loan at Welling United.^[121]
- k. On 23 January, Vale was recalled from his season-long loan at Hull City.^[132]
- l. On 11 January, Wareham was recalled from his season-long loan at Leyton Orient.^[136]
- m. On 31 January, Fiabema was recalled from his season-long loan at Forest Green Rovers.^[139]

Overall transfer activity

Expenditure

Summer: ▼ £275,100,000

Winter: ▼ £299,700,000

Total: ▼ £574,800,000

Income

Summer: ▲ £64,000,000

Winter: ▲ £12,000,000

Total: ▲ £76,000,000

Net totals

Summer: ▼ £211,100,000

Winter: ▼ £287,700,000
















































Total: ▼ £498,800,000

Pre-season and friendlies

Chelsea announced they would travel to the United States to take part in the FC Series with a friendly against Arsenal.^[145] A month later the club announced two further fixtures as part of the FC Series, against América and Charlotte FC.^[146] On 6 July, Chelsea confirmed they would play Udinese in Italy after the American tour.^[147]

During the mid-season winter break, The club announced a friendly with Aston Villa in Abu Dhabi.^[148]

Win
 Draw
 Loss
 Fixtures

FC Series	16 July 2022 19:00 PT (UTC-8)	América 	1–2	 Chelsea	Paradise, United States
		Damm  3' Aquino  27' James  60' (o.g.)	Report (https://www.chelseafc.com/en/news/article/match-report-chelsea-2-club-america-1)	Gallagher  35' Werner  55'  90+2' Mount  83'	Stadium: Allegiant Stadium Attendance: 47,223 Referee: Kevin Broadley (United States)
FC Series	20 July 2022 20:35 EDT (UTC-4) ^[A]	Charlotte FC 	1–1 (5–3 p)	 Chelsea	Charlotte, United States
		Mora  47' McNeill  53' Ríos  90+2' (pen.)	Report (https://www.chelseafc.com/en/news/article/match-report-charlotte-1-chelsea-1-5-3-on-pens) Penalties Ríos  Makoun  Walkes  Mora  Jóźwiak 	Pulisic  17',  30' Chalobah  90+1'	Stadium: Bank of America Stadium Attendance: 52,673 Referee: Rosendo Mendoza (United States)
Note: A. The match was originally scheduled for 19:30 EDT, but was rescheduled to 20:35 EDT due to severe weather conditions around the stadium. ^[149]					
FC Series	23 July 2022 20:00 EDT (UTC-4)	Arsenal 	4–0	 Chelsea	Orlando, United States
		Gabriel Jesus  15' Ødegaard  36',  78' Nketiah  60' Saka  66' Sambi Lokonga  90+2',  90+3'	Report (https://www.chelseafc.com/en/news/article/match-report-chelsea-0-arsenal-4)	Mount  49' Alonso  76' Ampadu  77' Koulibaly  90'	Stadium: Camping World Stadium Attendance: 63,811 Referee: Kevin Broadley (United States)
Friendly	29 July 2022 21:00 CEST (UTC+2)	Udinese 	1–3	 Chelsea	Udine, Italy
		Deulofeu  42'	Report (https://www.chelseafc.com/en/news/article/match-report-udinese-1-chelsea-3)	Kanté  20' Sterling  37' Mount  90'	Stadium: Stadio Friuli Attendance: 11,776 Referee: Michael Fabbri (Italy)
Al Wadha FC Challenge Cup	11 December 2022 18:10 GST (UTC+4)	Aston Villa 	1–0	 Chelsea	Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
		McGinn  7'	Report (https://www.chelseafc.com/en/news/article/match-report-chelsea-0-aston-villa-1)	Brooking  66'	Stadium: Al Nahyan Stadium Referee: Omar Mohamed Al Ali (United Arab Emirates)
Friendly	20 December 2022	Chelsea 	5–1	 Brentford	Cobham, Surrey, England

Competitions

Overall record

Competition	First match	Last match	Starting round	Final position	Record							
					Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Win %
<u>Premier League</u>	6 August 2022	28 May 2023	Matchday 1	12th	38	11	11	16	38	47	−9	28.95
<u>FA Cup</u>	8 January 2023		Third round	Third round	1	0	0	1	0	4	−4	0.00
<u>EFL Cup</u>	9 November 2022		Third round	Third round	1	0	0	1	0	2	−2	0.00
<u>UEFA Champions League</u>	6 September 2022	18 April 2023	Group stage	Quarter-finals	10	5	1	4	12	9	+3	50.00
Total					50	16	12	22	50	62	−12	32.00

Source: Soccerway (<https://int.soccerway.com/teams/england/chelsea-football-club/661/>)

