

Grasscutter

9 Year Olds

Player Requirements

- Must have completed & submitted Concussion & Head Injury Form
- Must meet age requirements (based on age on August 1, 2014)
- Agree & abide by Knox County Sports Code of Conduct

Coaches (Head, Assistant) Requirements

- Must have successfully passed national background screening
- Must have completed & submitted Concussion & Head Injury Form
- Agree & abide by Knox County Sports Code of Conduct
- 1 Head Coach & 4 Assistants allowed to be on field during game. A 5th Assistant is allowed to track plays for each player.

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| Ball | R5-PW (Wilson or Rawlings only) |
| Weight | 110 pound maximum for backs/ends. Teams weigh-in before each game. |
| Green Strippers | Must wear the green stripe on helmet until meet weight Can not advance the ball (Offense) Can be upright (does not have to be in 3-point stance) (Defense) Players can not play MLB/OLB or DB...only D-Line (Defense) Must be in 3 or 4 point stance (Kickoff) Can not go more than 10 yards downfield (Kickoff Return) Must be within 10 yards of the ball at kickoff |
| Substitutions | Coaches may sub freely. All players must play 4 plays per game. |
| Game Timing | 8 Minute Quarters with running clock until final 2 minutes of 2 nd & 4 th Quarters where HS timing rules are used. Clock stops on timeouts, scores, and injuries. No overtime in regular season |
| Field Length | 80 Yards |
| Penalties | 4 yards, 8 yards |
| Punts | Ball moved 20 yards downfield, but not inside 10 yard line. |
| Kicking | No kicking. Ball placed on 35 yard line. |
| PAT | 2 points for rush/pass |
| Slaughter Rule | If a team trails 35-0 in 4 th Quarter and gains possession of ball, the game is called unless the trailing team coach chooses to continue & notifies the referee at the time the rule is in effect or when the clock continues to run |