

Reported English Premier League Injuries & Suspensions						
Sunday, 05 December 2021						
Team	Player	Reason	Further Details	Potential Return	Condition	Status
Arsenal (4)	Sead Kolacinac	Ankle/Foot Injury	Nov 25: "Sead is progressing well in the early stages of his rehab with the current aim to be back in full training in January."	22/01/2022	None	Ruled Out
	Bernd Leno	Groin/Hip/Pelvic Injury	Tight Groin	06/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	50%
	Emile Smith Rowe	Other	Dec 04: "He had some discomfort during the game and we decided to take him off. He's been evolving well over the last few days, so we have to wait until tomorrow to see how he is."	06/12/2021	Currently Being Assessed	50%
	Granit Xhaka	Knee Injury	Dec 03: "This week he has progressed again to a different level, and tomorrow we will assess how he is, and decide when is the best moment to start to give him some exposure in games."	06/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	25%
Aston Villa (5)	Bertrand Isidore Traore	Thigh Injury	Nov 30: "Bertrand still won't be available and he'll return to training, hopefully, pre-Christmas."	15/01/2022	None	Ruled Out
	Mahmoud Ibrahim Hassan	Knee Injury	Nov 30: "Trezeguet will play for the Under-23s next week. He's not allowed to play tonight against Charlton."	06/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	75%
	Danny Ings	Thigh Injury	Dec 03: "Danny is one that we're working closely with and we'll give him every chance before making a decision on him tomorrow."	05/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	50%
	Matt Targett	Head/Face Injury	Head Injury	05/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	25%
	Leon Bailey	Thigh Injury	Dec 03: "He'll be missing for a number of weeks. It's difficult to put a date on that right now, but we won't see him before Christmas."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Brentford (5)	Kristoffer Ajer	Thigh Injury	Nov 30: "Ajer is doing well, working hard on the pitch so I think we're talking about three to four more weeks."	26/12/2021	None	Ruled Out
	David Raya Martin	Knee Injury	Oct 26: "David has unfortunately sustained an injury to the PCL in his left knee. We anticipate the recovery period for an injury like this to be somewhere between 4-5 months."	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Mathias Jorgensen	Thigh Injury	Nov 30: "It's something behind the knee, lead to a hamstring issue. He will not be available for Tottenham. Assessed weekly."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
	Julian Jeanvier	Knee Injury	Nov 18: "He's just started training, still not full contact. He's been out for a long time so that will still be a while."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
	Joshua Dasilva	Groin/Hip/Pelvic Injury	Jul 07: "It is a hip injury that is rare, so the way we've gone about it has to be careful. It's not an injury where I can give you a time, we're trying to manage it in the right way. I'll have answers soon."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Brighton and Hove Albion (7)	Steven Alzate	Ankle/Foot Injury	Nov 29: "Getting closer and closer. Next couple of weeks, we'd like to see [him] training with the team."	01/01/2022	None	Ruled Out
	Danny Welbeck	Thigh Injury	Nov 11: "I would say there is a good chance of him returning before January the way he is progressing. Touch wood there will be no setbacks, we just need to keep working. Hopefully this side of Christmas."	26/12/2021	None	Ruled Out
	Jeremy Sarmiento	Thigh Injury	Dec 04: "Jeremy will be operated on for his hamstring injury. The recovery will take between 3 or 4 months."	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Adam Webster	Calf/Shin/Heel Injury	Calf Injury	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Adam Lallana	Thigh Injury	Thigh Injury	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Lewis Dunk	Knee Injury	Dec 04: "He picked up a knee injury at the back end of the game; we're still assessing it."	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out

	Leandro Trossard	Arm/Elbow Injury	Dec 04: "It was an elbow, we don't think it was as bad as first thought. The early diagnosis is a bit more positive, we will have to see how it goes over the next day or so."	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
Burnley (5)	Phillip Bardsley	Other	Dec 02: "Bardsley is also a niggly [one] so it's not likely that he will be in the squad for the weekend."	12/12/2021	Currently Being Assessed	25%
