

## TIEBREAKING SCHEMES FOR THE MASQ ONLINE TOURNAMENT – 2026

PRELIM BREAKS (Individual ranks of 6 or 7 will be modified to a 5.)

1. Ranks this round
2. Reciprocals this round
3. H2H in prelims (# of first prefs.)
4. Prelim opponents' avg. rank
5. Drop worst rank this round
6. Drop best rank this round

QUARTERFINAL BREAKS

1. All ranks so far
2. All reciprocals so far
3. Ranks this round
4. Reciprocals this round
5. Panel rank this elim
6. Opponents' avg. rank

SEMIFINAL BREAKS

1. All ranks so far
2. All reciprocals so far
3. Ranks this round
4. Reciprocals this round
5. Panel rank this elim
6. Opponents' avg. rank

FINAL BREAKS

1. All ranks so far
2. All reciprocals so far
3. Ranks this round
4. Reciprocals this round
5. JP (majority first pref.)
6. Opponents' avg. rank

