



JUNIOR  
PREMIER LEAGUE

# **JPL Key Rules For Season 2020 - 2021**



## Key League Rules:

- + Game Time. Every player **MUST** play a minimum of 50% in every JPL match they are selected for (66% for Under 10 and below)
- + At every match both teams **MUST** have a Teamsheet (can be printed or shown on a mobile device) and validation certificates (can be shown on mobile device or printed in colour) for all players
- + The home team must provide at least 2 match standard footballs that bear the FIFA Approved Match Ball mark
- + Every team **MUST** have a First aid kit in their technical area
- + On matchday the Respect handshake **MUST** be observed prior to kick off
- + Managers/Coaches and Players to remain in technical areas (unless subs are warming up) Parents/spectators to be opposite side of pitch from technical areas (unless unavoidable) and never stood behind/to the side of the goal
- + Respect barrier / additional line or cones to be in place on the spectators' side
- + Please make sure everyone observes the JPL Code of Conduct
- + Fixtures will be 'locked' by Monday 5pm. Consent to alter details of a fixture e.g. KO time/venue etc (not the fixture) will not be given if after this time.
- + Timings: Home teams must confirm the game by 9pm, 5 days before the game (Monday for Saturday fixture) this will update the website with venue and kick off time details
- + Away team confirm game by 9pm, 4 days before the game (Tuesday for Saturday fixture) this will update the website as match confirmed.
- + Any team who fails to fulfil a fixture without prior consent from the league will forfeit the fixture and incur the appropriate fine, with the points being awarded to the opposing team.
- + Match data to be completed by midnight on the day of the fixture (both teams) via the JPL Manager System, this will update the website with key information on results, league placings/cup progress, the gold/silver/bronze awards, and match reports
- + A match day squad can only be the amount of players required (5/7/9 or 11) + a maximum of 5 substitutes
- + In order for a player to transfer from one club to another, an email must be sent to [martin.brock@junior-premier.co.uk](mailto:martin.brock@junior-premier.co.uk) detailing the reason for the transfer along with details of the team transferring from and to - please note all fees and kit issues must be satisfied before a transfer can be made
- + All matches for Under 11s and above are played over 4 periods of 20 minutes except knock out cup matches which are played over 2 age appropriate length periods.
- + All matches for Under 10s and below are played over 3 periods of 17 minutes.