

LONDON JUNIOR CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS (LJCC) QUALIFIER 2026



UXBRIDGE QUALIFIER

SUNDAY 25TH OCTOBER 2026



The London Junior Chess Championships is one of the country's most prestigious junior chess events.



Our Lady of Lourdes Church Hall (at the back),
1 Osborn Road, Uxbridge UB8 1UE



TIME CONTROL

10 minutes
+ 5 seconds increment



REGISTRATION

1:00 pm
First round to start
at 1:20 pm

ROUND TIMES

Round 1	1:20 pm
Round 2	2:00 pm
Round 3	2:40 pm
Round 4	3:20 pm
Round 5	4:00 pm
Round 6	4:40 pm



PRIZEGIVING

5:20 pm

ENTRY FEE

£30
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- Non-ECF members to pay additional £10 on top of the base entry fee.
- Uxbridge juniors members get £10 discount



QUALIFICATION

Players may qualify for:

- Under 8 Finals
- Under 10 Finals
- Under 12 Finals

Qualification scores depend on the age section and whether the event is Major or Minor.

LJCC FINALS 2026

UNDER 10 & UNDER 14 FINALS

12TH & 13TH DECEMBER 2026

University of Westminster
Marylebone Hall
35 Marylebone Road
London NW1 5LS



UNDER 8 FINALS

29TH & 30TH DECEMBER 2026

UNDER 12 / UNDER 16 /

UNDER 18 / UNDER 21 FINALS

28TH - 30TH DECEMBER 2026

University of Westminster
Harrow Campus
Northwick Park, Harrow
HA1 3TP



PLEASE VISIT THE LJCC WEBSITE FOR QUALIFICATION DETAILS AND ENTRY REQUIREMENTS



IMPORTANT LJCC RULES



TOURNAMENT FORMAT

Swiss tournament (not knockout).
Players are expected to play all six rounds.
If you withdraw, inform the arbiter immediately.



AGE ELIGIBILITY

Ages are calculated on 31 August 2026.
Children may play in an older age group but cannot play in a younger one.



QUALIFICATION

Players qualify by achieving the required score in a qualifying tournament or, for some sections, by meeting the published rating requirements. Qualification is required for Under 8, Under 10 and Under 12 Finals only.



CLOCKS

Chess clocks are used on every board.
Late arrivals may be defaulted once pairings have been adjusted.



RATINGS

Games are submitted for ECF rating.
Some sections are also FIDE rated, where applicable.



BYES

One optional half-point bye may be requested (except the final round), provided sufficient notice is given.



PARENTS & GUARDIANS

Parents or guardians remain responsible for children outside the playing area. The organisers cannot accept responsibility for loss, theft or accidents.



REFUNDS

Withdrawals made more than 24 hours before the event are normally eligible for a refund, subject to a £5 administration fee.

SCAN TO VIEW
LJCC RULES



TOURNAMENT ENQUIRIES



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**GOOD LUCK
TO ALL PLAYERS!**

PLAY CHESS. HAVE FUN. MAKE FRIENDS. ACHIEVE GREATNESS.