	Dale Stephens	Other	Dec 02: "We're monitoring Dale. He's not particularly unwell, but we know the rules."	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Ben Mee	Shoulder Injury	Shoulder Injury	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	25%
	Maxwel Cornet	Thigh Injury	Quadriceps Strain	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Ashley Barnes	Thigh Injury	Dec 02: "It's going to be weeks of recovery for Ashley."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Chelsea (6)	Mateo Kovacic	Thigh Injury	Dec 04: "We're missing also Mateo for five or six weeks."	15/01/2022	None	Ruled Out
	Marcos Alonso	Lower Back Injury	Dec 04: "Marcos has back pain."	08/12/2021	Currently Being Assessed	50%
	Trevoh Chalobah	Thigh Injury	Dec 03: "For Trevoh we need more examinations to see how bad the injury is."	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Kai Havertz	Ankle/Foot Injury	Dec 04: "Kai has huge pain."	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	25%
	N'Golo Kante	Knee Injury	Dec 04: "I have no idea when N'Golo will be back."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
	Ben Chilwell	Knee Injury	Nov 26: "A partial tear of his ACL, and the decision is to treat it conservatively. The next six weeks will tell the story if he makes it and be available or if he will need surgery."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Crystal Palace (4)	Joel Ward	Suspended	5 Yellow Cards	12/12/2021	None	Ruled Out
	James McArthur	Thigh Injury	Dec 03: "James is looking good in training, but at the moment this game is too early for him. We're still going week-to-week, but he's looking much better."	12/12/2021	None	50%
	Joachim Andersen	Thigh Injury	Dec 03: "Joachim has been reacting well to treatments. So it's day-by-day at the moment. It's one that we'll have to wait and see."	05/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	50%
	Nathan Ferguson	Calf/Shin/Heel Injury	Nov 05: "Nathan will start next week to take part in some of the exercises with the first team."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Everton (6)	Dominic Calvert-Lewin	Thigh Injury	Dec 03: "Dominic is getting better, he's doing really well, but he's still a couple of weeks [away], minimum. We have to be careful."	26/12/2021	None	Ruled Out
	Yerry Mina	Thigh Injury	Dec 03: "He is getting closer. We will see how he reacts in the next couple of days, to see if he is available or not."	06/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	50%
	Mason Holgate	Suspended	Sending Off - Red Card	06/12/2021	None	100%
	Andre Gomes	Calf/Shin/Heel Injury	Dec 03: "Andre Gomes has been training."	06/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	50%
	Jose Salomon Rondon	Thigh Injury	Dec 03: "With Rondon, we are assessing him. He is feeling better but we need to wait for the scan and see how he is doing."	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Tom Davies	Knee Injury	Knee Injury	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
Leeds United (4)	Robin Koch	Groin/Hip/Pelvic Injury	Nov 25: "Koch had to go through surgery. The terms of his recovery are what was expected."	14/12/2021	None	Ruled Out
	Luke Ayling	Other	Dec 03: "It's likely [he] will be available for the game on Sunday."	05/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	75%
	Patrick Bamford	Other	Dec 03: "It's likely [he] will be available for the game on Sunday."	05/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	75%
	Pascal Struijk	Groin/Hip/Pelvic Injury	Dec 03: "He has a knock around his hip, but we think he will be available on Sunday."	05/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	75%
Leicester City (5)	Wesley Fofana	Ankle/Foot Injury	Nov 18: "I'm not sure of the exact date yet, but I was just watching him and he was moving really well. He's building up his fitness, he's way ahead of where we thought he'd maybe be."	01/01/2022	None	Ruled Out

	Ricardo Barbosa Pereira	Thigh Injury	Nov 20: "He'd felt it yesterday when he came in after training. It's frustrating him. We just have to wait and see what the scan."	12/12/2021	None	Ruled Out
	James Maddison	Buttock Injury	Dec 03: "It was more an issue with his glute, but that seems fine and okay, so he will be ready for the game."	05/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	75%
	Youri Tielemans	Calf/Shin/Heel Injury	Dec 03: "Youri is back in training [but] it might be too soon for the weekend."	05/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	25%
