

U6 & U7 Initiation Program Game Day Overview

Warm Up (15 minutes)

Please select a warm up activity that keeps all players involved and moving with a soccer ball. For example, ball mastery, 4 line follow your pass, follow the leader, musical balls etc.

Game Overview (40 minutes)

The Coquitlam Metro-Ford Staff Coach will blow the whistle to signal game time.

Please quickly split your team into two mini-teams. For example, SPAIN Team 1 and SPAIN Team 2 (please create two equally skilled teams). The team you are playing will also do the same. For example, GREECE Team 1 and GREECE Team 2). On one field, SPAIN Team 1 will play GREECE Team 1 and on the other field, SPAIN Team 2 will play GREECE Team 2.

Teams will play a 15-18 minute game and we will have a short half time water break as signaled by the Coquitlam Metro-Ford Staff Coach. At the half-time break, teams can switch so that SPAIN Team 1 will play GREECE Team 2 and SPAIN Team 2 will play GREECE Team 1.

Important Notes

- On Game Days, it is especially important that both the Head Coach and Assistant Coach (or parents willing to help out) are in attendance. Please have one coach help with game organization and one parent help with the subbing on each of the mini-teams.
- There will be several CMF Staff Coaches at the fields to supervise and assist with game management
- Teams should play a 4v4 game with subs (or 3v3 depending on numbers)
- If a team is short players, please mix teams to create an even number of players per team
- · No throw-ins and no corner kicks
- Coaches, please keep extra balls on hand to keep the game moving and focus on quick restarts of play with players organized in their shape.
- On kick-ins, defending team should retreat to the half way line to allow for success on the first pass
- Subs should be rotated every 3-4 minutes
- · At the end of each session, please dismiss players from your field to their parents
- On colder days, encourage players to dress in layers as we will have a session rain or shine
- The only times, Game Days will be cancelled will be due to extreme weather conditions. In the event, that a
 Game Day is cancelled, all parents will be emailed directly the CMFSC Initiation Head Coach or CMFSC
 Member Services.



U7 Boys Winter 2023 Game Schedule - Town Centre North Field



Game Days will start Saturday, January 14. For the first Game Day, teams will play an intersquad game (game with your own team) on one of the mini-fields as noted below. For example, on January 14: Liverpool play on Field A, Ajax play on Field B, Lyon play on Field C, Monza on Field D, Valencia on Field E, Man City on Field F, Burnley on Field G, Paris on Field H etc.

January 14 & 21	January 28	February 4	February 11	February 18
Field: A&B	Field: A&B	Field: A&B	Field: A&B	Family Day
Liverpool vs. Ajax	Roma vs Juventus	Paris vs. Spurs	Burnley vs. Shakhtar	Weekend - no
Field: C&D	Field: C&D	Field: C&D	Field: C&D	sessions
Lyon vs. Monza	Paris vs. Monza	Rangers vs. Monza	Monza vs. Lyon	
Field: E&F	Field: E&F	Field: E&F	Field: E&F	
Valencia vs. Man City	Liverpool vs	Shakhtar vs. Roma	Roma vs. Man City	
Field: G&H	Rangers	Field: G&H	Field: G&H	
Burnley vs. Paris	Field: G&H	Ajax vs. Cardiff City	Rangers vs. Pairs	
Field: I&J	Spurs vs. Shakhtar	Field: I&J	Field: I&J	
Cardiff City vs.	Field: I&J	Dynamo vs. Burnley	Ajax vs. Everton	
Rangers	Ajax vs. Burnly	Field: K&L	Field: K&L	
Field: K&L	Field: K&L	Everton vs. Valencia	Juventus vs. Dynamo	
Dynamo vs. Roma	Cardiff City vs.	Field: M&N	Field: M&N	
Field: M&N	Valencia	Juventus vs. Lyon	Liverpool vs. Cardiff City	
Everton vs. Shakhtar	Field: M&N	Field: O&P	Field: O&P	
Field: O&P	Dynamo vs. Lyon	Liverpool vs. Man City	Valencia vs. Spurs	
Juventus vs. Spurs	Field: O&P		·	
·	Everton vs. Man			
	City			
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February 25	March 4 & 5
Field: A&B	Domenic Mobilio
Juventus vs. Monza	Friendship Cup
Field: C&D	Jamboree -
Shakhtar vs. Dynamo	schedule to be
Field: E&F	released in mid
Roma vs. Cardiff City	February
Field: G&H	
Burnley vs. Rangers	
Field: I&J	
Paris vs. Valencia	
Field: K&L	
Man City vs. Lyon	
Field: M&N	
Ajax vs. Liverpool	
Field: O&P	
Everton vs. Spurs	