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**First Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Red
- Shorts: White
- Socks: Red
- GK Shirts: Yellow
- GK Shorts: Yellow
- GK Socks: Yellow

**Second Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Black
- Shorts: Black
- Socks: Black
- GK Shirts: Grey
- GK Shorts: Grey
- GK Socks: Grey

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Club Information

**Blackburn Rovers**
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**First Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Royal Blue and White Halves
- Shorts: White
- Socks: Royal Blue
- GK Shirts: Black
- GK Shorts: Black
- GK Socks: Black

**Second Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Navy
- Shorts: Navy
- Socks: Navy
- GK Shirts: Grey
- GK Shorts: Grey
- GK Socks: Grey

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Club Information

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**First Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Claret with Sky Blue Sleeves
- Shorts: White
- Socks: Sky Blue
- GK Shirts: Sky Blue
- GK Shorts: Claret
- GK Socks: Claret

**Second Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Charcoal
- Shorts: Charcoal
- Socks: Charcoal
- GK Shirts: Orange
- GK Shorts: Orange
- GK Socks: Orange

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Club Information

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**First Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Blue and White
- Shorts: White
- Socks: White
- GK Shirts: Orange
- GK Shorts: Orange
- GK Socks: Orange

**Second Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Bright Crimson
- Shorts: Bright Crimson
- Socks: Bright Crimson
- GK Shirts: Yellow
- GK Shorts: Yellow
- GK Socks: Yellow
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First Choice Kit Colours
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Shorts: Blue
GK Shirts: Orange
GK Shorts: Orange
GK Socks: Orange

Second Choice Kit Colours
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Shorts: White
GK Shirts: Black
GK Shorts: Black
GK Socks: Black

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Shorts: White
GK Shirts: Green
GK Shorts: Green
GK Socks: Green

Second Choice Kit Colours
Shirts: White, Blue and Red
Shorts: White
GK Shirts: Pink
GK Shorts: Pink
GK Socks: Pink

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Shirts: White
Shorts: Black
GK Shirts: Deep Teal
GK Shorts: Deep Teal
GK Socks: Deep Teal

Second Choice Kit Colours
Shirts: Purple Potion
Shorts: White
GK Shirts: Buttercup Yellow
GK Shorts: Buttercup Yellow
GK Socks: Buttercup Yellow

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Shorts: White
GK Shirts: Green
GK Shorts: Green
GK Socks: Green

Second Choice Kit Colours
Shirts: Pink
Shorts: Navy
GK Shirts: Black
GK Shorts: Black
GK Socks: Black
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Socks: White

Second Choice Kit Colours
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Shorts: White
Socks: White

Fulham

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Socks: White

Second Choice Kit Colours
Shirts: White
Shorts: White
Socks: White

Leicester City

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First Choice Kit Colours
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Socks: Blue

Second Choice Kit Colours
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Shorts: Black and Mint
Socks: Black and Mint

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First Choice Kit Colours
Shirts: Red
Shorts: Red
Socks: Red

Second Choice Kit Colours
Shirts: White and Black
Shorts: White
Socks: White

GK Shirts: Purple
GK Shorts: Purple
GK Socks: Purple
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**First Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Sky Blue
- Shorts: White
- Socks: Sky Blue
- GK Shirts: Purple
- GK Shorts: Purple
- GK Socks: Purple

**Second Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Red and Black
- Shorts: Black
- Socks: Black
- GK Shirts: Orange
- GK Shorts: Orange
- GK Socks: Orange

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**First Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Navy and Cyan
- Shorts: Navy
- Socks: Navy
- GK Shirts: Orange
- GK Shorts: Orange
- GK Socks: Black

**Second Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Deep Blue
- Shorts: Deep Blue
- Socks: Deep Blue
- GK Shirts: Orange
- GK Shorts: Orange
- GK Socks: Orange