Premier League

League table

Pos	Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	Qualification or relegation
10	<u>Fulham</u>	38	15	7	16	55	53	+2	52	
11	<u>Crystal Palace</u>	38	11	12	15	40	49	−9	45	
12	Chelsea	38	11	11	16	38	47	−9	44	
13	<u>Wolverhampton Wanderers</u>	38	11	8	19	31	58	−27	41	
14	<u>West Ham United</u>	38	11	7	20	42	55	−13	40	Qualification for the <u>Europa League group stage</u> ^[a]

Source: Premier League (<https://www.premierleague.com/tables?co=1&se=489&ha=-1>)

Rules for classification: 1) Points; 2) Goal difference; 3) Goals scored; 4) If the champions, relegated teams or qualified teams for UEFA competitions cannot be determined by rules 1 to 3, rules 4.1 to 4.3 are applied – 4.1) Points gained in head-to-head record between such teams; 4.2) Away goals scored in head-to-head record between such teams; 4.3) Play-offs^[150]

Notes:

- a. West Ham United qualified for the Europa League group stage by winning the 2022–23 UEFA Europa Conference League.

Results summary

Overall								Home						Away					
Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD
38	11	11	16	38	47	−9	44	6	7	6	20	19	+1	5	4	10	18	28	−10

Source: Premier League (<https://www.premierleague.com/tables>)

Results by round

Round	1	2	3	4	5	6	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	7	20	21	22	23	24
Ground	A	H	A	H	A	H	A	H	A	A	H	A	H	A	H	A	H	A	H	A	H	A	H
Result	W	D	L	W	L	W	W	W	W	D	D	L	L	L	W	D	L	L	W	D	D	D	L
Position	8	7	12	6	10	6	5	4	4	4	5	6	7	8	8	8	10	10	10	10	9	10	11

Source: Premier League (<https://www.premierleague.com/tables>)

A = Away; H = Home; W = Win; D = Draw; L = Loss; P = Postponed

Score overview

Win Draw Loss





































































Opposition	Home score	Away score	Aggregate score	Double
Arsenal	0–1	1–3	1–4	✗
Aston Villa	0–2	2–0	2–2	✗
Bournemouth	2–0	3–1	5–1	✓
Brentford	0–2	0–0	0–2	✗
Brighton	1–2	1–4	2–6	✗
Crystal Palace	1–0	2–1	3–1	✓
Everton	2–2	1–0	3–2	✗
Fulham	0–0	1–2	1–2	✗
Leeds United	1–0	0–3	1–3	✗
Leicester City	2–1	3–1	5–2	✓
Liverpool	0–0	0–0	0–0	✗
Manchester City	0–1	0–1	0–2	✗
Manchester United	1–1	1–4	2–5	✗
Newcastle United	1–1	0–1	1–2	✗
Nottingham Forest	2–2	1–1	3–3	✗
Southampton	0–1	1–2	1–3	✗
Tottenham Hotspur	2–2	0–2	2–4	✗
West Ham United	2–1	1–1	3–2	✗
Wolves	3–0	0–1	3–1	✗


































































Matches

Win Draw Loss Fixtures

The league fixtures were announced on 16 June 2022.^[151]

1	6 August 2022 17:30 BST	Everton 0–1 Chelsea Mina 45+8' Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/74913) Mykolenko 80' Holgate 90+8' Jorginho 45+9' (pen.) James 56' Cucurella 90+11'	Walton Stadium: Goodison Park Attendance: 39,254 Referee: Craig Pawson
2	14 August 2022 16:30 BST	Chelsea 2–2 Tottenham Hotspur Koulibaly 19' Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/74925) James 41', 77' Mendy 62' Højbjerg 68' Kane 90+6'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 39,946 Referee: Anthony Taylor

