

**USA VOLLEYBALL JUNIOR PLAYER AGE DEFINITION**  
**For use during the 2010-2011 Season**

Once a player participates (including but not limited to practicing, training, attending workouts and/or competing) in a club or varsity program for any university, college, community college, or junior college, he/she is ineligible to take part in any regional and national programming, which includes but is not limited to national JNC qualifying and championship events.

**18 and Under Division:**

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1992

or

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1991 and a high school student in the twelfth (12<sup>th</sup>) grade or below during some part of the current academic year

**17 and Under Division:**

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1993

**16 and Under Division:**

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1994

**15 and Under Division:**

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1995

**14 and Under Division:**

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1996

**13 and Under Division:**

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1997

**12 and Under Division:**

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1998

**Boys 14 and Under Division:**

Regionally waived boys teams in the 14 and under age group will be allowed to participate at the USA Junior National Championships using the following age/grade definition:

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1996

or

Players who were born on or after September 1, 1995 (15 years or younger) who shall neither have completed nor are in a grade higher than the eighth grade (8<sup>th</sup>) during the current academic year. (This exception is based on the net height difference of 7'4 1/8" to 7' 11 5/8" between the 14 and Under Division to the 15 and Under Division.)

**Note:** These age definitions are used by domestic club programs and are NOT the same as the age definitions for the International and Domestic High Performance programs for 2011.

The classification cut-off date of the September 1 was reviewed by the USAV Youth/Junior Olympic Volleyball Division (YJOVD) prior to the USAV 2008 Annual Meetings and research justified the continuation of the cut-off date of September 1. Additional information can be found on the USA Volleyball Website.

*The Age Definition Policy was most recently revised by the USA Volleyball Board of Directors on January 19, 2002.*

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To determine the correct age division, please find the Month of Birth in the left column and then the year of birth in the same row. The heading of the column matching the Year of Birth is the correct age bracket.

	18 & Under <sup>1</sup>	18 & Under	17 & Under	16 & Under	15 & Under <sup>2</sup>	14 & Under	13 & Under	12 & Under	11 & Under	10 & Under
Sept	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Oct	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Nov	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Dec	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Jan	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Feb	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Mar	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Apr	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
May	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
June	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
July	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Aug	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001

<sup>1</sup> Player who was born on or after September 1, 1991 and is a high school student during some part of the current academic year

<sup>2</sup> **Male Only** - Player who was born on or after September 1, 1995 (15 years or younger) who shall neither have completed nor are in a grade higher than the eighth grade (8th) grade during the current academic year **are eligible to play in the 14 & Under division.**