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**First Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Red with White Band
- Shorts: Black
- Socks: Black
- GK Shirts: Grey
- GK Shorts: Grey
- GK Socks: Grey

**Second Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Navy and Cyan
- Shorts: Navy
- Socks: Navy
- GK Shirts: Orange
- GK Shorts: Orange
- GK Socks: Orange

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**First Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Black and White Stripes
- Shorts: Black
- Socks: Black
- GK Shirts: Aqua Blue
- GK Shorts: Aqua Blue
- GK Socks: Aqua Blue

**Second Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Deep Blue
- Shorts: Deep Blue
- Socks: Deep Blue
- GK Shirts: Orange
- GK Shorts: Orange
- GK Socks: Orange
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**Lead Coach:**
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**First Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Yellow
- Shorts: Green
- Socks: Yellow
- GK Shirts: Coral
- GK Shorts: Coral
- GK Socks: Coral

**Second Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Red
- Shorts: Red
- Socks: Red
- GK Shirts: Yellow
- GK Shorts: Yellow
- GK Socks: Yellow

Southampton

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**First Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: White and Red
- Shorts: Black
- Socks: White
- GK Shirts: Black
- GK Shorts: Black
- GK Socks: Black

**Second Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Turquoise
- Shorts: Dark Teal
- Socks: Turquoise
- GK Shirts: Purple
- GK Shorts: Purple
- GK Socks: Purple

Stoke City

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**First Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: Red and White
- Shorts: Black
- Socks: White with Black Trim
- GK Shirts: Neon Pink
- GK Shorts: Neon Pink
- GK Socks: Neon Pink

**Second Choice Kit Colours**
- Shirts: White
- Shorts: Black
- Socks: Black with Red Trim
- GK Shirts: Turquoise
- GK Shorts: Turquoise
- GK Socks: Turquoise
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First Choice Kit Colours
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Shorts: Black
Socks: Red
GK Shirts: Green
GK Shorts: Green
GK Socks: Green

Second Choice Kit Colours
Shirts: Light Blue
Shorts: Light Blue
Socks: White
GK Shirts: Yellow
GK Shorts: Yellow
GK Socks: Yellow

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First Choice Kit Colours
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Shorts: Black
Socks: Gold
GK Shirts: Cool Blue
GK Shorts: Cool Blue
GK Socks: Cool Blue

Second Choice Kit Colours
Shirts: Harbour Green
Shorts: Harbour Green
Socks: Harbour Green
GK Shirts: Sheer Lilac
GK Shorts: Sheer Lilac
GK Socks: Sheer Lilac

U18 Premier League Club Information

U18 Premier League Format

North
- Blackburn Rovers
- Derby County
- Everton
- Leeds United
- Liverpool
- Manchester City
- Manchester United
- Middlesbrough
- Newcastle United
- Nottingham Forest
- Stoke City
- Sunderland

South
- Arsenal
- Aston Villa
- Brighton & Hove Albion
- Chelsea
- Crystal Palace
- Fulham
- Leicester City
- Norwich City
- Southampton
- Tottenham Hotspur
- West Bromwich Albion
- West Ham United

- Clubs will play matches within their regional group on home and away basis.
- Each Club in the North league will play a total of 24 matches.
- Each Club in the South league will play a total of 22 matches.
- The winners of each regional group shall compete in a National Final, the winner of which shall be deemed the U18 Premier League National Champions.
U18 Premier League Rules
Definitions

1. In these rules terms defined in Premier League Rule A.1 and Rule 1 of the Youth Development Rules shall have the meanings set out in those Rules save where a different definition is specifically adopted in these rules.

