## WHAT WILL ASSESSMENTS LOOK LIKE THIS YEAR?

PHOENIX FC INDOOR SEASON 2025/26



#### **Assessment Schedule**

Grassroots Assessments (U8-U11) – Monday, August 11, 2025					
Time		Millennium Place Field B	Millennium Place Field C		
5:30pm – 7:00pm	North	U8/U9 Girls	U8/U9 Boys		
	South	(2017/2018)	(2017/2018)		
7:00pm – 8:30pm	North	U10 Girls	U11 Boys		
	South	(2016)	(2015)		

Grassroots Assessments (U8-U11) - Tuesday, August 12, 2025					
Time		Millennium Place Field B	Millennium Place Field C		
5:30pm – 7:00pm	North	U10 Girls	U10 Boys		
	South	(2016)	(2016)		
7:00pm – 8:30pm	North	U11 Girls	U11 Boys		
	South	(2015)	(2015)		

Grassroots Assessments (U8-U11) - Wednesday, August 13, 2025					
Time		Millennium Place Field B	Millennium Place Field C		
5:30pm – 7:00pm	North	U8/U9 Girls	U8/U9 Boys		
	South	(2017/2018)	(2017/2018)		
7:00pm – 8:30pm	North	U11 Girls	U10 Boys		
	South	(2015)	(2016)		



Millennium Place Fields are located at 2000 Premier Way, Sherwood Park, AB. Fields are located top of the stairs just off the northeast parking lot.

#### **Assessment Procedure**

Registration/Check-in Please check your athlete in with Phoenix staff at the entrance (top of the stairs) to field. Please register online prior to showing up to assessments.

Field Organization - There will be two to four 28x32 fields set up. Phoenix Staff will indicate the field your athlete will start on.

Players will be lead through a group warm up activation prior to game play

Players should wear outdoor soccer footwear, shin pads and bring water for assessments.





# Additional Assessment Information

Playing format: Assessment will consist of small sided games (4v4to 7v7). Some games will have keepers, some will have pug nets and a scoring zone.

Positions: Please let your evaluators know if you want to be assessed as a goalkeeper. We value players that are open to playing any outfield position when asked.

What are evaluators looking for?: Impactful players who are confident and brave in individual possession. Players who get over mistakes quickly, show good body language, and interact well with teammates and opponents. The foundation is an excellent work rate with a willingness to defend and attack.



### General Phoenix Assessment Timeline

Prior to assessments: returning players receive tentative spot offers based on projected team organization and end of season coach evaluations. Minimum of 30% of roster spots left open for competition.

During Assessments – Technical Staff evaluate players. Volunteer Coaches help manage fields.

24-48 hours after second assessment final spot offers are emailed. Families should respond within 24 hours to speed up selection process. Not answering will be taken as a declining of the spot.

Players left without a spot in our competitive program will be referred to our recreational program. Please inquire about additional training opportunities in preparation for the next intake window in March.