Five Rules to Know TENNIS



Basic Gameplay

Tennis is played as a singles match (one player per side) or doubles match (two players per side). Players must hit the ball over the net into the opponent's court in a way that the opponent cannot return it successfully.

Court Dimensions

The court is always 23.77 meters long. For singles matches, the court is 8.23 meters wide, and for doubles matches, it is 10.97 meters wide.

Net Height

The net divides the court into two halves, is suspended on the centerline between two posts, and has a height of 91.4 cm at the center.

Scoring System

A game is won by scoring four points (15, 30, 40, and game), with at least a two-point lead required. A set is won by winning six games with at least a two-game margin.

Match Format

A match is won by winning two sets in standard play or three sets in certain competitions, depending on the tournament rules.