



8U DIVISION: All Skill Levels, 6-7 Years Old

Birth years 2018 - 2019

Program Overview

The 8U division is a learning division and is designed to introduce young players to the game of soccer. The children will play short-sided games on small fields with simplified laws. Short-sided games help ensure that children have fun and at the same time, maximize their learning opportunities.

- **Field Size:** The field size for 8U games is 25-35 yards long, 15-25 yards wide (max)
 - **Goals:** Maximum six feet high and six yards wide.
 - **Ball Size:** 3
 - **Players on Field:** 6 vs. 6 with a minimum of 4 players/team on the field (no goalkeepers). Eight maximum on roster.
 - **Practice Session:** 60 Minutes Max / Twice a Week (No more than twice a week)
 - **Game Length:** 40 Minutes (20 Minute Halves / Time must include breaks between quarters and halftime)
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Session Frequency: One session per week, Saturday mornings

Location: 1700 N. Ridge Rd. Wichita, KS 67212

What to Bring: Size 3 Soccer Ball (labeled with player's name), Water Bottle, Shin Guards, Cleats

Volunteer Positions Available- Contact coachadmin@ayso208.org if interested:

- Head Coach
- Assistant Coach
- Team Manager