

Rugby World Cup 2021 schedule

Defending champions New Zealand host the ninth women's World Cup, the first time the tournament has been staged in the Southern Hemisphere

POOL A



N. Zealand
Australia
Wales
Scotland

POOL B



Canada
USA
Italy
Japan

POOL C



England
France
South Africa
Fiji

Kennedy Simon
One of two co-captains of New Zealand



POOL STAGE: October 8-23

Picture: Getty Images

8	Australia - N. Zealand	S. Africa - France
	Fiji - England	
9	Wales - Scotland	USA - Italy
	Japan - Canada	
15	Scotland - Australia	USA - Japan
	France - England	
16	Wales - N. Zealand	Italy - Canada
	Fiji - South Africa	
22	Australia - Wales	N. Zealand - Scotland
	France - Fiji	
23	Japan - Italy	Canada - USA
	England - South Africa	

KNOCKOUT STAGES

Q-finals: Oct 29

1 Seed 1
Seed 8

Whangārei

Bronze final

Nov 12, Eden Park

Semi-finals

Eden Park

Oct 30

Seed 2 **3**
Seed 7

Auckland

A Winner 1
Winner 2

Whangārei

Nov 5

Winner 3 **B**
Winner 4

Nov 5

Auckland

2 Seed 4
Seed 5

Oct 29

Source: World Rugby

World Cup final
Nov 12, Eden Park

Oct 30

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Tournament originally scheduled for 2021 but delayed by coronavirus pandemic



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