

Modified Rules Summary for 15U - 16U

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Age Group	15/16U	15/16U	15/16U
Level	Rec	Classic	Classic
Organization	East Central	East Central	State League
Format (keeper included)	11 v 11	11 v 11	11 v 11
Center Referee Fee	\$44	\$50	\$50
Two Assistant Referee Fees	\$30 each	\$34 each	\$34 each
Duration of Game (Minutes)	2x35	2x40	2x40
Offside	Enforced	Enforced	Enforced
Penalty Kicks	Yes	Yes	Yes
Throw-Ins	Lost Possession	Lost Possession	Lost Possession
Free Kicks	Standard	Standard	Standard
Opponents away from kick in yards	10	10	10
Ball Size	5	5	5
Slide Tackling (If no, penalty is:)	No -direct free kick	Yes	Yes
Score Kept	Yes	Yes	Yes
Info to refs before game (note each team is responsible for 1/2 of the referee & Assistant Referee Fees)	League roster, referee payment, player passes and the coach's pass	League roster, referee payment, player passes and the coach's pass	League roster, referee payment, player passes and the coach's pass
Who's responsible to report score & where	Coaches - East Central Website	Coaches - East Central Website	Referees in Game Officials
Where to report Red & Yellow Cards- Player cards are not collected	Referees in Game Officials	Referees in Game Officials	Referees in Game Officials
Where to report other incidents	Referees in Game	Referees in Game	Referees in Game
Field Dimensions (yards)	100-130 length & 50-100 width	100-130 length & 50-100 width	100-130 length & 50-100 width
Goal Dimensions (feet)	8 by 24	8 by 24	8 by 24
Minimum Number of Players to Play	7	7	7
Number of eligible players on Game Day Roster	18	18	18
Min. playing time for each player	50%	N/A	N/A
Roster Size (minimum)	9	9	9
Roster Size (maximum)	22	22	22
Notes:			
<p>- No player passes need to be sent in for Red Cards - teams will monitor their red cards & player sits at least the next East Central League Game. Referees will fill out the red card report form in Game Officials within 12 hours after completion of the game.</p>			
<p>- Unlimited club pass players at the Classic level games as long as the players are age appropriate.</p>			
<p>- Every game should begin with a coin toss by the Referee with visiting team calling it. Team winning the coin toss can choose to take the kick off or which goal they will attack.</p>			