			Havertz  86'		
3	21 August 2022 14:00 BST	Leeds United Aaronson  33' Rodrigo  37' Harrison  69'	3–0 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/74935)	Chelsea Koulibaly  9'  84' Sterling  36'	Leeds Stadium: Elland Road Attendance: 36,372 Referee: Stuart Attwell
4	27 August 2022 15:00 BST	Chelsea Gallagher  22'  28' Sterling  47', 63' Havertz  90+3'	2–1 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/74945)	Leicester City Dewsbury-Hall  31' Praet  40' Barnes  66'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 39,953 Referee: Paul Tierney
5	30 August 2022 19:45 BST	Southampton Lavia  28' A. Armstrong  45+1' Salisu  53' Ward-Prowse  64'	2–1 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/74960)	Chelsea Sterling  23' Pulisic  80'	Southampton Stadium: St Mary's Stadium Attendance: 31,072 Referee: Michael Oliver
6	3 September 2022 15:00 BST	Chelsea Loftus-Cheek  9' Cucurella  35' James  54' Chilwell  76' Havertz  88',  90+8'	2–1 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/74964)	West Ham United Antonio  54',  62' Kehrer  90+3'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 39,923 Referee: Andrew Madley
9	1 October 2022 15:00 BST	Crystal Palace Édouard  7',  22'	1–2 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/74993)	Chelsea Thiago Silva  33' Aubameyang  38' Mount  52' Kovačić  88' Gallagher  90'	Selhurst Stadium: Selhurst Park Attendance: 25,198 Referee: Chris Kavanagh
10	8 October 2022 15:00 BST	Chelsea Azpilicueta  22' Havertz  45+3' Pulisic  54' Jorginho  61' Broja  90'	3–0 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75004)	Wolverhampton Wanderers	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 39,940 Referee: Simon Hooper
11	16 October 2022 14:00 BST	Aston Villa	0–2 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75011)	Chelsea Mount  6', 65',  83' Chilwell  33' Koulibaly  61'	Birmingham Stadium: Villa Park Attendance: 41,754 Referee: Robert Jones
12	19 October 2022 19:30 BST	Brentford	0–0 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75023)	Chelsea	Brentford Stadium: Brentford Community Stadium Attendance: 17,118 Referee: Jarrod Gillett
13	22 October 2022 17:30 BST	Chelsea Jorginho  87' (pen.),  90+2'	1–1 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75032)	Manchester United Antony  32' Fred  86' Shaw  90' Casemiro  90+4' Martínez  90+5'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 39,503 Referee: Stuart Attwell
14	29 October 2022 15:00 BST	Brighton & Hove Albion Trossard  5' Loftus-Cheek  14' (o.g.) Chalobah  42' (o.g.) Enciso  83' Groß  90+2'	4–1 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75044)	Chelsea Kovačić  11' Havertz  48' Sterling  50'	Falmer Stadium: Falmer Stadium Attendance: 31,746 Referee: Andrew Madley
15	6 November 2022 12:00 GMT	Chelsea Aubameyang  27' Azpilicueta  51' Chalobah  60' Gallagher  85' Sterling  89'	0–1 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75052)	Arsenal Saka  42' Gabriel  63' White  80'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 40,142 Referee: Michael Oliver

16	12 November 2022 17:30 GMT	Newcastle United Trippier  56' Willock  67' Pope  90+5' Longstaff  90+8' Lascelles  90+9'	1–0 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75066)	Chelsea Jorginho  30' Koulibaly  89'	Newcastle upon Tyne Stadium: St James' Park Attendance: 52,264 Referee: Robert Jones
17	27 December 2022 17:30 GMT	Chelsea Havertz  16' Mount  24'	2–0 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75074)	Bournemouth	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 40,046 Referee: Simon Hooper
18	1 January 2023 16:30 GMT	Nottingham Forest Yates  43' Aurier  63' Lodi  90+3'	1–1 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75087)	Chelsea Sterling  16' Azpilicueta  53' Gallagher  90'	West Bridgford Stadium: City Ground Attendance: 29,229 Referee: Peter Bankes
19	5 January 2023 20:00 GMT	Chelsea Kovačić  89' Koulibaly  90+4'	0–1 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75094)	Manchester City Mahrez  63'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 39,998 Referee: Paul Tierney
7	12 January 2023 20:00 GMT	Fulham Robinson  9' Pereira  14' Willian  25' Carlos Vinícius  73' Adarabioyo  84'	2–1 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/74974)	Chelsea Chalobah  36' Koulibaly  47' Félix  58' Hall  62' Mount  76'	Fulham Stadium: Craven Cottage Attendance: 24,460 Referee: David Coote
Note: This match, originally to be played on 10 September 2022, was included in the league-wide postponement due to the death of Queen Elizabeth II . ^[152]					
20	15 January 2023 14:00 GMT	Chelsea Jorginho  49' Havertz  64' Gallagher  84'	1–0 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75104)	Crystal Palace Doucouré  26' Clyne  42' Eze  52' Hughes  83' Guéhi  88'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 40,075 Referee: Peter Bankes
21	21 January 2023 12:30 GMT	Liverpool Bajcetic  34' Milner  66' Jones  90'	0–0 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75117)	Chelsea Chalobah  80'	Liverpool Stadium: Anfield Attendance: 53,126 Referee: Michael Oliver
22	3 February 2023 20:00 GMT	Chelsea Gallagher  64'	0–0 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75124)	Fulham Palhinha  22' Pereira  51' Decordova-Reid  67' Wilson  90+3'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 40,041 Referee: Stuart Attwell
23	11 February 2023 12:30 GMT	West Ham United Emerson  28' Coufal  55'	1–1 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75140)	Chelsea Félix  16' Badiashile  64'	London Stadium: London Stadium Attendance: 62,471 Referee: Craig Pawson
24	18 February 2023 15:00 GMT	Chelsea Koulibaly  4' Arrizabalaga  87' Kovačić  90+7'	0–1 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75144)	Southampton Bella-Kotchop  16' Ward-Prowse  45+1',  90+7' S. Armstrong  45+4' Mara  75' Lavia  87' Perraud  90+8'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 40,152 Referee: David Coote
25	26 February 2023 13:30 GMT	Tottenham Hotspur Emerson  45+3' Skipp  46' Davies  59'	2–0 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75159)	Chelsea Havertz  45+3' Ziyech  45+6' Mount  74'	London Stadium: Tottenham Hotspur Stadium Attendance: 61,613 Referee: Stuart Attwell

