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# **PZ Connection Guide**

Welcome to The Collective! We are a server focused primarily on cooperative PvE survival. Our whitelisting process is very straightforward.

PLEASE READ! The server is currently down, awaiting the **B42** Multiplayer update.

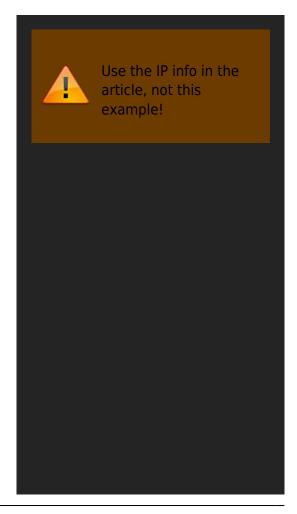


There is no ETA on when the update will be released, but we expect somewhere ~Q4 2025.

#### **Creating a Character**

Become a member of our Discord and contact staff to create an account!

- 1. First, take time to familiarize yourself with our community rules.
- 2. Then click this link to join our Discord server. Discord membership is required!
- 3. Ping/mention @staff in the #staging channel and wait for a response.
- 4. You will be asked to create a **unique** username and password combo. **Please do not reuse** passwords from other places here!





### **Connecting to the Server**

Connect to our server and keep it in your favorites by following these steps:

- 1. Click "Join" on the main menu, and make sure you're under the "Favorites" tab.
- 2. Enter our IP address and port shown in the example, as well as the username and password you created earlier. Click Save.
- 3. Select our server in the list, and click "Join Server".
- 4. The game will prompt you to install "The Collective Modpack". Give it a few minutes to download and install.

Note: Mod install time is dependent on your connection speed.

#### **Server Info**

IP Address:

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Port:

17200

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