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## FIFA Grassroots

9 v 9 Game

## 9 v 9. BASIC RULES

## The pitch

- 9 v 9 - Field from $70 \mathrm{~m} \times 43 \mathrm{~m}$ to $75 \mathrm{~m} \times 55 \mathrm{~m}$
- Penalty Area $32 \mathrm{~m} \times 13 \mathrm{~m}$
- Goal Area $14 \mathrm{~m} \times 4 \mathrm{~m}$
- Penalty Spot : 9m
- Goals $=6 \mathrm{ft} \times 18 \mathrm{ft}$



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## The Age Category

Age category: U-13 (12 and 13 years of age only)

Exceptions:
A team can roster two players one year older. Only one boy and one girl age 14.

- If the 14 year old player is a boy he must play as a goalkeeper only!
- If the player is a girl (age 14) she can play on the field, she does not have to play as a goalkeeper.


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## The teams

- One Team : 9 players (boys and girls) 8 field players and one Goalkeeper.
- Maximum of 5 substitutions allowed per game - no reentries. (Coach must notify the referee of the substitution and the regular FIFA procedure applies)
- Player cannot go back on the field once they have been substituted.


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## The Rules

- LAW 2 - Ball : size 5 or (\# 4 is acceptable)
- LAW 2 - PLAYERS
- 9v9 (8 field players and 1 goalkeeper)
- Game may not start or continue if there are less than 7 players on a team
- LAW 7 - Duration :
- 2 halves
- Maximum $2 \times 30$ minute halves
- 10 minute halftime maximum
- No added time
- Referees : Has full control of the game!


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- The Offside Rules
- The same as 11 -aside soccer.


## Offside



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## All other FIFA Laws of the game apply.