Kane ⚽ 82'					
26	4 March 2023 15:00 GMT	Chelsea W. Fofana ⚡ 33', ⚽ 53' Gallagher ⚡ 90+4'	1–0 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75165)	Leeds United	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 39,905 Referee: Michael Oliver
27	11 March 2023 15:00 GMT	Leicester City Faes ⚡ 19' ⚡ 87' Daka ⚽ 39' Pereira ⚡ 51'	1–3 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75176)	Chelsea Chilwell ⚽ 11' W. Fofana ⚡ 13' Cucurella ⚡ 31' Havertz ⚽ 45+6' Kovačić ⚽ 78'	Leicester Stadium: King Power Stadium Attendance: 32,170 Referee: Andre Marriner
28	18 March 2023 17:30 GMT	Chelsea Félix ⚽ 52' Koulibaly ⚡ 57' James ⚡ 74' Havertz ⚽ 76' (pen.)	2–2 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75185)	Everton Gueye ⚡ 29' McNeil ⚡ 45+1' Doucouré ⚽ 69' Simms ⚽ 89'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 40,025 Referee: Darren England
29	1 April 2023 15:00 BST	Chelsea Kovačić ⚡ 39' Chilwell ⚡ 54' Fernández ⚡ 68'	0–2 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75194)	Aston Villa Kamara ⚡ 4' Watkins ⚽ 18' McGinn ⚽ 56' Chambers ⚡ 84' Digne ⚡ 90+3'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 40,082 Referee: Andrew Madley
8	4 April 2023 20:00 BST	Chelsea Kovačić ⚡ 68'	0–0 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/74984)	Liverpool Matip ⚡ 46' Tsimikas ⚡ 56' Jones ⚡ 61' Fabinho ⚡ 74'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 40,093 Referee: Anthony Taylor
Note: The match, originally to be played on 18 September 2022, was postponed due to police concerns surrounding the state funeral of Queen Elizabeth II. ^[153]					
30	8 April 2023 15:00 BST	Wolverhampton Wanderers Nunes ⚽ 31' Lemina ⚡ 39' João Gomes ⚡ 59'	1–0 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75210)	Chelsea Cucurella ⚡ 49' Sterling ⚡ 63' Gallagher ⚡ 67' Kovačić ⚡ 87' Chilwell ⚡ 89'	Wolverhampton Stadium: Molineux Stadium Attendance: 31,614 Referee: Peter Banks
31	15 April 2023 15:00 BST	Chelsea Gallagher ⚽ 13', ⚡ 45' Chalobah ⚡ 51'	1–2 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75212)	Brighton & Hove Albion Veltman ⚡ 4' Welbeck ⚽ 42' Enciso ⚽ 69' Sánchez ⚡ 77'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 40,126 Referee: Robert Jones
33	26 April 2023 19:45 BST	Chelsea W. Fofana ⚡ 72'	0–2 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75238)	Brentford Azpilicueta ⚽ 37' (o.g.) Jensen ⚡ 46' Henry ⚡ 73' Mbeumo ⚽ 78'	Fulham Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 39,929 Referee: Andrew Madley
34	2 May 2023 20:00 BST	Arsenal Ødegaard ⚽ 18', 31' Gabriel Jesus ⚽ 34'	3–1 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75241)	Chelsea Madueke ⚽ 65' Kovačić ⚡ 80' Gallagher ⚡ 90+5'	London Stadium: Emirates Stadium Attendance: 60,144 Referee: Robert Jones
Note: The match, originally scheduled for 29 April 2023, was postponed due to consequences of the increased policing demands necessary for the coronation of King Charles III. ^[154]					
35	6 May 2023 15:00 GMT	Bournemouth Viña ⚽ 21' Senesi ⚡ 45+3'	1–3 Report (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75251)	Chelsea Gallagher ⚽ 9' Mudryk ⚡ 15' Kanté ⚡ 20' Badiashile ⚡ 65', ⚽ 82' Félix ⚽ 86'	Bournemouth Stadium: Dean Court Attendance: 10,357 Referee: John Brooks
36	13 May 2023	Chelsea	2–2	Nottingham Forest	Fulham

