

**THE FA TROPHY  
FIRST ROUND QUALIFYING  
SATURDAY 29 AUGUST 2026  
WINNERS RECEIVE £1,500  
LOSERS RECEIVE £400**

1	Liversedge	v	Bootle
2	Prescot Cables	v	Vauxhall Motors
3	Hallam	v	Mossley
4	Stocksbridge Park Steels	v	Runcorn Linnets
5	Heaton Stannington	v	Wythenshawe
6	Padiham	v	Pontefract Collieries or Clitheroe
7	Guisborough Town	v	Ossett United
8	Congleton Town or Beverley Town	v	Atherton Collieries
9	Lower Breck	v	North Ferriby
10	Garforth Town	v	Bridlington Town
11	Stalybridge Celtic	v	Bradford (Park Avenue)
12	Blyth Spartans	v	1874 Northwich
13	Morpeth Town	v	Witton Albion
14	Silsden	v	Consett
15	Ashington	v	West Auckland Town
16	Grimsby Borough	v	Dunston
17	Newcastle Town	v	Bourne Town
18	Lincoln United	v	Nuneaton Town
19	Chasetown	v	AFC Rushden & Diamonds
20	Hanley Town	v	Coleshill Town
21	Carlton Town	v	Shepshed Dynamo
22	Loughborough Students	v	Sporting Club Inkberrow or Barwell
23	Corby Town	v	Stafford Rangers
24	Boldmere St Michaels or Long Eaton United	v	St Ives Town
25	Grantham Town	v	Mickleover
26	Lichfield City	v	Matlock Town
27	Coventry United	v	Kidsgrove Athletic
28	Basford United	v	Bedworth United
29	Shifnal Town	v	Rugby Borough
30	Worcester Raiders	v	Sutton Coldfield Town
31	Wellingborough Town	v	Belper Town
32	Boston Town	v	Nantwich Town
33	Fakenham Town	v	Wroxham
34	Concord Rangers	v	Witham Town
35	Winslow United	v	Milton Keynes Irish
36	Haringey Borough or Biggleswade Town	v	Newmarket Town
37	Little Oakley	v	Biggleswade
38	Waltham Abbey	v	Bowers & Pitsea
39	Hadley or Stotfold	v	Gorleston
40	Potters Bar Town	v	Barton Rovers
41	Cambridge City	v	Redbridge
42	AFC Sudbury	v	Lowestoft Town
43	Buckhurst Hill or Welwyn Garden City	v	Felixstowe & Walton United or Mulbarton Wanderers
44	Walthamstow	v	Leverstock Green
45	Canvey Island	v	Grays Athletic
46	Tilbury	v	Hertford Town
47	Hashtag United	v	Royston Town
48	Ware	v	Brightlingsea Regent
49	London Lions	v	Takeley
50	Beaconsfield Town	v	Sheppey United
51	Peacehaven & Telscombe	v	Merstham or Ashford Town (Middx)
52	Marlow	v	Jersey Bulls or Hayes & Yeading United
53	Ascot United	v	Margate
54	Bognor Regis Town	v	South Park (Reigate) or Broadbridge Heath
55	Windsor & Eton	v	Southall

56	AFC Portchester	v	Whitstable Town
57	Flackwell Heath	v	Faversham Town
58	AFC Croydon Athletic	v	Sevenoaks Town
59	Punjab United	v	Horley Town
60	Westfield	v	Cobham or Egham Town
61	Aylesbury United	v	Sittingbourne
62	Erith Town	v	Cray Valley (PM)
63	Crowborough Athletic	v	Ashford United
64	Binfield	v	Deal Town or Hartley Wintney
65	Eastbourne Town	v	Bedfont Sports Club
66	Herne Bay or Harrow Borough	v	Kingstonian
67	Hastings United	v	Hendon
68	Littlehampton Town	v	Raynes Park Vale
69	Steyning Town	v	Moneyfields
70	Bishop's Cleeve	v	Bristol Manor Farm
71	Hartpury	v	Exmouth Town
72	Swindon Supermarine	v	Paulton Rovers or Slimbridge
73	Portland United	v	Hungerford Town
74	Bideford	v	Tiverton Town
75	AFC Stoneham or Barnstaple Town	v	Shaftesbury
76	Willand Rovers	v	Falmouth Town
77	Weymouth	v	Melksham Town
78	Larkhall Athletic	v	Dorchester Town
79	Westbury United	v	Thame United
80	Didcot Town	v	Winchester City

### **MATCH DATES**

The default date for matches in the First Round Qualifying is Saturday 29 August 2026, kick-off 3.00pm.

There are no replays. When a match is drawn after 90 minutes, the winner shall be determined by the taking of kicks from the penalty mark in accordance with the procedure adopted by The International Football Association Board.

If a match is postponed, this must be rescheduled and played within the postponement window, on or before Thursday 3 September 2026.

### **MATCH ARRANGEMENT FORM**

Match Arrangement Forms will be available on iFAS in due course.

### **PLAYER REGISTRATION DEADLINE**

The Player Registration Deadline is **12 noon on Friday 28 August 2026** irrespective of the date the match is played.

### **GROUND SHARING**

Clubs with ground sharing agreements must arrange for ties to be played on Friday, Saturday or Sunday. If a clash of fixtures occurs with the sharing Club or other Sport, if for any reason a tie is unable to be played on the ground of the first drawn Club on a Saturday, the tie must be played on either the day before, i.e. on Friday, or the day after, i.e. on Sunday on the ground of the first drawn Club. If Clubs are unable to agree on the date, then it will be played on the Sunday, unless The National Leagues Pyramid Board decides otherwise. The decision of The National Leagues Pyramid Board shall be final and binding.

### **Guidance**

**If two Clubs party to the same ground sharing agreement are scheduled to play a Competition Match at home on the same date, the Club playing at the higher level of the National League System will be deemed to have priority of fixture, unless the ground share agreement states otherwise or The Association directs otherwise.**

### **DATES OF ROUNDS**

Second Round Qualifying	Saturday 12 September 2026
Third Round Qualifying	Saturday 26 September 2026
First Round Proper	Saturday 24 October 2026
Second Round Proper	Saturday 14 November 2026

Third Round Proper	Saturday 12 December 2026
Fourth Round Proper	Saturday 16 January 2027
Fifth Round Proper	Saturday 6 February 2027
Sixth Round Proper	Saturday 6 March 2027
Semi Final	Saturday 3 April 2027
Final	Sunday 16 May 2027

**PRIZE FUND PAYMENTS**

	<b>WINNING CLUB</b>	<b>LOSING CLUB</b>
Preliminary Round	£1500	£400
First Round Qualifying	£1500	£400
Second Round Qualifying	£2250	£575
Third Round Qualifying	£2450	£625
First Round Proper	£3000	£775
Second Round Proper	£3750	£1000
Third Round Proper	£4500	£1250
Fourth Round Proper	£5250	£1500
Fifth Round Proper	£6000	£1750
Sixth Round Proper	£7500	£2000
Semi Final	£15000	£5000
Final	£60000	£30000