

9U-19U REC LEAGUE RULES

Rule 203 -- Playing Rules

All games shall be played according to the rules and regulations set by FIFA/ U.S. Soccer (USSF) except for those modifications authorized by the SKYC, FIFA or USSF.

Rule 207 -- Playing Venue & Game Lengths.

Age ¹	Format	Game Duration	Ball Size	Field Size Mandate width x length	Field Size Range width x length	Goal Size (height x width)
7U [#]	4v4	4 x 10 min quarters, 3 min breaks	3	20 yds x 30 yds	15-25 yds wide x 25 – 35 yds long	4' x 6' Pugg Style goal
8U [#]	4v4	4 x 10 min quarters, 3 min breaks	3	20 yds x 30 yds	15-25 yds wide x 25 – 35 yds long	4' x 6' Pugg Style goal
9U [#]	7v7	2 x 25 min halves, 5 min halftime	4	40 yds x 60 yds	35-45 yds wide to 55-65 yds long	6'.5" x 12" ideal 6' x 18' and portable style acceptable ²
10U [#]	7v7	2 x 25 min halves, 5 min halftime	4	40 yds x 60 yds	35-45 yds wide to 55-65 yds long	6'.5" x 12" ideal 6' x 18' and portable style acceptable ²
11U [#]	9v9	2 x 30 min halves, 5 min halftime	4	50 yds x 75 yds	45-55 yds wide to 70-80 yds long	7' x 21' ideal 6'.6" x 18'.6" and portable style acceptable ²
12U [#]	9v9	2 x 30 min halves, 5 min halftime	4	50 yds x 75 yds	45-55 yds wide to 70-80 yds long	7' x 21' ideal 6'.6" x 18'.6" and portable style acceptable ²
13U [#]	11v11	2 x 35 min halves, 5 min halftime	5	75 yds x 112 yds	60-80 yds wide to 100- 130 yds long	8' x 24'
14U	11V11	2 x 35 min halves, 5 min halftime	5	75 yds x 112 yds	60-80 yds wide to 100- 130 yds long	8' x 24'

15U	11V11	2 x 40 min halves, 5 min halftime	5	75 yds x 112 yds	60-80 yds wide to 100- 130 yds long	8' x24'
16U	11V11	2 x 40 min halves, 5 min halftime	5	75 yds x 112 yds	60-80 yds wide to 100- 130 yds long	8'x 24'
17U	11V11	2 x 45 min halves, 5 min halftime	5	75 yds x 112 yds	60-80 yds wide to 100- 130 yds long	8' x 24'
18U	11V11	2 x 45 min halves, 5 min halftime	5	75 yds x 112 yds	60-80 yds wide to 100- 130 yds long	8'x 24'
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²BowNet, # SKLZ style goals are only allowed at 7v7 (9U/10U) and 9v9 (11U/12U) for all division.

Rule 207A- US Soccer Small-sided Mandates

Modified Soccer (10U-8U) – Rules and Procedures

Small sided application of USSF Guidelines

10U - 9U (7v7)

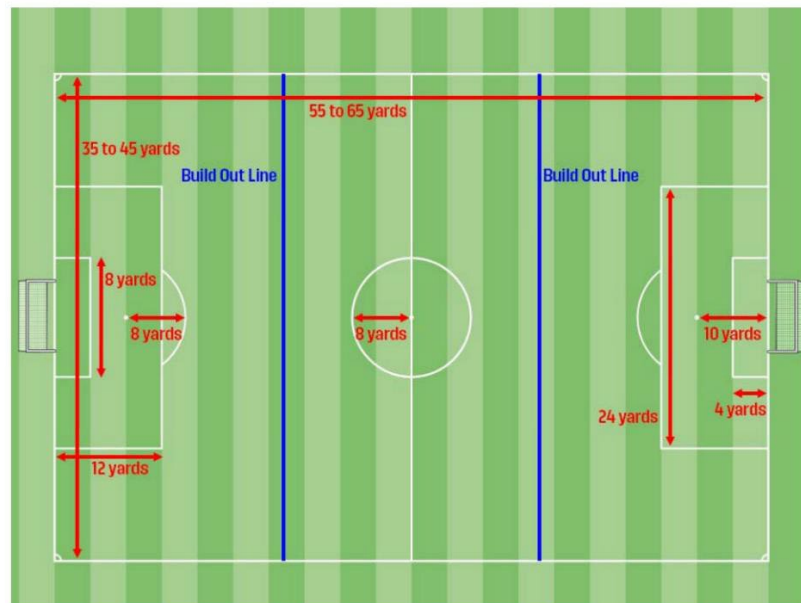
- Game Duration – 2 x 25 min halves, 5 min break
- 7 v 7- including goalkeepers
- **Build out line / Off-side line will be used** (equidistant from Penalty Area to Halfway line)
- Goal Keepers will not “punt” or ‘drop kick’ the ball. They may distribute via throw, pass or roll on the ground after opponents retreat behind the build out line. If they choose to play prior to players retreating behind the line there is no infraction of the rule. After the ball is put into play, the opposing team can then cross the build out line and play can resume as normal. Goal Kicks require players to retreat behind the build out line prior to the kick being taken.

