



# Stanley Cup Playoffs Prediction Challenge! 2026

## First Round

## Predictions and Results

Teams		Score	Michael Poplawski	Kelly Chaplin	John Woycheshin	Joel Palmer	Glen Seredynski	Rod Phillips	Dustin van Gerven	Terry Appleby	Leslie MacPherson	Mel Tacoma	Doug Wansbrough	Terry Smoker	Bob Routhier	Amy Roach	Pete McCarthy	Amarjit Mann	Ed Mick	Richard Owens	John Lo	Wes Zetaruk
Buffalo Sabres	BUF		BUF 4-2 0	BUF 4-3 0	BUF 4-2 0	BOS 4-3 0	BUF 4-3 0	BUF 4-1 0	BUF 4-2 0	BUF 4-2 0	BUF 4-2 0	BUF 4-2 0	BUF 4-2 0	BUF 4-3 0	BOS 4-3 0	BUF 4-2 0	BOS 4-3 0	BOS 4-2 0	BUF 4-2 0	BOS 4-2 0	BUF 4-2 0	BOS 4-2 0
Boston Bruins	BOS																					
Tampa Bay Lightning	TBL		TBL 4-2 0	MTL 4-2 0	TBL 4-3 0	TBL 4-1 0	MTL 4-3 0	MTL 4-2 0	MTL 4-3 0	TBL 4-2 0	MTL 4-2 0	TBL 4-3 0	MTL 4-3 0	MTL 4-3 0	TBL 4-2 0	MTL 4-2 0	MTL 4-2 0	TBL 4-3 0	TBL 4-3 0	TBL 4-2 0	TBL 4-3 0	TBL 4-2 0
Montréal Canadiens	MTL																					
Carolina Hurricanes	CAR	CAR 1	CAR 4-2 5	OTT 4-3 0	CAR 4-2 5	CAR 4-1 6	OTT 4-3 0	CAR 4-3 5	CAR 4-3 5	OTT 4-3 0	OTT 4-3 0	CAR 4-1 6	CAR 4-1 6	CAR 4-1 6	OTT 4-3 0	OTT 4-3 0	CAR 4-2 5	CAR 4-2 5	CAR 4-1 6	CAR 4-1 6	CAR 4-2 5	CAR 4-2 5
Ottawa Senators	OTT	OTT 0																				
Pittsburgh Penguins	PIT	PHI 0	PIT 4-3 0	PIT 4-2 0	PIT 4-2 0	PIT 4-3 0	PIT 4-2 0	PHI 4-2 5	PIT 4-3 0	PHI 4-2 5	PIT 4-2 0	PHI 4-2 5	PIT 4-3 0	PIT 4-2 0	PIT 4-2 0	PIT 4-2 0	PIT 4-1 1	PIT 4-2 0	PIT 4-2 0	PIT 4-2 0	PIT 4-2 0	PHI 4-2 5
Philadelphia Flyers	PHI	PHI 1																				
Colorado Avalanche	COL		COL 4-1 0	COL 4-1 0	COL 4-1 0	COL 4-0 0	COL 4-1 0	COL 4-0 0	COL 4-2 0	COL 4-1 0	COL 4-1 0	COL 4-2 0	COL 4-2 0	COL 4-1 0	COL 4-1 0	COL 4-2 0	LAK 4-2 0	COL 4-0 0	COL 4-0 0	COL 4-2 0	COL 4-0 0	COL 4-1 0
Los Angeles Kings	LAK																					
Dallas Stars	DAL	MIN 0	MIN 4-2 5	DAL 4-3 0	DAL 4-3 0	MIN 4-3 5	DAL 4-2 0	MIN 4-3 5	MIN 4-3 5	DAL 4-3 0	MIN 4-1 6	DAL 4-3 0	DAL 4-3 0	MIN 4-3 5	DAL 4-2 0	DAL 4-2 0	MIN 4-1 6	DAL 4-3 0	DAL 4-3 0	DAL 4-1 1	MIN 4-3 5	MIN 4-2 5
Minnesota Wild	MIN	MIN 1																				
Vegas Golden Knights	VEG		VEG 4-3 0	UTA 4-2 0	VEG 4-2 0	VEG 4-1 0	VEG 4-1 0	VEG 4-2 0	VEG 4-3 0	VEG 4-2 0	VEG 4-2 0	VEG 4-2 0	VEG 4-2 0	UTA 4-2 0	VEG 4-2 0	UTA 4-2 0	VEG 4-2 0	UTA 4-2 0	VEG 4-2 0	VEG 4-2 0	UTA 4-3 0	VEG 4-2 0
Utah Mammoth	UTA																					
Edmonton Oilers	EDM		EDM 4-2 0	EDM 4-2 0	EDM 4-2 0	EDM 4-2 0	EDM 4-2 0	EDM 4-2 0	EDM 4-2 0	EDM 4-1 0	EDM 4-2 0	EDM 4-2 0	EDM 4-2 0	EDM 4-1 0	ANA 4-3 0	EDM 4-3 0	EDM 4-2 0	EDM 4-2 0	ANA 4-2 0	EDM 4-3 0	ANA 4-2 0	EDM 4-1 0
Anaheim Ducks	ANA																					
Series Winners Correct			2	0	1	2	0	3	2	1	1	2	1	2	0	0	2	1	1	1	2	3
Bonus Points (10)			0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Series Scores Correct			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bonus Points (10)			10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
<b>Total Score (100)</b>			<b>20</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>Rank (out of 20)</b>			7	17	14	4	17	1	7	14	11	4	11	4	17	17	3	14	11	10	7	1

### "Results" Explained

Each series is scored out of 10 points  
 If the series leader/winner is predicted correctly, 5 points are awarded, and  appears  
 Up to 5 more points are awarded for how close the predicted score is to the actual series score