



**MANITOBA SOCCER ASSOCIATION
REFEREE DEVELOPMENT**



**ENTRY LEVEL SYLLABUS FOR THE
TRAINING OF DISTRICT SOCCER REFEREES**

**Module 1
Theory**

Law Reference	Text Reference	Duration	Course Content
Introduction	Course Handout	10 minutes	Handout Material
1 - Field of Play	Law 1: FIFA Laws of the Game	5 minutes	Power Point Presentation
3 - The Number of Players	Law 3: FIFA LOG	10 minutes	Power Point Presentation
5 - The Referee	Law 5: FIFA LOG	60 minutes	Power Point Presentation, Video
Break		10 minutes	
7 - The Duration of the Match	Law 7: FIFA LOG	15 minutes	Power Point Presentation
11 - Offside	Law 11: FIFA LOG	40 minutes	Power Point Presentation, Video
Break		10 minutes	
Complete the Course Workbook for Module 1		20 minutes	Workbook
TOTAL :			3 Hours

**Module 2
Theory**

Law Reference	Text Reference	Duration	Course Content
12 - Fouls and Misconduct: Direct Free Kick Offences	Law 12: FIFA LOG	40 minutes	Power Point Presentation, Video
12 - Fouls and Misconduct: Indirect Free Kick Offences	Law 12: FIFA LOG	25 minutes	Power Point Presentation, Video
Break		10 minutes	
12 - Fouls and Misconduct: Cautionable Offences	Law 12: FIFA LOG	30 minutes	Power Point Presentation, Video
12 - Fouls and Misconduct: Sending Off Offences	Law 12: FIFA LOG	30 minutes	Power Point Presentation, Video





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Module 2, continued...

13 - Free Kicks	Law 13: FIFA LOG	15 minutes	Power Point Presentation
Break		10 minutes	
Complete the Course Workbook for Module 2		20 minutes	Workbook
TOTAL : 3 Hours			

Module 3 Practical

Law Reference	Text Reference	Duration	Course Content
1 - Field of Play	Law 1: FIFA LOG	20 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
2 - The Ball	Law 2: FIFA LOG	10 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
3 - The Number of Players	Law 3: FIFA LOG	10 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
4 - The Players' Equipment	Law 4: FIFA LOG	10 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
6 - The Assistant Referee	Law 6: FIFA LOG	15 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
Break		10 minutes	
8 - The Start and Restart of Play	Law 8: FIFA LOG	25 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
9 - The Ball In and Out of Play	Law 9: FIFA LOG	10 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
10 - The Method of Scoring	Law 10: FIFA LOG	10 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
12 - Fouls and Misconduct	Law 12: FIFA LOG	30 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
Break		10 minutes	
Complete the Course Workbook for Module 3		20 minutes	Workbook
TOTAL : 3 Hours			





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**Module 4
Practical**

Law Reference	Text Reference	Duration	Course Content
13 - Free Kicks	Law 13: FIFA LOG	35 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
14 - Penalty Kicks	Law 14: FIFA LOG	30 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
Break		10 minutes	
15 - Throw In	Law 15: FIFA LOG	10 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
16 - Goal Kick	Law 16: FIFA LOG	10 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
17 - Corner Kick	Law 17 - FIFA LOG	10 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
Complete the Course Workbook for Module 4		20 minutes	Workbook
Break		10 minutes	
Complete the Entry Level Examination		45 minutes	Examination
TOTAL :		3 Hours	

Assistant Referee Course

Law Reference	Text Reference	Duration	Course Content
6 - The Assistant Referee	Law 6: FIFA LOG	60 minutes	Power Point Presentation
11 - Offside	Law 11: FIFA LOG	60 minutes	Power Point Presentation, Video
Break		10 minutes	
6 - The Assistant Referee	Law 6: FIFA LOG	50 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
11 - Offside	Law 11: FIFA LOG	60 minutes	On-Field demonstration, Group Work
TOTAL :		4 Hours	





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Referee Orientation

Reference	Text Reference	Duration	Content
Administrative Requirements	Course Handout	30 minutes	Handout Material
Reporting Misconduct	Course Handout	30 minutes	Handout Material, Caution and Dismissal Reports
TOTAL : 1 Hour			

Referee Fitness Testing

Reference	Duration	Content
Referee Fitness Test Standards	30 minutes	Fitness Test
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30		
TOTAL : Minutes		

