













# COVID-19: A roadmap for the return of golf in England

(Last updated on Friday, February 26 2021)

TYPE OF ACTIVITY	STEP ONE - MON 8 MAR	STEP ONE - MON 29 MAR	STEP TWO - MON 12 APR	STEP THREE - MON 17 MAY
 <b>Playing Golf</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No golf permitted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fourballs.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fourballs.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fourballs.</li> </ul>
 <b>Retail Shops</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All professional and retail shops must remain closed.</li> <li>Click and collect service.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All professional and retail shops must remain closed.</li> <li>Click and collect service.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All professional and retail shops may open.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All professional and retail shops may open.</li> </ul>
 <b>Catering</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All catering facilities must be closed.</li> <li>Takeaway service may be provided.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All catering facilities must be closed.</li> <li>Takeaway service may be provided.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All indoor catering facilities must be closed.</li> <li>Outdoor catering facilities may open, subject to the Rule of 6.</li> <li>Takeaway service may be provided.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor catering facilities may open, subject to the Rule of 6.</li> <li>Outdoor catering facilities may open, subject to a maximum of 30 people.</li> <li>Takeaway service may be provided.</li> </ul>
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 <b>Driving Ranges</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not permitted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Permitted provided they are outdoor.*</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All driving ranges open.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All driving ranges open.</li> </ul>
 <b>Outdoor Coaching</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No coaching is permitted, with exceptions for disability sport.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outdoor coaching is permitted on a 1-to-1 basis.</li> <li>Group coaching is permitted to the Rule of 6 (group of 6 including the coaches/volunteers).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outdoor coaching is permitted on a 1-to-1 basis.</li> <li>Group coaching is permitted to the Rule of 6 (group of 6 including the coaches/volunteers).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outdoor coaching is permitted on a 1-to-1 basis.</li> <li>Group coaching is permitted to a maximum group size of 30.</li> </ul>
 <b>Indoor Coaching</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor coaching is not permitted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor coaching is not permitted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor coaching is permitted on a 1-to-1 basis.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor coaching is permitted on a 1-to-1 basis.</li> <li>Indoor group coaching is permitted to the Rule of 6 (group of 6 including the coaches/volunteers).</li> </ul>
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 <b>Indoor Swing Studios</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor swing studios must remain closed.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor swing studios must remain closed.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor swing studios may open for individual use.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor swing studios may open for individual use.</li> <li>Indoor swing studios may open for organised group activity.</li> </ul>
 <b>Fitting Outside</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No fitting is permitted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outdoor fitting is permitted on a 1-to-1 basis or to the Rule of 6 (including fitter).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outdoor fitting is permitted on a 1-to-1 basis or to the Rule of 6 (including fitter).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All fitting is permitted outside.</li> </ul>
 <b>Fitting Inside</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No fitting is permitted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor fitting is not permitted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor fitting is permitted on a 1-to-1 basis.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor fitting is permitted on a 1-to-1 basis.</li> <li>Indoor fitting is permitted as part of an organised group activity.</li> </ul>
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 <b>Tournament and Competition Golf</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not permitted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Under strict COVID-19 controls and where overnight accommodation is not required for staff or players.</li> <li>Club/regional/county tournaments/competitions permitted.</li> <li>No national finals.</li> <li>No overseas.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Under strict COVID-19 controls and where overnight accommodation is not required for staff or players.</li> <li>Club/regional/county tournaments/competitions permitted.</li> <li>No national finals.</li> <li>No overseas.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Under strict COVID-19 controls.</li> <li>Club/regional/county/national tournaments/competitions permitted.</li> <li>No overseas.</li> </ul>
 <b>Changing Rooms</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Changing rooms are not permitted to open.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Changing rooms are not permitted to open, although use of indoor toilets is permitted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Changing rooms are permitted to open.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Changing rooms are permitted to open.</li> </ul>
 <b>AGMs/Committee Meetings</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not permitted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not permitted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not permitted.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Permitted, providing they are COVID safe.</li> </ul>

\*Some golf ranges can class as indoor settings. Each range should interpret the guidelines based on their individual circumstances. If in doubt, contact your local authority.

## FROM 21 JUNE: ALL RESTRICTIONS END



### USEFUL LINKS:

[www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-response-spring-2021](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-response-spring-2021)

This chart is based on the understanding of the information available at the time and on previous guidance, except where it has been updated | Step One has two dates when change will occur | Steps Two, Three and Four are all subject to Government review and are indicative of what could be expected for each of these steps.