

Matrix		West Islip Soccer Club				Interleague *		
Age Group	6 and Under	7	8	9-10	11-12	13 - U15	U16 and Older	
Ball Size	3	3	3	4	4	5	5	
Length of Game	15 minute halves	20 minute halves	22 minute halves	25 minute halves	30 minute halves	35 minute halves	45 minute halves	
Half time break	5 minutes	5 minutes	5 minutes	5 minutes	5 minutes	5 minutes	5 minutes	
# of Players on Field	6 v 6 (Minimum of 5)	7 v 7 (Minimum of 5) Teams must play even sides	7 v 7 (Minimum of 5) Teams must play even sides	8 v 8 (Minimum of 6) Teams must play even sides	U11 - 9 v 9 U12 - 11 v 11 Teams must play even sides	11 v 11 Teams must play even sides	11 v 11 Teams must play even sides	
Substitutions	Any stoppage of play	Any stoppage of play	Any stoppage of play	Out of Bounds and stoppage of play due to injury ( both subject to referee's permission) Goal or half time without permission	Out of Bounds and stoppage of play due to injury ( both subject to referee's permission) Goal or half time without permission	Out of Bounds and stoppage of play due to injury ( both subject to referee's permission) Goal or half time without permission	Out of Bounds and stoppage of play due to injury ( both subject to referee's permission) Goal or half time without permission	
Goalie	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Equipment	Shin guards	Shin guards	Shin guards	Shin guards	Shin guards	Shin guards	Shin guards	
	Practice and Games	Practice and Games	Practice and Games	Practice and Games				
	No Jewelry	No Jewelry	No Jewelry	No Jewelry	No Jewelry	No Jewelry	No Jewelry	
Goalie Six Second Rule	No	No	Keeper, six seconds to release ball (one warning)	Keeper, six seconds to release ball (a warning should be given before Goalie is penalized)	Keeper, six seconds to release ball (a warning should be given before Goalie is penalized)	Keeper, six seconds to release ball (a warning should be given before Goalie is penalized)	Keeper, six seconds to release ball (a warning should be given before Goalie is penalized)	
In proper Throw In	Retaken	Retaken	Retaken	Retaken	Loss of possession	Loss of possession	Loss of possession	
Goal Kick	15 ft line	Goalie box	Goalie box	6 yard box	6 yard box	6 yard box	6 yard box	
Corner Kick	Throw in from corner	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Indirect Kicks	All kicks direct	All kicks direct	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Direct Kick	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Penalty Kick	Not applicable	Modified rule -Fouls within the penalty area taken on the edge of the box nearest the point of the infraction	Modified rule -Fouls within the penalty area taken on the edge of the box nearest the point of the infraction	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Free Kick Distance	6 yards	6 yards	6 yards	10 yards	10 yards	10 yards	10 yards	
Drop Ball	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Handball	No	No	Modified rule - blatant (Movement of the hands to protect the body and face allowed)	Modified rule -blatant (Movement of the hands to protect the body and face allowed)	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Offside	None	None	Modified rule - (blatant offenses)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Slide tackles, pushing or tripping	Not allowed - Strictly enforced	Not allowed - Strictly enforced	Not allowed - Strictly enforced	Not allowed - Strictly enforced	Not allowed (SLIDING-Player penalized with a yellow card)	Not allowed (SLIDING-Player penalized with a yellow card)	Not allowed (SLIDING-Player penalized with a yellow card)	
Injured player	Game Stopped - Player attended to and replaced if necessary	Game Stopped - Player attended to and replaced if necessary	Game Stopped - Player attended to and replaced if necessary	Game Stopped - player must be removed from field, but may be replaced	Game Stopped - player must be removed from field, but may be replaced	Game Stopped - player must be removed from field, but may be replaced	Game Stopped - player must be removed from field, but may be replaced	
Coaching area	Allowed on the field	Allowed on the field	MIDFIELD	MIDFIELD	MIDFIELD	MIDFIELD	MIDFIELD	
Referees	Coaches	Coaches	Coaches/ Ref optional	YES - dual referee system	YES - dual referee system	YES - dual referee system	YES - dual referee system	
Yellow card	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Player must leave the field of play and may return in next legal substitution	Player must leave the field of play for 5 minutes	Player must leave the field of play for 5 minutes	Player must leave the field of play for 5 minutes	
Red card	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Player must leave the field of play for remainder of the game	Player must leave the field of play for remainder of the game	Player must leave the field of play for remainder of the game	Player must leave the field of play for remainder of the game	
Player substitution when a card is issued	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	YES - yellow or red	YES - yellow or red	YES - yellow or red	YES - yellow or red	
Five goal rule differential	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	YES, Strictly Enforced	YES, Strictly Enforced	YES, Strictly Enforced	

\* For Interleague games coaches and referees should refer to the SSI short version rules for more details.