

Morinville Minor Soccer Club

TITLE: Player Movement

POLICY # 11

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1	July 14, 2020	None

1.0 Purpose

How Morinville Minor Soccer Club (MMSC) handles requests for a player to move up one age level or to move down one age level. This policy applies when a player desires to move up or down an age group.

2.0 Terms

Age Group – Divisions based on the age groups specified by the Alberta Soccer Association and Canada Soccer.

Move-up – Moving a player from their birth registered age level to the next highest age level above.

Move-down – Moving a player from their birth registered age level to the next lowest age level below.

3.0 Policy

- **3.1** Move-up requests will be considered only after all players of the proper age have been registered.
- **3.2** All requests must be on a Player Movement Request form which can be accessed from the MMSC website and must be received by the MMSC President prior to the close of registration.
- **3.3** If a player is requesting a move-down, a physician's letter supporting the downward movement request must accompany the Player Movement Request form.

- **3.4** Players must play in their appropriate age group unless our Executive Board determines exceptional circumstances that may allow the player to compete at a higher or lower age level.
- **3.5** Players requesting to move must attend the assessments, if applicable, for both their current age level and the age level they are requesting.
- **3.6** The applicant will be notified by email of the outcome of the request.
- **3.7** Morinville Minor Soccer Club is under no obligation to approve a move-up or move-down request, or to elaborate on their decision.