



## **GEORGIA SOCCER YOUTH** **AGE GROUPS FOR 2017 – 2018 SEASONAL YEAR**

1. Member affiliates must register all their players between the ages of 3 and 19 with Georgia Soccer. Player classification for the soccer year shall be determined by the player's age as of January 1.
2. Recreational Age Groups are as follows (NOTE: single-year age groups can be used if it better serves your membership): State level recreational competition is configured on two-year age groups--i.e. 4U, 6U, 8U, 10U, etc.

<b><u>Age Group</u></b>	<b><u>Birth Year</u></b>
<b>4 and Under</b>	<b>2014 (From 1-1-14 to 12-31-14)</b>
<b>5 and Under</b>	<b>2013 (From 1-1-13 to 12-31-13)</b>
<b>6 and Under</b>	<b>2012 (From 1-1-12 to 12-31-12)</b>
<b>7 and Under</b>	<b>2011 (From 1-1-11 to 12-31-11)</b>
<b>8 and Under</b>	<b>2010 (From 1-1-10 to 12-31-10)</b>
<b>9 and Under</b>	<b>2009 (From 1-1-09 to 12-31-09)</b>
<b>10 and Under</b>	<b>2008 (From 1-1-08 to 12-31-08)</b>
<b>11 and Under</b>	<b>2007 (From 1-1-07 to 12-31-07)</b>
<b>12 and Under</b>	<b>2006 (From 1-1-06 to 12-31-06)</b>
<b>13 and Under</b>	<b>2005 (From 1-1-05 to 12-31-05)</b>
<b>14 and Under</b>	<b>2004 (From 1-1-04 to 12-31-04)</b>
<b>15 and Under</b>	<b>2003 (From 1-1-03 to 12-31-03)</b>
<b>16 and Under</b>	<b>2002 (From 1-1-02 to 12-31-02)</b>
<b>17 and Under</b>	<b>2001 (From 1-1-01 to 12-31-01)</b>
<b>18 and Under</b>	<b>2000 (From 1-1-00 to 12-31-00)</b>
<b>19 and Under</b>	<b>1999 (From 1-1-99 to 12-31-99)</b>

3. Single-Year Age Groups for Classic, Athena, Academy programs are as follows:  
**Please see Rule 180.4c in regards to 8 year olds being rostered to Select Program teams.**

<b><u>Age Group</u></b>	<b><u>Birth Year</u></b>
<b>9 and Under</b>	<b>2009 (From 1-1-09 to 12-31-09)</b>
<b>10 and Under</b>	<b>2008 (From 1-1-08 to 12-31-08)</b>
<b>11 and Under</b>	<b>2007 (From 1-1-07 to 12-31-07)</b>
<b>12 and Under</b>	<b>2006 (From 1-1-06 to 12-31-06)</b>
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<b>19 and Under</b>	<b>1999 (From 1-1-99 to 12-31-99)</b>

4. Proof of age shall consist of a birth certificate, a Uniformed Services Identification and Privilege Card (DD Form 1173), a birth registration issued by an appropriate government agency, or board of health records, a passport, an alien registration card issued by the United States Government, a certificate issued by the Immigration and Naturalization Service attesting to age, a current driver's license, an unexpired federal, state, or local government identification card or a certification of a United States citizen born abroad issued by the appropriate government agency. Hospital, baptismal, or religious certificates will not be accepted. **See Rule 170.2c for details.**
5. Any team playing a player who is over-age shall forfeit the game(s) in which that player takes part.
6. A player may play in his/her proper age group, or in an older age group. A player may NOT play in a younger age group.
7. For regular-season play, once rostered to a team, a player is considered to be the age of that team.