

2024 ACTIVE START

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U3 (Born 2021) / U4 (Born 2020) / U5 (Born 2019)

In most cases, The Active Start program will be a child and parent's first exposure to organized soccer. The emphasis at this level is to introduce the ball to the player, provide a stress free group environment for 45 to 60 minutes of fun each week.

THESE ARE NOT MLS or EPL SOCCER GAMES – this is about fun and physical literacy!

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 Players born in 2021 - turning 3 years of age during 2024 Registration Fee includes: Jersey, shorts, socks, individual picture, participation medal and all activities All players will receive a Size 3 soccer ball - players bring the ball every week Uniforms and balls are distributed by the coach Players are assigned to a "team" of no more than 10 players with a Game Leader. PFC has staff on site to set the fields up and to assist the coaches when necessary Each team has an assigned area which is listed on the team schedule Schedule is available from the coach, PFC website, and the team app Parents are encouraged to participate with their child in the weekly sessions Activities for each session are created by the PFC' s Grassroots Program Director The activities are age related and involve touches of the ball, physical literacy and fun The activities follow the guidelines of Canada/Ontario Soccer for this age group Coaches are provided with the weekly activities via email in the week leading up to the session 	 Players born in 2020 - turning 4 years of age during 2024 Registration fee includes: Jersey, shorts, socks, individual picture, participation medal and all activities All players will receive a Size 3 soccer ball - players bring ball every week Uniforms and balls are distributed by the coach Players are assigned to a "team" of no more than 10 players with a Game Leader. PFC has staff on site to set the fields up and to assist the coaches when necessary. Each team has an assigned area which is listed on the team schedule Schedule is available from the coach, PFC website, and the team app Parents are encouraged to participate in the session with their child Activities for each session are created by the PFC's Grassroots Program Director The activities are age related and involve touches of the ball, physical literacy and fun drills The activities follow the guidelines of Canada/Ontario Soccer for this age group Coaches are provided with the weekly activities via email in the week leading up to the session. 	 Players born in 2019 - turning 5 years of age during 2024 Registration fee includes: Jersey, shorts, socks, individual picture and participation medal All players will receive a Size 3 soccer ball - players bring ball every week Uniforms and balls are distributed by the coach Two divisions - Boys Division and Girls Division. Players are assigned to a "team" of no more than 10 players with a coach. Each team has an assigned area which is listed on the team schedule Schedule is available from the coach, the PFC website, and the team app. Coaches are either parent volunteers or a high school/university student who participated in an information session PFC has staff on site to set the fields up and to assist the coaches when necessary. Activities for each session are created by the PFC's Grassroots Program Director. The activities are age related and involved touches of the ball, physical literacy and fun drills The activities follow the guidelines of Canada/Ontario Soccer for this age group Coaches are provided with the weekly activities via email in the week leading up to each session