

About Fall 2020 -- Rivertowns AYSO Core (Recreational) Program

	In "normal" times	In Fall 2020
Who coaches players in PreK and K?	NYCFC coaches	NYCFC coaches
How many times do PreK and K players meet each weekend?	1X – Practice on Saturdays	1X – Practice on a Saturday OR a Sunday
How many PreK and K players on a field during a practice session?	60-70 players (1 NYCFC coach per 10 players who are divided each week into smaller groups as needed)	24 players * (1 NYCFC coach per 6 players who meet in the same field quadrant / group each week)
Volunteers needed for PreK and K sessions?	Parents help the NYCFC coaches as needed	There needs to be a Parent Safety Manager for each 6-player group.
Who coaches players in 1st grade and older?	Players are on assigned teams, run by volunteer parent coaches	Players are in assigned groups, run by NYCFC coaches
How many times do players 1st grade and older meet each weekend?	2X --Practice on Saturdays Game on Sundays	1X – Practice on a Saturday OR a Sunday
How many 1st grade and older players on a field during a practice session?	2-6 teams on a field (# players depends on the age group and the number of teams at the timeslot)	32 players * (1 NYCFC coach per 8 players who meet in the same field quadrant / group each week)
Volunteers needed for 1st grade and older sessions?	Volunteer parent coaches, assistant coaches, and referees	There needs to be a Parent Safety Manager for each 8-player group
Registration fee covers	Both Fall and Spring	Fall only
Balls	Players bring their own balls	NYCFC Coaches bring balls for use during the session, then sanitize them between sessions
Uniform	Required	Required
Shin guards	Required	Required
Cleats	Recommended	Recommended
Covid-19 safety protocols	None	Covid-19 safety protocols for Rivertowns AYSO are being developed and will be communicated before soccer starts. A few of the main ones include: > Attendees do Covid-19 health survey before each session > Attendance taken at sessions > Social distancing on sidelines > Masks on sidelines and when arriving & leaving

* Using Dobbs Ferry Waterfront field as an example.