



Missouri Youth Soccer Association

The following general criteria are the MINIMUM requirements of the State Association considers for recommending a team for acceptance into the Midwest Regional League.

Recommendation does not guarantee acceptance and all MRL rules & criteria apply.

Please refer to the MRL rules located at <http://www.usyouthsoccer.org/mrl/> for further information

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U13 – U19 age groups:

- Team's State Cup Performance/Participation from previous year.*
- Any past MRL performance.***
- Comparative performance against MRL opponents or like opponents.
- Team League Performance based on information provided.**
- Club and team participation/registration in non-USYS leagues & competitions (excludes any USSF programming administered directly by US Soccer).****
- Any other information enclosed with or sent to State Office prior to application that is verifiable and accurate.

***Any team seeking admittance that has not participated in the previous year State Cup must submit a written request for waiver to the MRL and MYSA offices prior to application.**

****State will generally NOT approve a team with no previous record together or a team playing lower than the top division of their age group in a competitive local/state league.**

*****Admission to MRL is evaluated on a year by year basis and is not guaranteed. Teams in bad standing or with a documented history of problems within the state or MRL will not be considered.**

******Clubs that register and compete in other non-USYS leagues & competitions may be placed behind those clubs that fully register and participate in MYSA & USYS programs solely at the discretion of Missouri Youth Soccer.**