

Dear Middle School Leader,

I am excited to announce that our esports partner, PlayVS, has officially launched Middle School Esports with the platform for registration going live mid-April.

In partnership with them, we are in the beginning stages of the development of a Middle School Esports League starting this fall 2024! We have had a successful and growing high school program since 2019 where students get the opportunity to compete for a CIAC State Championship across a number of game titles. Middle school leagues will be centered around team play, with the ultimate goal focused on student participation and growth.

Right now, NBA2K and Rocket League (ages 13+) are available. Over the next month or two, PlayVS will be announcing a number of other popular game titles - all rated E for Everyone.

There is no better time to consider the opportunity for your school and students. If you are interested and want to learn more, please fill out this <u>Middle School Esports Survey</u>. Filling out this survey in no way commits your school for the fall season, but rather allows us to get in touch and provide you with more information. Please do consider filling out the survey even if you are a "maybe" at this point.

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