

# Tackle Football Team Formation Policy

## 2023

- A Coach is able to “Lock In” the allotted number of players outlined below per grade level.
- Once a team reaches the Max number of players allotted, they can reserve players as alternatives on their roster.
  - 8 Man Football - Once a 2<sup>nd</sup> team reaches the KCYFL min players of 11, those alternatives are released to join their team.
  - 11 Man Football - Once a 2<sup>nd</sup> team reaches the KCYFL min players of 16, those alternatives are released to join their team.
  - June 15<sup>th</sup>, Teams will be reviewed for numbers, discussion about alternatives at this time.
  - Once GVSL needs to order uniforms, teams will need to be decided.
  - Any coach can recruit any player from that grade, no recruiting rules.
- Player limits per grade.
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade – 8 Man – 11 Players per team, 5 Alternates
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade – 11 Man – 14 Players per team, 6 Alternates
    - Option of 8 Man if not enough players to complete teams.
  - 4<sup>th</sup> Grade – 11 Man – Lock 16 Players per team, 6 Alternatives
  - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade – 11 Man – Lock 18 Players per team, 4 Alternatives
  - 6<sup>th</sup> Grade – 11 Man – Lock 20 Players per team, 2 Alternatives
  - 7<sup>th</sup> Grade – 11 Man – Lock 22 Players per team, 2 Alternatives

Number of teams in each grade as well as the timing of the allocation of alternates are at the discretion of the Football Commissioner if needed.