2. In addition, in these rules the following terms shall have the following meanings:

2.1. **“Category 1 Academy”** means an Academy which has been designated as Category 1 by the Professional Game Board;

2.2. **“Home Club”** means the Member Club at whose venue a Match is or was or should be or should have been played or, where the Member Clubs participating in that Match share a venue, the Member Club whose name first appears in respect of that Match on the fixture list;

2.3. **“Laws of the Game”** means the laws governing the playing of association football as authorised from time to time by the International Football Association Board;

2.4. **“Match”** means a match played in the League, including the final played in accordance with rule 30;

2.5. **“Member Club”** means a club in membership of the League;

2.6. **“MOAS”** means the ‘Match Officials Administration System’, an online system operated by The Football Association, through which information relating to Matches and the performance of Match Officials can be submitted electronically;

2.7. **“Premier League”** means The Football Association Premier League Limited;

2.8. **“Premier League Rules”** means the rules for the time being of the Premier League;

2.9. **“Season”** means the period commencing on the date of the first Match in the League and ending on the date of the last such Match;

2.10. **“U18 Premier League”** means the competition organised by the Premier League and designated as such and “League” shall have the same meaning;

2.11. **“Under 18”** and **“Under 19”** have the meaning in Youth Development Rule 2; and

2.12. **“Visiting Club”** means the Member Club playing, which has played, which should play or which should have played a Match at the venue of a Home Club or, where the Member Clubs participating in the Match share a ground, the Member Club whose name last appears in respect of that Match on the fixture list.

General Provisions

3. Unless the context otherwise requires:

3.1. words importing the singular shall include the plural and vice-versa; and

3.2. words importing any particular gender shall include all genders.
4. The headings in these rules are for convenience only and shall not affect their interpretation.

5. Premier League Rule B.11 shall apply to any discretion, right or power expressed in these rules to be exercisable by the Board.

6. Subject to rule 7, no alteration shall be made to these rules unless it has first been submitted to and approved by clubs in membership of the Premier League in accordance with the provisions of the Articles.

7. Rule 6 shall not apply to any matter which is stated in these rules to be a matter which shall be determined by Member Clubs.

8. In the event of any conflict between the provisions of these rules and the provisions of the Premier League Rules, the provisions of the Premier League Rules shall prevail.

9. The League shall be governed, managed and organised by the Premier League, acting by and through the Board, subject to the provisions of the Articles, the Premier League Rules, and these rules.

10. Where a Member Club is required to submit a form to the Board or to the Premier League pursuant to these rules, the Board may instead require that the information to be provided in the form is submitted via such manner as it may determine.

### Participation in and Structure of the League

11. Membership of the League shall be mandatory for those Premier League clubs and Football League clubs who hold licences to operate Category 1 Academies for that Season.

12. Membership of the League shall cease if:
   12.1. a Member Club is expelled from the Premier League or the Football League (as appropriate) or from the League;
   12.2. a Member Club ceases to hold a licence to operate a Category 1 Academy.

13. The League shall be called the ‘U18 Premier League’ to which name may be added the name of any title sponsor.

14. There shall be no annual subscription.

15. The League shall be split into two regional leagues.

16. Each Member Club shall play each other Member Club in its regional league twice (once home and once away).

17. The winner of each regional league shall receive 25 commemorative medals to distribute to such of their players and Officials as they think fit.
28. If at the conclusion of all Matches any two or more Member Clubs occupy the same position in a table, the Board shall determine the means, if any, by which they shall be separated.

29. The results of Matches and each table shall be published and distributed to the media by the Board as soon as practicable after each Saturday during the Season upon which Matches are played.

30. On completion of the regional league format, the teams finishing in first position in each regional league will compete in a final, with the winner of that final being deemed to be the winner of the U18 Premier League.

31. In all matters relating to any interruption to or potential curtailment of the League, the provisions of Premier League Rules C.18 to C.30 shall apply, with references to ‘Club’ and the ‘Competition’ in those rules interpreted as reference to Clubs participating in the League, as applicable.

32. The winner of the League shall receive a trophy, which it shall return to the Board in good order and condition not later than three weeks before the final Matches of the following Season, and the winner shall receive 25 commemorative medals to be presented to such of their players and Officials as they think fit. Additional medals may be presented with the consent of the Board.

