



## U6 Soccer

- Coed Teams
- 4 vs. 4 with no goalie
- Size 3 ball
- Four eight (8) minute quarters. 4 minute halftime (if needed)
- Parents and spectators are to sit on the opposite side of the field (and not behind the goals)
- Substitutions may be made at any dead ball (ie. Throw-ins, timeouts, between quarters, following a score)
- Two coaches from each team are allowed on the field to coach and officiate (one of the coaches or parents will keep the time and communicate effectively with on-field coaches).
- Coaches will make all throw-ins. Coach throw-ins will be used in place of goal and corner kicks and as a way to maintain play without consistent stoppage and to include players not always “on the ball” when it leaves the field of play.
- All fouls will result in a free kick (all free kicks are indirect, and the opposing team must remain 4 yards from the ball until it is kicked).
- No free kicks allowed closer than 4 yards from the opponents goal.
- No off-sides are called.
- No headers or using the head during the course of play
- Goals may NOT be directly scored from a kick-off or throw-in. However, if an opposing player touches the ball off of a kick-off or throw-in and a goal is scored this is permitted.
- No defensive player may be allowed to “guard” the goal inside of the goalie radius (no Goalkeeping)
- No slide tackling

*The mission of Piedmont Soccer Academy (PSA) is to provide ethical leadership and fair standards to support the development and growth of soccer through innovative, player-centered programs that create a better, more enjoyable, and more successful player, coach, and club environment.*