

MHYSA'S BASIC LAWS OF THE GAME

Law	U6	U8	U10	U12	U14	U19
Ball Size	#3	#3	#4	#4	#5	#5
Field Size (Yrds)	25 X 30	30 X 50	70 X 40 MAX	90 X 50 MAX	60 X 110 MAX	80 x 120 MAX
Goal Size (Ft)	3 X 3	6 X 6	6 X 6 to 7 x 7	7 X 21	8 X 24	
Goal Area (Yrds from goal)	None	4	5	6		
Penalty Area (Yrds from goal)	None	10	12	14	18	
Players (incl Keeper)	3 X 3 (no goalies)	5 X 5	6 X 6	8 X 8	11 X 11	
Restart Distance (Yrds)	4		6	8	10	
Center of Circle (Yrds)	6		8		10	
Length of Half (Min)	20	25	30	35	40	45
Jewelry	NO JEWELRY IS ALLOWED TO BE WORN. TAPING IT DOES NOT MAKE IT SAFE.					
Heading	NO—DP		YES			
Slide Tackling	NO—DP			YES		
Offside	NO	YES				
Substitutions	Unlimited in number. Referee must be informed. Allowed by either team at goal kicks, goals, halftime, injury and cautioned player. (Not allowed on fouls or corner kicks)					
Sub on Throw	Both teams throw			Own team's throw unless other team is substituting		
Notify Ref of Substitution	YES					
Free Kicks	Indirect Only		Direct and indirect, per FIFA laws of the game			
# of Refs	None	1		1 to 3		
Penalty Kicks	NO		YES			
Goal Kicks	Ball placed anywhere within combined goal area. Ball is in play when it is kicked and moves.			Ball placed anywhere within goal area. Ball is in play when it leaves the penalty area. Opponents must be outside the penalty area.		
Goalkeeper	No Goalie	Per FIFA, may not play ball with hands when deliberately kicked by a teammate ("pass back rule") no restrictions on length of kicks/punts.				

NOTES

- DP = DANGEROUS PLAY
- FOR U6 & U8 A THROW-IN REDO IS ALLOWED. IF THE SECOND ATTEMPT IS BAD, THEN THE OTHER TEAM WILL GET THE THROW-IN
- MORE ADVANCED RULES ARE THROUGH MSYSA AND FIFA
- NOTIFY YOUR DIVISION MANAGER OF ANY DISCREPANCIES OF THESE RULES