Fixtures

33. The dates and kick-off times on which Matches shall be played shall be fixed and published by the Board as soon as practicable prior to the commencement of each Season and except as otherwise provided in rules 35, 48 and 49, Matches shall be played on the dates thus fixed.

34. All intellectual property and other rights in the League’s fixture list shall belong to the Premier League.

35. The Board shall have the power at any time to change the date upon which a Match is to be played. Before exercising such a power the Board will consult with and take into account any representations made by the Member Clubs participating in the Match in question and any other Member Club which may be affected by the proposed change.

36. Unless the Board otherwise provides, Matches will be played on Saturdays, with each Season commencing on a date to be determined by the Board.

37. No later than seven days before the date upon which a Match is to be played in accordance with the fixture list, the Home Club shall send U18PL Form 1 to the Visiting Club, the appointed Match Officials and the Board. Where the Match Officials have not been appointed by this time, the Home Club shall send U18PL Form 1 to the Match Officials as soon as it is notified of such appointment.

Pitch Size

38. Unless otherwise permitted by the Board, in Matches the length of the pitch shall be 105 metres and its breadth 68 metres.

39. The dimensions of a pitch at a ground registered pursuant to Premier League Rule K.5 or Football League Regulation 13.2 shall be as determined by the Board for the purposes of the Premier League competition.

Artificial Surfaces

40. No Match shall be played on an Artificial Surface.

Technical Areas

41. At each Match, there shall be two technical areas, one for the Home Club and one for the Visiting Club, the boundaries of which in each case shall be clearly marked.

42. The technical area shall be occupied during a Match only by substitute Players and Officials whose names appear on the team sheet. Only Officials whose names appear on the team sheet and who are situated in the technical area may communicate instructions to Players during a Match.

43. Any Player who is dismissed from the field of play shall proceed immediately to the dressing room and shall not occupy the technical area.

Hospitality

44. Each Home Club shall provide hospitality arrangements for the Directors and other Officials of the Visiting Club.

Finance and Broadcasting

45. The cost of staging Matches, including the fees and expenses of Match Officials, shall be met by the Home Club and the Visiting Club shall meet the cost of its attendance thereat.

46. Unless the Board otherwise determines in any particular case, charges for admission to a Match may be made at the discretion of and retained by the Home Club.

47. A Match shall not be broadcast without the prior written permission of the Board.

Postponement of Matches

48. A Match shall not be postponed or abandoned except with the written consent of the Board or on the instructions of the appointed referee who shall be empowered to instruct that the Match be postponed or abandoned only if he considers that the pitch is unfit for, or if adverse weather conditions preclude, the playing of the Match.

49. Upon a Match being postponed or abandoned in accordance with rule 48, the Home Club shall forthwith give notice thereof to the Board in U18PL Form 2 and the Board will thereafter exercise its power under rule 35 and fix a date upon which the Match in question shall be played.

50. Except in the case of a Match which, without either the Home Club or the Visiting Club being at fault, is postponed or abandoned under the provisions of rule 49 any Member Club which causes the postponement or abandonment of a Match on the date fixed under rule 34 or the date to which it is rearranged under rule 50 will be in breach of these rules.
51. Unless otherwise decided by the Board, after consultation with both the Home Club and the Visiting Club, the kick-off time of a Match shall be no earlier than 11.00am and no later than 19.00 and in any case shall be confirmed on U18PL Form 1.

52. Each Member Club participating in a Match shall adhere to the kick-off time and the Home Club shall report any delay to the kick-off or to the re-start to the Board together with any explanation for such delay.

53. Any Member Club which without good reason causes the kick-off or the re-start of a Match to be delayed from the time fixed will be in breach of these rules.

