

Play up Rules for Idaho

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The following is a proposal for play up rules for Idaho beginning in the 2010-11:

Competitive teams:

U10 Age pure, no play ups or play downs Exception: Players who are 1 year up in school may play in U10. IYSA must see proof school grade.

This exception ***does not*** apply to players who have been held back 1 year in school.

U11 thru U15 Teams

Team Age	Players Max play-up age	% of playups allowed on roster
U11	1 year play up	20%
U12	1 year play up	20%
U13	1 year play up	20%
U14	1 year play up	20%
U15	1 year play up	20%

Club pass players may be used up to the limit as stated by IYSA Rules, but the game day roster must comply with the 20% rule.

The following table outlines the number of play-ups allowed given various roster sizes

Roster Size	Number of Playups Allowed
8, 9	1 Play up Allowed
10,11,12,13,14	2 Play ups Allowed
15,16,17,18	3 Play ups Allowed

U16 thru U19 Teams

Team Age	Players Max play-up age	% of playups allowed on roster
U16	2 year play up	Unlimited
U17	2 year play up	Unlimited
U18	2 year play up	Unlimited
U19	2 year play up	Unlimited

Any variance to the above play up rules must be made via written request. The appropriate IYSA form must be sent to the IYSA office prior to the issuance of the official roster.

Recreation teams:

Rules differ from the Competitive in key areas. These include the following:

1. To accommodate the remote communities and clubs with a small player base in any age group more flexibility of ages is necessary.
2. All players must play 50% of every game they attend.
3. Teams are not selected through tryout process and no one can be denied permission to join a team unless there are insufficient players to form that team. Or the total number of players exceeds the limit for that age.

U10 U9 players may play up 1 year in U10 as per USYS guidelines. Requests for 1 extra year must be sent to IYSA on the appropriate form prior to the issuance of a State Roster.

U11/U12 1 year play up allowed. Requests for 1 extra year must be sent to IYSA prior to the issuance of a State Roster on the official IYSA form.

U13/U14 1 year play up allowed. Requests for 1 extra year must be sent to IYSA on the appropriate form prior to the issuance of a State Roster.

U15-19 2 years play up allowed without permission of the State. For more than 2 year play ups a written request and the appropriate IYSA must be sent to the State office prior to the issuance of the official roster.

Internal Recreation and Select Leagues:

It is recommended by IYSA that these rules are employed. IYSA sees a significant difference between players who are younger than 9th grade and those who are in high school. This relates to several issues which include those who are legal to drive and those who are not, as well as many social issues. This also relates to the make up teams at the high school age where 4 grades may be playing on a single team.

Guidelines for play ups:

1. Should a player who is a key starter on an older team
2. Should be able to compete physically with opponents
3. Should fit socially with the team