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FALL  
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## VARIATIONS FROM FIFA'S LAWS OF THE GAME

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All TCS-FL games are governed by the most current edition of [FIFA's Laws of the Game](#) with the variations listed on the chart below. If nothing is listed in a cell in the chart below, there is no variation from FIFA's Laws of the Game.

Law	Under 10	Under 12
<b>1-The Field of Play</b>	Length - 50 to 60 yards. Width - 30 to 45 yards. Center Circle - 8 yard radius. Goal - size can be any between 6'x18' and 7'x21'. Penalty Arc - 8 yards from penalty spot.	Length - 70 to 85 yards. Width - 45 to 60 yards. Goal - size can be any between 6'x18' and full size 8'x24'
<b>2-The Ball</b>	Size 4 Ball	Size 4 Ball
<b>3-The Number of Players</b>	Roster - 14 players maximum Field - 7v7 including GK Minimum to Start or Continue - 5 3 coaches max (MUST HAVE PASSES) NYSWYSA Certified Rosters Unlimited substitution after Goals, on Goal Kick, Throw-In (your possession), Half-Time, Cards and Injury.	Roster - 18 players maximum Field - 9v9 including GK Minimum to start or continue - 7 3 coaches max (MUST HAVE PASSES) NYSWYSA Certified Rosters Unlimited substitution after Goals, on Goal Kick, Throw-In (your possession), Half-Time, Cards and Injury.
<b>4-The Players' Equipment</b>	Shin guards MANDATORY. No jewelry.	Shin guards MANDATORY. No jewelry.
<b>5-The Referee</b>	Both teams will pay referee on field before match. New referee program/certified official. Referee may briefly explain infraction to player. Referee shall check credentials.	Both teams will pay referee on field before match. Certified officials. Referee shall check credentials.
<b>6-The Assistant Referees</b>	Either club assistant referees or certified assistant referees.	Certified assistant referees. Club Assistants should be avoided if possible.
<b>7-The Duration of the Match</b>	2 halves of 25 minutes each with 5 minute haltime.	2 halves of 30 minutes each with 10 minute haltime.
<b>8-Start and Restart of Play</b>	Opposing players must be at least 8 yards from the ball on kick-offs.	.

<b>9-Ball in and Out of Play</b>	.	.
<b>10-The Method of Scoring</b>	No score or standings shall be kept.	.
<b>11-Offside</b>	.	.
<b>12-Fouls and Misconduct</b>		
<b>13-Free Kicks</b>	Opposing players must be at least 8 yards from the ball.	.
<b>14-The Penalty Kick</b>	Opposing players must be at least 8 yards from the ball.	.
<b>15-The Throw In</b>	.	.
<b>16-The Goal Kick</b>	.	.
<b>17-The Corner Kick</b>	.	.