

Playing Rules

KAK Kindergarten and Grades 1-2

4v4

Law 1 - The ball: size three

Law 2 – the Number of Player

- a. The maximum number of players on the field is four per team
- b. There are no goalkeepers
- c. Substitutions are allowed anytime the ball is out of play

Law 3 –The Player Equipment

- a. Footwear shall be sneakers or soft cleats soccer shoes
- b. Shin guards mandatory, mouth guards are optional

Law 4 – The referee

- a. One person that both coach agree upon can be referee. Or one coach from each team should assume the role of referee.
- b. Keep the game fun, safe and focused on the children
- c. When the game is stopped for a foul or other reason, take time to explain why.

Law 5 – Duration of the game

- a. Four ten minute quarters
- b. Three minutes break between each quarter

Law 6 – Starting and restarting the game

- a. Opponents must be 3 yards from center mark while kick-off is in progress

Law 7 – Ball in and out of play

- a. The ball must completely cross the line to be out of play

Law 8 – The method of scoring

- a. The ball must completely cross the goal line between the posts and beneath the crossbar to count

Law 9- Fouls and Misconduct

- a. Kicking, tripping, pushing, striking, or attempting to do so will result in an indirect free kick for the opposing team from the spot of the foul
- b. Sliding tackles are considered dangerous play and will result in an indirect free kick for the opposing team
- c. Referee shall explain the foul to the offending player

Law 10 - free Kicks

- a. All free kicks will be indirect
- b. Opponents must be 3 yards away

Law 11 – Penalty kicks – there are no penalty kicks

Law 12 – Throw-ins – There are no throw ins

- a. When the ball completely crosses the side line, the ball will be placed on the sideline where the ball left the field of play. The team last to kick the ball must be three yards away from the ball and the opposing team will kick the ball back into the field of play.

Law 13 – Goal Kicks

- a. If the team attempting to score a goal is the last to touch the ball before it crosses the goal line outside of the goal posts, the opposing team puts the ball back into play with a kick
- b. The goal kick is taken from with three yards of the goal, and opposing players must be on their half of the field.

Law 14 – Corner kicks

- a. If the defending team is the last to touch the ball before it crosses the goal line outside of the goal post; the attacking team puts it into play with an indirect kick from the corner are closest to where the ball went out
- b. The opposing team must be a least three yards away