Premier League 2026-27 title hopefuls

Arsenal are considered the favourites to retain their crown, with a 38% chance of mounting first successful title defence since 1935



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*Predictions based on 10,000 simulations by **Opta's Supercomputer,** estimating probability of each match outcome – win, draw or loss – by using betting market odds and Opta Power Rankings*

% chance	*Top 5*	*Top 4*	*Title*
Arsenal	83.0	77.1	38.0
Man City	69.4	61.5	20.5
Liverpool	48.6	39.6	9.2
Man Utd	40.0	32.1	6.2
Aston Villa	33.8	26.5	4.8
Chelsea	30.3	23.4	4.1
Tottenham	24.1	18.0	2.9

◆ All three promoted teams are favourites for relegation, with ***Hull City (38.7%), Ipswich Town (31.2%)*** and ***Coventry City (27.9%)*** facing toughest campaigns, ahead of ***Sunderland (25.9%)***

◆ Top 5 finish has guaranteed ***Champions League*** berth for past two seasons

◆ In 2025-26, Supercomputer predicted Liverpool (28.5%) as title favourites, with Arsenal marginally behind on 24.3%

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