

BASIC FOOSBALL RULES



1. RULE

Toss a coin and choose heads or tail. The winner can choose the ball or the side.

2. RULE

Before serving the ball the player must ask the opponent if he is ready. The ball must touch two figurines and after 1 second, the game can begin.

3. RULE

The team who scored the last goal has the serve.

4. RULE

The ball is in play when it is moving across the field. If the ball hits the top of the table wall and enters the field, the game continues.

5. RULE

If the ball is airborne it is still considered as the ball in the game. The moment the ball touches a surface outside of the foosball table, the ball is considered dead ball.

6. RULE

Do not touch the flying ball until it touches a surface.

7. RULE

Dead ball is considered when the ball stops moving and it is out of reach for both teams.

8. RULE

Dead ball can be picked up and served by the same team who served before.

9. RULE

If the ball spins out of the reach it is not considered as a dead ball. You have to wait to see if it will stop or it will move to the player's reach.

10. RULE

If the ball enters the goal and exits, it is considered as the goal. Every goal made by a legal move is considered as the goal.

11. RULE

You can score with every player in the field. If you score your own goal, the point goes to the other team.

12. RULE

The only time the score won't count is the time a player makes an illegal move to score.

13. RULE

No spinning. If you spin the rod for more than 360° you are making an illegal move. The opposite team then decides to continue or to serve the ball.

14. RULE

Every movement of the table which can disturb the opponent is considered illegal.

15. RULE

The ball can stay in one's possession for 10 seconds on the 5-man rod and 15 seconds on other rods.

16. RULE

Cursing and going wild is not allowed. Keep it civilized.

17. RULE

The team which scores 5 goals first is the winner.

18. RULE

Headphones and other listening devices aren't allowed during the game.

19. RULE

Do not break any part of the table, including rods and players.

20. RULE

Clean the entire table when you are finished.