	James Justin	Knee Injury	Nov 18: "We want to get him minutes with the U23s and we have a plan in place. He's physically very strong, he's a real athlete. We just want to make sure he's ready."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Liverpool (5)	Roberto Firmino	Thigh Injury	Nov 30: "Bobby is good but he is still a couple of weeks away, but he is doing pretty much everything just with the extent of the injury we have to be careful."	16/12/2021	None	Ruled Out
	Naby Keita	Thigh Injury	Dec 03: "I think from Sunday on, if nothing happens between now and then, [he] should be in contention again."	07/12/2021	None	25%
	Joe Gomez	Calf/Shin/Heel Injury	Dec 03: "I think from Sunday on, if nothing happens between now and then, [he] should be in contention again."	07/12/2021	None	25%
	Curtis Jones	Head/Face Injury	Nov 30: "Curtis is completely fine, but we have to be careful with it and so we cannot rush it. I think the next test is tomorrow and then we will know more."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
	Harvey Elliott	Ankle/Foot Injury	Nov 05: "He's great, Harvey's great. I have no idea when exactly it'll be, but we can't wait actually. It looks really good."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Manchester City (3)	Ferran Torres Garcia	Ankle/Foot Injury	Oct 15: "Ferran will be out two and a half months, three months. [The injury is a] bone for the feet - metatarsal."	01/01/2022	None	Ruled Out
	Liam Delap	Ankle/Foot Injury	Ankle Injury	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Benjamin Mendy	Suspended	Aug 26: 'City confirm that [after] being charged by police today, Benjamin Mendy has been suspended pending an investigation.'	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Manchester United (7)	Raphael Varane	Thigh Injury	Dec 01: "Rapha's rehab is going really well. He's out on the grass but it won't be any time this week, by any stretch, it'll be a little bit further than that, if not even longer."	11/12/2021	None	Ruled Out
	Edinson Cavani Gomez	Other	Nov 09: "Before starting the season, I had discomfort in the tendon. It made me spend a couple of weeks out... It was improving but, after Tottenham, it started coming back. They are difficult injuries."	11/12/2021	None	25%
	Aaron Wan-Bissaka	Wrist/Hand Injury	Dec 02: "Touch and go. Hudson-Odoi stood on his hand [last Sunday] so he's in a fair bit of pain."	05/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	50%
	Nemanja Matic	Thigh Injury	Dec 02: "Nemanja has picked up a little niggle. He's felt his hamstring so he's out."	05/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	50%
	Cristiano Ronaldo	Thigh Injury	Cramp	05/12/2021	Currently Being Assessed	75%
	Luke Shaw	Head/Face Injury	Dec 02: "We're just being careful with Luke, assessing day by day. Hopefully he won't be too far away."	05/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	25%
	Paul Pogba	Thigh Injury	Nov 11: "He's already started on his rehab and wants to come back fresh and ready. If it's two months or six weeks or 12 weeks, I've got to tell you in a few weeks how he's healing."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Newcastle United (3)	Ciaran Clark	Suspended	Sending Off - Red Card	12/12/2021	None	Ruled Out
	Ryan Fraser	Thigh Injury	Hamstring Strain	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Paul Dummett	Calf/Shin/Heel Injury	Dec 03: "He's not close at the moment. He is back on the grass with the physios. He still has quite a bit to go through, but positive signs."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out

Norwich City (5)	Milot Rashica	Groin/Hip/Pelvic Injury	Dec 03: "We felt Milot's was just a slight groin issue, but it's a bit more significant than that, so we expect him to be out for three or four weeks."	01/01/2022	None	Ruled Out
	Mathias Normann	Groin/Hip/Pelvic Injury	Dec 03: "Normann had an injection into his pelvic area to help him get back quicker. We're hoping he's ready for the Manchester United game."	11/12/2021	None	50%
	Todd Cantwell	Other	Dec 03: "Todd's trained with us since we got back from Newcastle. He's clear now from the COVID-19 issues."	05/12/2021	None	100%
	Christoph Zimmermann	Ankle/Foot Injury	Oct 29: "Christoph had his ankle surgery and will be out for several weeks."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
	Sam Byram	Other	Lacking Match Fitness	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	25%
