

## CFYFL 2021 8U Division Rules for 8v8 & 11v11 (as of 7/25/2021)

**8u Bobble Head Division 8v8:** \* There is no score kept and there are “NO PLAYOFFS” for 8u (BH) division. There is an “END OF SEASON TOURNAMENT” with seating games on the last week of regular season (score will be kept). The regular season is 8 on 8 format with (3) offensive lineman. **Offence may use any formation “EXCEPT double TE) and must have 5 on LOS at all times.** \*See 8v8 Rules below:

**\*Teams must declare prior to season if participating as 8v8 or 11v11. There is no tournament advancement for 8v8 teams after End of Season Tournament Championship Game**

If either team has less than 8 but more than 6 the teams can agree to play with comparable numbers. The Offensive still needs the required 3-down linemen. The Defensive line is limited to 3 total down lineman only (must be in 3-pt stance) and can rush after the snap. There is no lining up over the center “Halo Rule”. LB must be 3-yards off line of scrimmage and DB must be 2-yards off line of scrimmage. The QB can only run once every (4) four plays. There is “**NO BLITZING**” at any time. Although there are no playoffs for 8u division there may be tournament opportunities to invite only if teams meet minimum requirements of 16 active players on the roster.

**The 8u (BH) division will be limited to 100 yards long by 40 yards wide.** The will consist of (2) 20 minute halves and can end in a tie with no overtime period. **NO SCORE WILL BE KEPT.** Each player must play all position during the game **(when possible)** except for players deemed LE’s (X-men) can only play a lineman position.

**\*If team shows up at the field with 8 players by game time, game can be played seven (7) on seven (7) with one substitute. \*If 6 players than 6v6**

- No Score Kept / End of Season Tournament
- All MPR Rules Apply (8-plays for all players)
- Field 100 x 40 / No kick-off (Start on 25-yard line) / NO Punt (20 yard walk-off)
- Can use any Offensive formation \*(Except No double TE)
- The QB can only run once every (4) four plays.
- LE “CANNOT” run ball or be eligible position at anytime
- LE’s can only play O-Line & D-Line (NO RB, WR, TE, LE, DE)
- LE’s must line up inside tackle box
- Must have 5 on (LOS) line of scrimmage (Offence CAN put a player in motion)
- Trick player are “NOT” permitted
- **DEFENCE:** Can only have 3 Down linemen / No Blitzing / LB must be 3yrs back
- Only 4-man front permitted on short yardage (3-yards or less)
- There is “**NO BLITZING**” at any time.
- LB’s Must Line Up 3-Yard Back of LOS

If either team has less than 8 but more than 6 the teams can agree to play with comparable numbers. The Offensive guards must be within 2 yards of the center on either side. The Defensive line is limited to 3 total down lineman only (must be in 3-pt stance) and can rush after the snap. There is no lining up over the center “Halo Rule”. LB must be 4-yards off line of scrimmage and DB must be 5-yards off line of scrimmage. The QB can only run once every (4) four plays. There is “**NO BLITZING**” at any time. Although there are no playoffs for 8u division there

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**8u (BH) DIVISION 11v11:** \* There is no score kept and there are “NO PLAYOFFS” for 8u (BH) division. There is an “END OF SEASON TOURNAMENT” with seating games on the last week of regular season (score will be kept). The regular season is 11v11 format with (5) offensive lineman. **Offence may use any formation and must have 7 on LOS at all times.** \*See 11v11 Rules below:

11v11 Teams have tournament opportunities by invite only if teams meet minimum requirements of 16 active players on the roster. \*Teams must declare prior to season if participating as 8v8 or 11v11. 8U (11-man team) that win End of Season Tournament Championship game are required to advance Regional tournament with AYF rules apply

- No Score Kept / End of Season Tournament
- All MPR Rules Apply (8-plays for all players)
- \*Regular size standard / No kick-off (Start on 25-yard line) NO Punt (20 yard walk-off)
- Can use any Offensive formation \*(Including double TE)
- The QB can only run once every (4) four plays.
- LE “CANNOT” run ball or be eligible position at anytime
- LE’s can only play O-Line & D-Line (CANNOT PLAY: QB, RB, WR, TE, LE, DE)
- LE’s must line up inside tackle box
- Must have 7 on (LOS) line of scrimmage (Offence CAN put a player in motion)
- Trick player are “NOT” permitted
- **DEFENCE:** Can only have 5 Down linemen MAX / No Blitzing / LB must be 3yrs back
- Only 6-man front permitted on short yardage (3-yards or less)
- There is “NO BLITZING” at any time.
- LB’s must Line Up 3-Yard Back of LOS

**The 8u (BH) 11v11 division will play of standar regulation size field.** The will consist of (2) 20 minute halves and can end in a tie with no overtime period. **NO SCORE WILL BE KEPT.** Each player must play all position during the game **(when possible)** except for players deemed LE’s (X-men) can only play a lineman position.

Although there are no playoffs for 8u division there may be tournament opportunities by invite only if teams meet minimum requirements of 16 active players on the roster. After Season AYF Tournament rules apply (NOT CFYFL Division Rules)

**\*If team shows up at the field with 14 or less can opt to play 8v8. All teams have option to play 8v8 any given week. All CFYFL 8U division rules apply as per rule book**

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**\*\*A COPY OF THESE RULES MUST BE IN ALL 8U TEAM BOOKS**