



Indoor Rules of Play 2024/25 U11 – U19

Field of Play Saskatoon Sports Centre Turf or Saskatoon Kinsmen Henk Ruys Soccer Centre Boarded.

Arrive 15 minutes prior to your game.

Make sure goal net and corner flags are set up properly (turf field). Do not set up nets at the turf soccer centre. Request for a soccer centre staff member to do it for you.

Game Sheets

Game sheets for Youth soccer league are located at admin desk. Youth teams will need to pick up the game sheet and hand to the referee prior to the game starting. After your game is done. Put game sheet in mailbox by admission desk or email into..

- **Tianna Raduloff for U11/U13 game sheets** (admin@saskatoonyouthsoccer.ca)
- **Ifman Huerta for U15/U17 game sheets** (admin@saskatoonadultsoccer.com)

****The score of your game needs to be submitted online using RAMP online feature.****

Teams playing in the youth soccer league boarded or turf have 10 minutes from the scheduled game start time to have a minimum number of eligible players on the field.

The Ball U11 = Size 4 - U13 to U19 = Size 5

The home team will supply the game ball unless, in the opinion of the referee, the visiting team has a more satisfactory ball. For SYSI Indoor League Play on hard surface, where available a low bounce synthetic ball will be used. For games on artificial turf an outdoor ball will be used.

Number of Players

U11 City and U11 Alliance Leagues – ¼ field game – 7v7

U13 Alliance A – ½ field - 9v9

U13 Alliance B – ¼ field game – 7v7

U15 City League – ¼ field game – 7v7

U15 Alliance – ½ field game – 9v9

U17 Alliance League - ½ field games – 9v9

U17 City League - - ¼ field game – 7v7

U19 Alliance League – ½ field games – 9v9

U19 City League – ¼ field game – 7v7

Substitutions

Will be unlimited and on the fly from the center line. Player leaving the field must be at the center line prior to the substitute entering the field. The player entering the field must enter the field at the center line as well.

5 up – 1 up (U10/U11 age groups only): if the game gets to a 5-goal differential the trailing team can add a player, and every 3 goals after, you can add an additional player up to a maximum of 3 additional players. If the score goes under the 5-goal differential they must remove the additional player.

Minimum Number of Players

The minimum number of players required for a youth game to proceed is:

4 players per team for the 7v7 ¼ turf indoor league

6 players per team in the 9v9 ½ turf indoor league

DURATION OF THE MATCH

2 x 25-minute halves separated by a 1–3-minute halftime break. - Any delay to the start of the match shall be accommodated by reducing the length of the half time break.

Q & A

THE PLAYERS EQUIPMENT- As per FIFA Laws of the Game - A player must not use equipment or wear anything that is dangerous to himself or another player (including any kind of jewelry).



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Players Wearing Casts Policy

This Canada Soccer policy document is designed to reduce inconsistencies in rulings over players wearing casts. All referees are expected to follow these policies in all matches sanctioned by Canada Soccer

Law 4 states that a player may not use equipment or wear anything that is dangerous [to anyone].

It further states that non-dangerous protective equipment is permitted as long as it has the sole purpose of protecting the individual physically providing that it poses no danger to the individual or any other player.

Modern protective equipment made of soft, lightweight, padded materials are not considered dangerous and are therefore permitted.

Hard casts are considered to pose a danger to both the wearer and other players and are not permitted to be worn. The practice of padding a hard cast does not reduce the element of danger.

Players wearing a soft cast will be permitted to play if the cast does not present a danger to the individual or any other player.

The referee or Supervisor of Officials (if one has been appointed to the match/tournament) will make the final decision as to the acceptability of any cast.

Any player who uses a cast with the intent to intimidate or injure an opponent shall be sent off.

Retreat Line: U11 City League: The defensive team's players must retreat to the $\frac{1}{2}$ way line on all Goal Kicks.

Penalty Kick Location: The penalty kick location is at the top of the penalty area. Even on Sherwood and Family Focus field.

Ball in and out of play

The ball is considered out of play if the ball goes over the touch line, goal line, or strikes the ceiling (including light fixture, curtains, etc.) - If the ball contacts the ceiling or a ceiling attached fixture, the game will be restarted directly below the point of contact by an indirect free kick to the team that DID NOT kick the ball out of play.

Offsides Law 11

Matches on $\frac{1}{4}$ field playing area: **There is no offside.**

Matches on $\frac{1}{2}$ field playing area: The offside line will be the **half-way line just like outdoor games.**

Fouls Law 12 As per FIFA Laws of the Game. There will not be any time penalties for yellow/red cards. - Slide tackles are not allowed on hard court/tile games (yellow card). Any games played on turf; slide tackles are allowed (U11-U19 divisions).

Free Kicks

U11 and U13 City League $\frac{1}{4}$ field are to be 3 yds

U11-U13 Alliance League $\frac{1}{4}$ field are to be 3 yds

U13 Alliance League $\frac{1}{2}$ field are to be 5yds

U15-U19 City League $\frac{1}{2}$ field are to be 10 yds

U15-U19 Alliance $\frac{1}{2}$ field are to be 10 yds

U11 games all leagues:

Throw Ins: As per FIFA Laws of the Game. Players are allowed a second attempt at throwing the ball into play if the first attempt was not correct.

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