Note: The ball is “in play” once it is kicked. If opposition team crosses the build out line prior to this the kick is retaken.

Off-sides will be called. The build out line will be used in determination of off-sides vs using the center line. Players between the center line and build out line are not to be considered as off-side.

- **Direct free kicks will be called.**
- **No intentional heading** (indirect free kick if determined to be intentional)
- Goal sizes- 6.5' x 18.5' (6' x 18' allowed)
- Portable goals must be secured (eg. Sandbags or staked down to ensure player safety at all times)

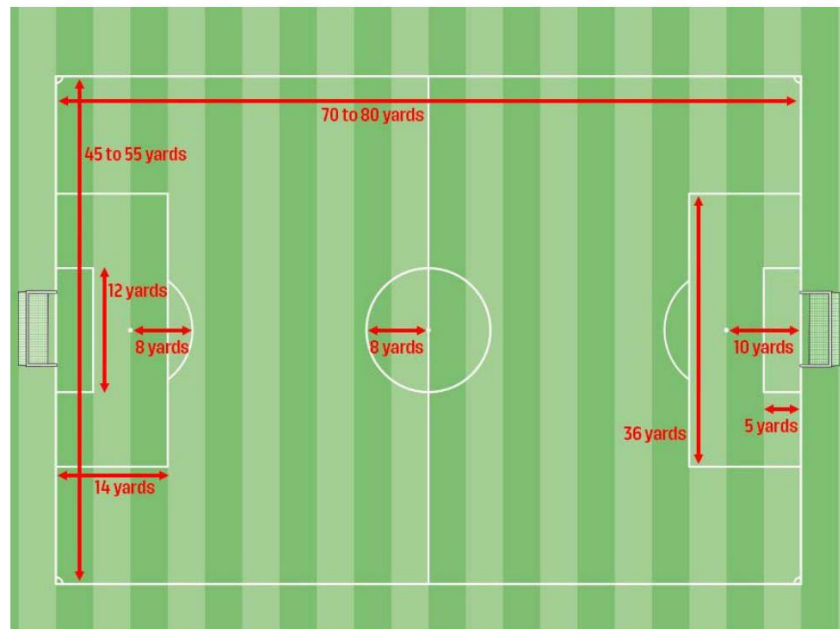
7v7



11U/12U (9V9)

- 9v9 (8 field players and 1 goalkeeper)
- Substitutions are unlimited and can occur at any stoppage.
- **NO Build out line**
- **Offsides will be called (center line used as off-sides line**
- **Goalkeepers may punt or drop kick the ball**
- Goal sizes- 6.5' x 18.5' (6' x 18' allowed)
- Portable goals must be secured (eg. Sandbags or staked down to ensure player safety at all times)

9v9



Rule 303 -- Substitutions

Free substitutions will be allowed in all age groups. Teams may substitute with the referee's permission on any stoppage. Player substitutions and reentry are unlimited.

Rule 304 -- Personnel on the Bench

Only uniformed players & non-playing personnel listed on the team's Match Day Roster can be on the bench during the match and only players eligible and listed on Match Day Roster may be in uniform. Players listed on the Team's US Club Roster but not in uniform (in street clothes) can be on the bench during the match.

Rule 310 — Mercy Rule

- If the score differential reaches 5 goals, then the coach of the team with fewer goals may add one player to the field. If the goal differential returns to 4 goals, then the additional player must be removed from the field. Adding and removing the player must be done according to the substitution rules.
- If a team has only 7 **players** present at the match for (9U/10U), **9 players** for (11U/12U) and **11 players** for 11v11 and the score differential reaches 5 goals then the team leading would remove one player from the field.

Rule 401 – No show of Officials

Failure of a match official to appear will not constitute cancellation of a match. If both teams can agree on a substitute, play will resume.