54. At least 30 minutes before the kick-off time of a Match, each participating Member Club:
   54.1. shall hand to the referee a team sheet in U18PL Form 3, and
   54.2. shall hand to its opponents a team sheet in U18PL Form 4;

55. The Premier League’s appointed media data collection shall be provided by the Home Club with:
   55.1. access to the venue at which the Match is scheduled to take place at least 45 minutes prior to the commencement of the Match;
   55.2. a copy of the U18PL Form 3 for the Home Club and Away Club at least 30 minutes prior to the commencement of the Match; and
   55.3. a clear and unobstructed view of the pitch.

56. If any player or substitute player named in the team sheet is injured after the submission of the team sheet but before kick-off, upon the referee being satisfied that the injury is such that the player in question cannot reasonably be expected to play, the name of another player may be added to the team sheet as a player or substitute player.

57. No player whose name does not appear on the team sheet shall take the field of play in that Match.

58. Subject to Rule 58A, a Member Club may include in its team sheet up to five substitute players, five of whom may take part in the Match subject to the conditions set out in Law 3 of the Laws of the Game.

58A. In each Match, in addition to the five substitutions permitted by Rule 58, each Club shall also be permitted to utilise up to two ‘concussion substitutes’ and/or two ‘additional substitutes’ (as appropriate) from those substitutes listed on the team sheet, strictly in accordance with the provisions of the International Football Association Board’s ‘Additional permanent concussion substitutes – Protocol B’ (“IFAB Protocol”) and any associated guidance issued by the League. Each Club must also provide the League with such information as is necessary to ensure compliance with the IFAB Protocol.

60. The Board may order a Match which for whatever reason lasts for less than 90 minutes to count as a completed Match or to be replayed.

61. The half-time interval shall be 15 minutes.

62. Within 30 minutes of the conclusion of a Match the Home Club shall notify the result to the Premier League’s appointed media data collection and distribution partner.

63. Each Member Club participating in a Match shall complete U18PL Form 5 in duplicate, retaining one copy for its own records and submitting the other to the Board so that it is received within 72 hours of the conclusion of the Match. Each Member Club shall also submit the information set out in U18PL Form 5 via the online system provided by the League by 17:00 on the first Working Day after the match.
Guidance
The shirt number need not be his squad number as the provisions of Premier League Rules M.1 to M.4 do not apply in the League.

67. The colour and design of the shirt and socks worn by the goalkeeper when playing in Matches shall be such as to distinguish him from the other Players and from Match Officials.

68. The captain of each team appearing in a Match shall wear an armband indicating his status as such.

69. The Board shall have power to specify the equipment and facilities to be provided by Member Clubs for the playing of Matches.

70. In all Matches, the Home Club shall provide, and the participating Member Clubs shall only use the official ball approved from time to time by the Premier League.

Match Officials

71. The Football Association shall arrange the appointment of Match Officials to officiate at each Match and shall determine the terms and conditions of their appointment.

72. The acceptance by a Match Official of his appointment under rule 71 shall constitute an agreement with the Premier League by such Match Official to be bound by and to comply with:

72.1. the Laws of the Game;
72.2. the Football Association Rules; and
72.3. these rules.

73. The Match Officials shall wear black match uniform, save that where that uniform clashes with the Strip worn by either the Home Club or the Visiting Club, the Member Club with the clashing Strip shall provide the Match Officials with an alternative colour Strip (in good, clean and presentable condition and in the correct size) to wear during the Match.

Guidance
Given that the Match Officials shall be wearing black Match uniform, each Member Club shall be aware if there is a risk that its Strip will clash with that of the Match Officials. Where there is such a risk, the obligation shall be on that Member Club to bring an alternative colour shirt (also approved by the Premier League) for the Match Officials to wear.

74. At the conclusion of each Match, the Home Club shall pay fees and expenses to Match Officials at such rates as the Board shall determine from time to time.

75. No Member Club or Official shall either directly or indirectly make or offer to make any payment to or confer or offer to confer any benefit upon any Match Official.

