



Pre-Snap Fouls

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Ready for Play

- ▶ When does it start
- ▶ Requirements of the Offensive Players of previous down
- ▶ Requirements of Substitutes
- ▶ Substitutes Covered
- ▶ Substitutes Un-Covered



At the Snap

Dead Ball Fouls vs Live Ball Fouls

- ▶ 12+ Players need to have these at 5yd Dead Ball Fouls
- ▶ Illegal Substitution w/11 players: Live Ball Foul
- ▶ Encroachment by either team is a Dead Ball Foul...Playing High School Rules
- ▶ Formation Fouls, 5yds Live Ball Foul
- ▶ Play Clock Expires, 5yds Dead Ball Foul...Be generous during dead ball time: Ex. After a Time Out, Change of Possession, etc.
- ▶ Defense Disconcerting Acts-Needs to affect the Offense...5yds Dead Ball Foul
- ▶ Illegal Shift-5yds Live Ball Foul most circumstances



At the Snap

Dead Ball Fouls vs Live Ball Fouls

- ▶ False Start by Offense- 5yds Dead Ball: Abrupt Movements
- ▶ Illegal Motion- Prefer that most of these be made as 5yds Dead Ball Foul...Nothing good can happen after the snap. Ex. Any Offensive Player not set for down including a player after being set, missteps & tries to reset.