**Who runs it?**

CHS eSports is run by the teaching staff in the Digital technologies department. Each Digitech teacher is responsible for a range of games but each is only responsible for 1 game at a time. The choice of eSports games being offered is selected at the start of each year.

* Mrs Cropp: Current responsible for League of Legends but also Valorant when it is offered
* Mr Thomson: Currently responsible for Rocket League but also Project Cars when it is offered
* Mr Gibson: Currently responsible for Minecraft but also Destiny 2 when it is offered.

**Practice Times**

These can and do vary from term to term, but currently the practice times are as follows.

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| Game | Days | When | Where |
| League of Legends | Tuesday | Lunchtimes | C5 |
| Rocket League | Wednesdays | Lunchtimes | C5 |
| Minecraft | Thursdays | Lunchtimes | C5 |
| All Offered Games | Wednesday | After School 3pm-4:30pm | C5 & C6 |

**Teams & Competitions**

Teams are organized into two categories.

Internal Teams: Those that play each other within school

External Teams: Those that represent CHS when competing against other schools.

Currently there are number of internal teams for each game currently competing on a casual basis. This is expected to become more of a house-based activity in the near future.

As for external teams, we currently have 2 teams of senior players competing in the annual NZ League of Legends High School League, and 4 teams of Juniors competing in the Local Christchurch Minecraft competition. Recruitment for 2023 teams to compete in Valorant, Project Cars & Destiny 2 will star in November of this year.

**Rules**

All games typically follow the conventional gaming rules as specified by the International Esports Federation (<https://iesf.org/governance/regulations>) but in addition to these the following are applicable to CHS eSports teams and events.

All participating students MUST…

* Be achieving and up to date with school-based assessments and coursework expectations.
* Have maintained at least a 90% attendance record for all classes.
* Agree to represent the school in a positive manner.
* Have provided written approval to compete from a parent or guardian.

**Contact**

The primary contact for eSports at CHS is the designated esports prefect who will typically be able to answer any question you may have.

* [chs\_eports@cashmere.school.nz](mailto:chs_eports@cashmere.school.nz)

Alternatively, you can contact either of the teachers responsible for each of the individual games offered.

* Mrs Cropp: [cpl@cashmere.school.nz](mailto:cpl@cashmere.school.nz)
* Mr Thomson: [tha@cashmere.school.nz](mailto:tha@cashmere.school.nz)
* Mr Gibson: [gib@cashmere.school.nz](mailto:gib@cashmere.school.nz)