

✔ Pre-Game Checklist 2025

1. Arrival & Equipment Check

- **Arrival Time:** At least 30 minutes before kickoff.
- **Referee Uniform:** Referee shirts, black shorts, black socks, black shoes.
- **Equipment:** Whistle, cards, coin, watch, notebook, pens, flags (for ARs), pump
- **Game Ball:** Correct size and properly inflated.
- **Player Equipment:** Verify shin guards, footwear, and absence of jewelry.

2. Field Inspection

Goals: Secure and anchored.

Nets: Free of holes; properly fastened.

- **Lines:** Clearly marked and visible.
- **Obstructions:** Ensure the field is free of debris or hazards.

3. Team Official/ Coach Interaction

- **Introductions:** Meet with team officials/managers
- **Rules Clarification:** Address any league-specific rules or procedures (throw-ins/slide tackles)
- **Game Fees:** Collect game fees (as per outline for leagues)
- **Game Sheets:** Collect game sheets and ensure player roster is accurate, signatures provided by team officials

Activity	Time Before Kickoff
Arrive at Field	30 minutes
Field Inspection	25 minutes
Introduction to Coaches	20 minutes
Collect Game Sheets & Game Balls	18 minutes
Check Game Balls	15 minutes
Prepare Whistle & Notebook/Pencil	12 minutes
Match Official Warmup	10 minutes
Players' Equipment Check	5 minutes
Coin Toss	2 minutes
Kickoff	0 minutes

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