	15:00 <u>BST</u>	<u>Sterling</u> ⚽ 51', 58' <u>Félix</u> 🟡 69' <u>Thiago Silva</u> 🟡 73' <u>Gallagher</u> 🟡 79'	<u>Report</u> (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75264)	<u>Awoniyi</u> ⚽ 13', 62' <u>Lodi</u> 🟡 83'	<u>Stadium: Stamford Bridge</u> <u>Attendance: 40,030</u> <u>Referee: Paul Tierney</u>
37	21 May 2023 16:00 <u>BST</u>	Manchester City <u>Álvarez</u> ⚽ 12'	1–0 <u>Report</u> (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75275)	Chelsea <u>Havertz</u> 🟡 18' <u>Fernández</u> 🟡 66'	<u>Manchester</u> <u>Stadium: City of Manchester Stadium</u> <u>Attendance: 53,490</u> <u>Referee: Michael Oliver</u>
32	25 May 2023 20:00 <u>BST</u>	Manchester United <u>Casemiro</u> ⚽ 6' <u>Martial</u> ⚽ 45+5' <u>Fernandes</u> ⚽ 73' (pen.) <u>Malacia</u> 🟡 75' <u>Rashford</u> ⚽ 78'	4–1 <u>Report</u> (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75229)	Chelsea <u>Fernández</u> 🟡 75' <u>Félix</u> ⚽ 89'	<u>Manchester</u> <u>Stadium: Old Trafford</u> <u>Attendance: 73,561</u> <u>Referee: Stuart Attwell</u>
38	28 May 2023 16:30 <u>BST</u>	Chelsea <u>Trippier</u> ⚽ 27' (o.g.)	1–1 <u>Report</u> (https://www.premierleague.com/match/75284)	Newcastle United <u>Gordon</u> ⚽ 9'	<u>Fulham</u> <u>Stadium: Stamford Bridge</u> <u>Attendance: 40,130</u> <u>Referee: Jarred Gillett</u>

FA Cup

Chelsea entered the competition at the third round stage and were drawn away to Manchester City.^[155]

☐ Win
☐ Draw
☐ Loss
☐ Fixtures

<u>Third round</u>	8 January 2023 16:30 <u>GMT</u>	Manchester City <u>Mahrez</u> ⚽ 23', 85' (pen.) <u>Álvarez</u> ⚽ 30' (pen.) <u>Foden</u> ⚽ 38' <u>Rodri</u> 🟡 54' <u>Silva</u> 🟡 70' <u>Cancelo</u> 🟡 87'	4–0 <u>Report</u> (https://www.bbc.co.uk/sport/football/64193420)	Chelsea <u>Gallagher</u> 🟡 62'	<u>Manchester</u> <u>Stadium: City of Manchester Stadium</u> <u>Attendance: 51,505</u> <u>Referee: Robert Jones</u>
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EFL Cup

☐ Win
☐ Draw
☐ Loss
☐ Fixtures

<u>Third round</u>	9 November 2022 20:00 <u>GMT</u>	Manchester City <u>Mahrez</u> ⚽ 53' <u>Álvarez</u> ⚽ 58' <u>Grealish</u> 🟡 89'	2–0 <u>Report</u> (https://www.bbc.co.uk/sport/football/63481002)	Chelsea <u>Koulibaly</u> 🟡 18' <u>Chalobah</u> 🟡 52' <u>Azpilicueta</u> 🟡 89'	<u>Manchester</u> <u>Stadium: City of Manchester Stadium</u> <u>Attendance: 52,148</u> <u>Referee: Simon Hooper</u>
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UEFA Champions League

Group stage

Pos	Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	Qualification	CHE	MIL	SAL	DZG
1	<u>Chelsea</u>	6	4	1	1	10	4	+6	13	Advance to <u>knockout phase</u>	—	<u>3–0</u>	<u>1–1</u>	<u>2–1</u>
2	<u>Milan</u>	6	3	1	2	12	7	+5	10		<u>0–2</u>	—	<u>4–0</u>	<u>3–1</u>
3	<u>Red Bull Salzburg</u>	6	1	3	2	5	9	−4	6	Transfer to <u>Europa League</u>	<u>1–2</u>	<u>1–1</u>	—	<u>1–0</u>
4	<u>Dinamo Zagreb</u>	6	1	1	4	4	11	−7	4		<u>1–0</u>	<u>0–4</u>	<u>1–1</u>	—

