

Soccer star Neymar Jr. appearing in 'Fortnite' starting April 27

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endeavors by Fortnite to team up with sports leagues. The video game has hosted several events and in-game items from the NFL, and earlier this year, Epic released a Kickoff Set of gear representing 23 soccer clubs from around the world.

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Soccer fans will soon have a big reason to check out Fortnite.

Epic Games confirmed [soccer](#) star Neymar Jr. will make his debut Tuesday (April 27) in the battle royale [video game](#). Neymar Jr. would be the first sports star featured within the video game.

Players will get a chance to complete a series of Battle Pass quests to unlock his exclusive outfit and other items.

The game's Creative mode will also feature a hub and island inspired by Neymar's arrival, where players can compete in the Neymar Jr. Cup for a chance to win a custom soccer boot from Puma.

Neymar's appearance in Fortnite was announced early last month as part of Epic Games' reveal of Season 6 content, which includes [wild animals](#) and an appearance by Tomb Raider heroine Lara Croft.

The partnership with Neymar Jr. is among several

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