



## Little LEAGUERS Soccer Rules

(as of winter 2016)

Field Dimensions	Each field is half the size of a Monarch Park Stadium mini-field.
Length of Game	Two (2) halves of 20 minutes with 10 minutes for warm-up
Length of Halftime	Five (5) minutes
Ball	Size three (3)
Number of Players on Field	Six (6) players including goalie
Out of bounds restart	All restarts resulting from the ball out of bounds will be in a kick-in only.
Fouls	All fouls will result in an indirect free kick.
The Goal Kick	All goal kicks should be taken within 2-3 yards of the goal line. Opposing players must be four (4) yards away from the ball until it is in play. It is suggested that if necessary that opponents are in their own half of the field until the ball is in play.
Substitutions	Multiple substitutions allowed. Substitutions may occur at any stoppage of play
Slide Tackling	There is no slide tackling allowed
Equipment Required	All children should wear their uniform, shinpads and socks
Miscellaneous	At this age kids should be given the freedom to play with little instruction. Rules should be explained simply and clearly with very little interruption of play.
Parent Spectator Information	Spectators are not allowed behind the goal or along the touchline between the penalty box line and goal line. Parents should not direct negative comments to any player or referee. Little LEAGUERS will impose sanctions upon any coach who fails to abide by these rules.