Source: UEFA (<https://www.uefa.com/uefachampionsleague/standings/>)

Rules for classification: Group stage tiebreakers

1	6 September 2022	Dinamo Zagreb	1–0	Chelsea	<u>Zagreb, Croatia</u>
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18:45 CEST	Oršić ⚽ 13' Baturina 🟡 90+6'	Report (https://www.uefa.com/uefachampionsleague/match/2035649/)	Mount 🟡 59' Koulibaly 🟡 67'	Stadium: Stadion Maksimir Attendance: 20,607 Referee: István Kovács (Romania)
14 September 2022 20:00 BST	Chelsea 🇬🇧	1–1	Red Bull Salzburg 🇦🇹	London, England
	Sterling ⚽ 48' James 🟡 79'	Report (https://www.uefa.com/uefachampionsleague/match/2035666/)	Okafor ⚽ 75' Adamu 🟡 76' Pavlović 🟡 77' Ulmer 🟡 78' Capaldo 🟡 89'	Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 38,818 Referee: Ivan Kružliak (Slovakia)
3 5 October 2022 20:00 BST	Chelsea 🇬🇧	3–0	Milan 🇮🇹	London, England
	W. Fofana ⚽ 24' Kovačić 🟡 39' Aubameyang ⚽ 56' James ⚽ 62' Thiago Silva 🟡 71'	Report (https://www.uefa.com/uefachampionsleague/match/2035682/)	Krunić 🟡 8' Ballo-Touré 🟡 15' Tomori 🟡 42'	Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 39,537 Referee: Danny Makkelie (Netherlands)
4 11 October 2022 21:00 CEST	Milan 🇮🇹	0–2	Chelsea 🇬🇧	Milan, Italy
	Tomori 🔴 18' Giroud 🟡 20' Gabbia 🟡 32' Krunić 🟡 35' Pobega 🟡 66' Tonali 🟡 89' Ballo-Touré 🟡 90'	Report (https://www.uefa.com/uefachampionsleague/match/2035698/)	Mount 🟡 20' Jorginho ⚽ 21' (pen.) Sterling 🟡 29' Aubameyang ⚽ 34' Gallagher 🟡 86'	Stadium: San Siro Attendance: 75,051 Referee: Daniel Siebert (Germany)
5 25 October 2022 18:45 CEST	Red Bull Salzburg 🇦🇹	1–2	Chelsea 🇬🇧	Salzburg, Austria
	Sučić 🟡 47' Adamu ⚽ 49'	Report (https://www.uefa.com/uefachampionsleague/match/2035713/)	Kovačić ⚽ 23' Havertz ⚽ 64' Gallagher 🟡 85' Arrizabalaga 🟡 90+2'	Stadium: Stadion Wals-Siezenheim Attendance: 29,520 Referee: Sandro Schärer (Switzerland)
6 2 November 2022 20:00 GMT	Chelsea 🇬🇧	2–1	Dinamo Zagreb 🇭🇷	London, England
	Sterling ⚽ 18' Zakaria ⚽ 30' Koulibaly 🟡 39'	Report (https://www.uefa.com/uefachampionsleague/match/2035729/)	Petković ⚽ 7' Mišić 🟡 22' Ivanušec 🟡 54' Moharrami 🟡 89'	Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 39,392 Referee: François Letexier (France)

Knockout phase

Round of 16

The round of 16 draw was held on 7 November 2022.

Chelsea were drawn against German side Borussia Dortmund in the round of 16, with the first leg away from home as they progressed as group winners.^[156]

15 February 2023 First leg	Borussia Dortmund 🇩🇪	1–0	Chelsea 🇬🇧	Dortmund, Germany
21:00 CET	Bellingham 🟡 49' Can 🟡 53' Adeyemi ⚽ 63', 🟡 77' Özcan 🟡 85' Ryerson 🟡 90' Süle 🟡 90'	Report (https://www.uefa.com/uefachampionsleague/match/2036585/)	James 🟡 9' Thiago Silva 🟡 16' Ziyech 🟡 72' Mount 🟡 90'	Stadium: Signal Iduna Park Attendance: 81,365 Referee: Jesús Gil Manzano (Spain)
Second leg 7 March 2023 20:10 GMT	Chelsea 🇬🇧	2–0 (2–1 agg.)	Borussia Dortmund 🇩🇪	London, England
	Sterling ⚽ 43' Havertz ⚽ 53' (pen.) Arrizabalaga 🟡 65' Fernández 🟡 77'	Report (https://www.uefa.com/uefachampionsleague/match/2036591/)	Süle 🟡 41' Wolf 🟡 90+2' Bellingham 🟡 90+8'	Stadium: Stamford Bridge Attendance: 38,882 Referee: Danny Makkelie (Netherlands)













Cucurella 90+6'

Note: The match was originally scheduled to kick-off at 20:00 GMT, but was delayed by ten minutes due to the late arrival of the bus to the stadium carrying Borussia Dortmund's team.