Southampton (4)	Jan Bednarek	Calf/Shin/Heel Injury	Dec 01: "Hopefully, he is okay. I hope that he stepped out just in time so that the problem did not become an injury."	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Fraser Forster	Other	Knock	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	25%
	Alex McCarthy	Thigh Injury	Hamstring Strain	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Stuart Armstrong	Calf/Shin/Heel Injury	Calf Strain	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Tottenham Hotspur (3)	Giovani Lo Celso	Knee Injury	Dec 03: "I think Giovani, after the game against Norwich, will start to have training sessions with us."	09/12/2021	None	25%
	Dane Scarlett	Ankle/Foot Injury	Nov 24: "During the international break he had a problem in his ankle and is not available."	05/12/2021	Late Fitness Test	25%
	Cristian Romero	Thigh Injury	Dec 01: "January, February I don't know, but 2021 is finished to play. We have to wait to recover well but the injury is serious."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Watford (8)	Peter Etebo	Thigh Injury	Oct 13: 'Peter has had surgery on the tear in his quad and has now returned to the club's training base to begin his rehab.'	05/03/2022	None	Ruled Out
	Ben Foster	Groin/Hip/Pelvic Injury	Nov 30: "Having been nursing a groin strain in recent games, the results of a scan late last week revealed that Ben will be out of action until January."	15/01/2022	None	Ruled Out
	Ken Sema	Knee Injury	Nov 30: "Hopes to re-join training with the squad at the end of this week."	10/12/2021	None	50%
	Francisco Sierralta Carvallo	Thigh Injury	Nov 26: "Francisco has been working hard in the gym during the first stage of his rehabilitation following a minor hamstring injury."	10/12/2021	None	25%
	Adam Masina	Thigh Injury	Dec 02: "Will undergo an MRI scan to determine the full extent of the thigh injury, which forced him to leave the pitch [on Wednesday]."	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Kwadwo Baah	Ankle/Foot Injury	Nov 18: 'Undergone surgery on his fractured ankle and is in the process of beginning his rehab.'	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
	Ismaila Sarr	Knee Injury	Nov 30: "Knee ligament injury which will require a further scan in around a month's time. Continues to be monitored by the club's medical team."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
	Nicolas N'Koulou	Thigh Injury	Nov 30: "Nicolas will be sidelined until into the New Year."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
West Ham United (5)	Aaron Cresswell	Lower Back Injury	Dec 03: "Aaron is back in training. He's done a bit of light training so we'll take a look at that."	09/12/2021	None	75%
	Benjamin Johnson	Thigh Injury	Hamstring Strain	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Kurt Zouma	Thigh Injury	Hamstring Strain	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Ryan Fredericks	Groin/Hip/Pelvic Injury	Groin Injury	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out
	Angelo Ogbonna	Knee Injury	Nov 19: "We think surgery for Angelo will take place over the next couple of days."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Wolverhampton Wanderers (6)	Fernando Marcal	Other	Coronavirus (COVID-19)	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	Ruled Out

Jonny Castro Otto	Knee Injury	Sept 29: "Jonny is doing very well rehabilitating from cruciate ligament surgery and is on course for an expected return in the new year."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Rayan Ait Nouri	Other	Dec 04: "We need to receive the info from the medical dept because he was on the floor, came off and then came back on."	No Return Date	Currently Being Assessed	25%
Pedro Lomba Neto	Knee Injury	Sept 29: "We are taking him stage by stage, and he is due a specialist review on progress in October. Until then, we do not want to put pressure on him by giving him a specific return date."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Yerson Mosquera	Thigh Injury	Sept 29: "It is too early to give a return date as there is such variation in how quickly players heal, but as a guide 4-5 months is usual."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out
Willy Boly	Other	Nov 30: "Not in December, no. No one is ready to come and I would put Boly on that list. We need to go day-by-day, but for now he is completely out."	No Return Date	None	Ruled Out

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