



Surrey Primary League – Player Age Eligibility 2020/21

The table below shows how old players need to be to play in each Age Group:

| Age Group | Max Age | Min Age | Type | DOB not greater than | DOB not less than | Cut-off Date |
|-----------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| U7 | 7 | 6 | 5 v 5 | 31/08/2013 | 31/08/2014 | 31/08/2020 |
| U8 | 8 | 6 | 5 v 5 | 31/08/2012 | 31/08/2013 | 31/08/2020 |
| U9 | 9 | 7 | 7 v 7 | 31/08/2011 | 31/08/2012 | 31/08/2020 |
| U10 | 10 | 8 | 7 v 7 | 31/08/2010 | 31/08/2011 | 31/08/2020 |
| U11 | 11 | 9 | 9 v 9 | 31/08/2009 | 31/08/2011 | 31/08/2020 |
| U12 | 12 | 10 | 9 v 9 | 31/08/2008 | 31/08/2010 | 31/08/2020 |
| U13 | 13 | 11 | 11 v 11 | 31/08/2007 | 31/08/2009 | 31/08/2020 |
| U14 | 14 | 12 | 11 v 11 | 31/08/2006 | 31/08/2008 | 31/08/2020 |
| U15 | 15 | 13 | 11 v 11 | 31/08/2005 | 31/08/2007 | 31/08/2020 |
| U16 | 16 | 14 | 11 v 11 | 31/08/2004 | 31/08/2006 | 31/08/2020 |
| U17 | 17 | 15 | 11 v 11 | 31/08/2002 | 31/08/2005 | 31/08/2020 |
| U18 | 18 | 15 | 11 v 11 | 31/08/2002 | 31/08/2004 | 31/08/2020 |

Club Secretaries and Team Managers playing in season 2020/21 please note the clarification of Age Banding Rules below:

- To play affiliated football, the player must be six years old on or before 31st August (FA Rule 18 (C)).
- Notwithstanding the above, a child is permitted to play up in the age group above his or her chronological age group, irrespective of any changes of format or competition structure, save that a child who attains the age of 6 after 31 August is permitted to play only in the Under 7 age group, and may not play in the Under 8 age group, for that Playing Season (FA Rule 18 (C)).
- To play Under 18's football from this season 2020/21, the player must be 15 years old on or before 31st August (FA Rule 18).
- All players in this Competition must play within their correct age to comply with FA Rule 18.
- The players' registration for the ensuing season shall only be accepted by the Registration system on the qualification dates within the players' age band.