Quarter-finals



The quarter-finals draw was held on 17 March 2023.

Chelsea were drawn against Spanish side and defending champions Real Madrid, with the first leg away from home.^[157]

First leg	12 April 2023	Real Madrid 	2–0	 Chelsea	Madrid, Spain
	20:00 GMT	Camavinga  7'	Report (https://www.uefa.com/uefachampionsleague/match/2037768/)	W. Fofana  5'	Stadium: Santiago Bernabéu
		Benzema  21'		Chilwell  59'	Attendance: 63,142
		Asensio  74'		Kovačić  87'	Referee: François Letexier (France)
		Militão  84'			
		Carvajal  87'			
Second leg	18 April 2023	Chelsea 	0–2 (0–4 agg.)	 Real Madrid	London, England

20:00 GMT































Cucurella  34' Report (<https://www.uefa.com/uefachampionsleague/match/2037774/>)
 James  50'
 Mudryk  89'

Militão  22'
 Rodrygo  58', 80'

Stadium: Stamford Bridge
 Attendance: 39,453
 Referee: Daniele Orsato (Italy)

Statistics

Appearances

No.	Pos.	Player	Premier League	FA Cup	EFL Cup	UEFA Champions League	Total
1	GK	 Kepa Arrizabalaga	29	1	0	9	39
4	DF	 Benoît Badiashile	11	0	0	0	11
5	MF	 Enzo Fernández	18	0	0	4	22
6	DF	 Thiago Silva	27	0	0	8	35
7	MF	 N'Golo Kanté	7	0	0	2	9
8	MF	 Mateo Kovačić	27	1	1	8	37
9	FW	 Pierre-Emerick Aubameyang	15	0	0	6	21
10	FW	 Christian Pulisic	23	0	1	5	29
11	FW	 João Félix	16	0	0	4	20
12	MF	 Ruben Loftus-Cheek	25	0	1	7	33
13	GK	 Marcus Bettinelli	0	0	0	0	0
14	DF	 Trevoh Chalobah	25	1	1	6	33
15	FW	 Mykhailo Mudryk	15	0	0	2	17
16	GK	 Édouard Mendy	10	0	1	1	12
17	FW	 Raheem Sterling	28	0	1	9	38
18	FW	 Armando Broja	12	0	1	5	18
19	MF	 Mason Mount	24	1	1	9	35
20	MF	 Denis Zakaria	7	1	1	2	11
21	DF	 Ben Chilwell	23	0	0	7	30
22	FW	 Hakim Ziyech	17	1	1	4	23
23	MF	 Conor Gallagher	35	1	1	8	45
24	DF	 Reece James	16	0	0	8	24
26	DF	 Kalidou Koulibaly	23	1	1	7	32
27	FW	 David Datro Fofana	3	1	0	0	4
28	DF	 César Azpilicueta	25	1	1	5	32
29	FW	 Kai Havertz	35	1	1	10	47
30	MF	 Carney Chukwuemeka	14	1	0	0	15
31	FW	 Noni Madueke	12	0	0	0	12
32	DF	 Marc Cucurella	24	0	1	8	33
33	DF	 Wesley Fofana	15	0	0	5	20
42	DF	 Bashir Humphreys	0	1	0	0	1
56	MF	 Omari Hutchinson	1	1	0	0	2
67	MF	 Lewis Hall	9	1	1	0	11
Players who have left the club							
5	MF	 Jorginho	18	1	0	6	25

Goalscorers

Rank	No.	Pos.	Player	Premier League	FA Cup	EFL Cup	UEFA Champions League	Total
1	29	FW	 Kai Havertz	7	0	0	2	9
	17	FW	 Raheem Sterling	6	0	0	3	9
3	11	FW	 João Félix	4	0	0	0	4
4	9	FW	 Pierre-Emerick Aubameyang	1	0	0	2	3
	19	MF	 Mason Mount	3	0	0	0	3
	23	MF	 Conor Gallagher	3	0	0	0	3
8	8	MF	 Mateo Kovačić	1	0	0	1	2
	21	DF	 Ben Chilwell	2	0	0	0	2
	24	DF	 Reece James	1	0	0	1	2
	26	DF	 Kalidou Koulibaly	2	0	0	0	2
	33	DF	 Wesley Fofana	1	0	0	1	2
13	4	DF	 Benoît Badiashile	1	0	0	0	1
	10	FW	 Christian Pulisic	1	0	0	0	1
	18	FW	 Armando Broja	1	0	0	0	1
	20	MF	 Denis Zakaria	0	0	0	1	1
	31	FW	 Noni Madueke	1	0	0	0	1
Own goals				1	0	0	0	1
Players who have left the club								
	5	MF	 Jorginho	2	0	0	1	3
Totals				38	0	0	12	50