Medical

Leagues Observers
The Premier League may appoint individuals to attend a Match as an observer as well as a representative of its official data partner. If it does so, the Home Club shall ensure that each such individual is allocated a prime seat (where applicable) and (in the case of the Premier League’s appointed observer) allowed access to all areas of the ground.
83. A player shall not be named on the team sheet of a Member Club and/or play in a Match unless:

83.1. the Member Club holds his registration under the provisions of the Premier League Rules (in the case of a Member Club which is in membership of the Premier League) or the Regulations of the Football League (in the case of a Member Club which is in membership of the Football League);

83.2. he is a Trialist provided that if another club holds his registration, that club has given written permission (to be copied to the Board) for the player to play for the Member Club in Matches;

83.3. he is an amateur player, or a non-contract player, provided that in both cases his participation has been permitted in writing by the Premier League in advance;

83.4. he is an Academy Player whom the Club have entered into a Pre-Registration Agreement with, in accordance with Youth Development Rule 262; or

83.5. he is not the subject of a suspension by The Football Association.

Codes of Conduct

84. Each manager of a Member Club shall conduct himself in accordance with the Code of Conduct for Managers found at Appendix 5 to the Premier League Rules and any failure to do so will constitute a breach of these Rules.

85. Each Member Club shall conduct itself in relation to managers in accordance with the Code of Conduct for Clubs found at Appendix 6 to the Premier League Rules and any failure to do so will constitute a breach of these Rules.

Disciplinary Procedures

86. The provisions of Section W of the Premier League Rules shall apply to any Member Club in breach of a League rule and Forms 21 to 25 inclusive shall be appropriately adapted for that purpose.
U18 Premier League Forms
U18 Premier League
Confirmation of Date of Match (Rule 37)

To:  (1) [Visiting Club] .............................................................................................................................. Football Club
(2) [Referee] ............................................................................................................................................

We, [Home Club] ........................................................................................................................................
hereby confirm that our Match against the above Visiting Club will be played at [address of ground]
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on [date] ...............................................................................................................................

Kick-off will be at .................................................................................................................................

The colours of our Strip will be:
Shirts ........................................ Short s ........................................ Socks ..............................................

The colours of our goalkeeper's Strip will be:
Shirts ........................................ Short s ........................................ Socks ..............................................

The colours of the Visiting Club’s Strip will be:
Shirts ........................................ Short s ........................................ Socks ..............................................

The colours the Visiting Club’s goalkeeper’s Strip will be:
Shirts ........................................ Short s ........................................ Socks ..............................................

Home Club Designated Safeguarding Officer: ...............................................................

Home Club Match day contact number: ...............................................................

Signed .................................................................................................................................

Position ............................................................................................................................

Date .................................................................................................................................

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U18 Premier League
Notice of Postponed or Abandoned Match (Rule 49)

To: The Board
The Premier League

Copy to: (1) [Names and addresses of Match Officials]
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(2) [Visiting Club] ............................................................................................................................. Football Club.

We, [Home Club] ............................................................................................................................. Football Club hereby give notice that our Match against the above Visiting Club which was to have been played at [address of ground]
on [date] .............................................. was postponed/abandoned* for the following reason(s) .................................................................

We request the Board to determine the date and time at which the Match shall be played.

Signed .............................................................................................................................

Position ............................................................................................................................

Date .................................................................................................................................

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## U18 Premier League
### Team Sheet (Rule 54.1)

**Season 20...20...**

**Team Sheet of.................................................................Football Club**

Date..............................................................  Kick-off time.........................................................

Opponents......................................................... F.C.  Referee ........................................................

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Referee (print name)...............................................  Signed...............................................
# U18 Premier League

## Team Sheet (Rule 63)

### U18PL Form 5

**Season 20...20...**

**Team Sheet of.................................................................Football Club**

Date.............................................................................. Kick-off time..........................................................

Referee.............................................................................

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