

Law Changes 2019/2020

- Free subs must leave by the nearest point to touchline - Caution USB if they are purposefully delaying
- Coach may be shown yellow/red card (NOT Spectators)
- Coin toss winner chooses direction or ball
- Drop ball goes to team last touching ball, except in penalty area
 - To Keeper if in penalty area
 - Other players must be 4.5 yards away
 - Drop ball is “Indirect” – goal may not be scored until it touches a second player
- Ball touches referee, results in: goal, promising attack or possession change
 - Drop ball to team last touched before referee
- A goal cannot be scored by an attacker off the hand/arm – deliberate or otherwise
 - Does not apply to an own goal
- Pass back to keeper – keeper flubs attempt to kick – may now use hands
- Delay showing misconduct card if quick Free Kick creates goal scoring opportunity
- IFK – Referee may lower arm when ball is clearly not going into goal
- Goal kick or free kick in Penalty Area is in play when kicked and moves
 - Opponents outside PA and 10 yds from ball
- No attacking players in wall – results in IFK
 - Wall is 3 or more defenders, attackers must be 1 yd away
- Keeper 1 foot on goal line for PK (used to be both feet)
- <http://theifab.com/presentation-of-ifab-log-2019-20/>