Source: FBref.com (https://fbref.com/en/squads/cff3d9bb/Chelsea-Stats#stats_standard_11566)

Top assists

Rank	No.	Pos.	Player	Premier League	FA Cup	EFL Cup	UEFA Champions League	Total
1	17	FW	 Raheem Sterling	3	0	0	1	4
	19	MF	 Mason Mount	2	0	0	2	4
3	22	FW	 Hakim Ziyech	3	0	0	0	3
4	5	MF	 Enzo Fernández	2	0	0	0	2
	6	DF	 Thiago Silva	2	0	0	0	2
	8	MF	 Mateo Kovačić	2	0	0	0	2
	10	FW	 Christian Pulisic	1	0	0	1	2
	15	FW	 Mykhailo Mudryk	2	0	0	0	2
	21	DF	 Ben Chilwell	2	0	0	0	2
	24	DF	 Reece James	1	0	0	1	2
	32	DF	 Marc Cucurella	2	0	0	0	2
	12	MF	 Ruben Loftus-Cheek	1	0	0	1	2
13	7	MF	 N'Golo Kanté	1	0	0	0	1
	9	FW	 Pierre-Emerick Aubameyang	0	0	0	1	1
	23	MF	 Conor Gallagher	1	0	0	0	1
	26	DF	 Kalidou Koulibaly	1	0	0	0	1
	29	FW	 Kai Havertz	1	0	0	0	1
	Totals			26	0	0	7	33

Source: FBref.com (https://fbref.com/en/squads/cff3d9bb/Chelsea-Stats#stats_standard_11566)



Clean sheets

Rank	No.	Pos.	Player	Premier League	FA Cup	EFL Cup	UEFA Champions League	Total
1	1	GK	 Kepa Arrizabalaga	9	0	0	3	12
2	16	GK	 Edouard Mendy	1	0	0	0	1
Totals				10	0	0	3	13

Source: FBref.com (https://fbref.com/en/squads/cff3d9bb/Chelsea-Stats#stats_keeper_11566)

Discipline


No.	Pos.	Player	Premier League			FA Cup			EFL Cup			UEFA Champions League			Total		
																	
1	GK	 Kepa Arrizabalaga	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0
4	DF	 Benoît Badiashile	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
5	MF	 Jorginho	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
	MF	 Enzo Fernández	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0
6	DF	 Thiago Silva	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	4	0	0
7	MF	 N'Golo Kanté	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
8	MF	 Mateo Kovačić	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	10	0	0
9	FW	 Pierre-Emerick Aubameyang	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
10	FW	 Christian Pulisic	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
11	FW	 João Félix	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
12	MF	 Ruben Loftus-Cheek	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
13	GK	 Marcus Bettinelli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	DF	 Trevoh Chalobah	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0
15	FW	 Mykhailo Mudryk	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
16	GK	 Édouard Mendy	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
17	MF	 Raheem Sterling	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0
18	MF	 Armando Broja	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	MF	 Mason Mount	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	7	0	0
20	MF	 Denis Zakaria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	DF	 Ben Chilwell	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	4	0	1
22	FW	 Hakim Ziyech	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
23	FW	 Conor Gallagher	9	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	12	1	0
24	DF	 Reece James	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	7	0	0
26	DF	Kalidou Koulibaly	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	8	1	0
27	FW	David Datro Fofana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	DF	César Azpilicueta	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
29	FW	Kai Havertz	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0
30	MF	Carney Chukwuemeka	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	FW	Noni Madueke	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	DF	Marc Cucurella	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	6	0	0
33	DF	Wesley Fofana	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0
42	DF	Bashir Humphreys	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
56	MF	Omari Hutchinson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
67	MF	Lewis Hall	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
—		Thomas Tuchel	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
—		Graham Potter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

—	 Bruno Saltor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
—	 Frank Lampard	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		77	2	2	1	0	0	3	0	0	25	0	1	106	2	3

Source: FBref.com (https://fbref.com/en/squads/cff3d9bb/Chelsea-Stats#stats_misc_11566::5)

Awards

Players

No.	Pos.	Player	Award	Source
1	GK	 Kepa Arrizabalaga	October 2022 Premier League Save of the Month	[158]
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