

Legends of Echo

The Reckless Rookie Guide

Finding the game

Once installed, Legends of Echo should appear in your APPLICATIONS or GAMES folder on your phone. Click to play.

Getting started

- *Your character:* When starting the game the first time, you'll be asked to choose a character from one of the five bloodlines – Earth, Air, Water, Fire and Industry. Remember that some weapons are bloodline-specific. Also remember to choose a character that is really cool.
- *Your base:* Also called your ARCANIUM. Place your arcanium where you spend most of your time in real life. This is where you'll start (or continue) the game every time you play Legends of Echo.

I'm in the game, now what?

1. *Always SCAN first:* To do this, click OPTIONS (bottom left of the screen). You'll see all the players, items and arcaniums in your immediate area.
2. *Arm yourself:* You're going to need all the weapons, armor and health items you can carry for upcoming battles. Scan regularly and pick up any items lying around. (Do this by SCANNING, opening ITEMS and then clicking those you want.)
3. *Stock up on Elements:* Items use up Elements during fights. Make sure you have right kind of Elements for the weapon you intend to use i.e. Earth, Air, Water, Fire or Industry.
4. *Stock up on Health:* Some items have healing abilities. Make sure to pick these up (and use them in battle to replenish lost life).
5. *Leave stuff at home:* If your BACPACK is full, you can always leave stuff at your arcanium for future use.

Picking a fight

1. *Choose your opponent:* The SCAN command will show you else are hanging around in your immediate vicinity. Click on a player to see their stats and battle status.
2. *Challenge them:* If you want to take them on, click OPTIONS (bottom left) and select the “Challenge in battle” menu option.
3. *Equip a weapon:* Make sure you have a weapon to use. You should have picked one up or traded it before going into battle. To equip a weapon, select OPTIONS and “Equip battle gear”
4. *Know your weapon’s range:* Good fighting is a combination of moving close enough to strike and yet stay out of reach of your opponent’s jabs. Once you’ve selected “Attack” you will see your weapon’s range but won’t be able to move until the next turn. Choose carefully.
5. *Change weapons:* You can change weapons while in battle. When it’s your turn, simply select OPTIONS and “Equip battle gear”
6. *Use healing items:* Replenish lost energy by equipping health items during battle.

Moving around

1. *Explore your area:* You can scroll around the map by using your cursor keys. Click on nearby arcaniums to enter them or on suburbs to walk there.
2. *Teleport across South Africa:* If you’d like to explore a remote area or join a fight happening elsewhere, use the “Teleport” option from the OPTIONS menu. You’ll need Teleport Juice to do this. Find it in your area or in the “Marketplace” from the “Echo Enquirer” option.

Other stuff

1. *Catch the latest news:* From OPTIONS, go to Echo Enquirer for the latest in-game news and announcements e.g. weapon drops, prizes and other exciting stuff.
2. *See how much you rock:* From OPTIONS, go to Echo Enquirer for the latest game rankings.

3. *Trade weapons and special items:* From OPTIONS, go to Echo Enquirer for the Echo marketplace. Sell some of your own items or buy awesome ones from other Echonauts.