## **Futsal**

- The competition shall be conducted under the USYF rules as adopted from time to time by Futsal Association of India, unless otherwise modified.
- Every team must consists of **5 players** (a goalkeeper and four outfield players) and maximum of **9** substitutes. There is no restriction on the number of substitutions that may be made during a match.
- Matches comprise of two periods each lasting **20 minutes** of actual playing time.
- Teams are entitled to a one-minute time-out in each period. A team that does not request a time-out in the first half of the match is only entitled to one time-out during the second half. There are no time-outs in extra time.
- A substitute player may replace a sent-off player and enter the pitch **two full minutes** after the sending-off. They may, however, enter the pitch before the two minutes have elapsed should their team concede a goal while a player down.
- A team will be awarded 3 points for a win, 1 for draw, and zero points for a lost match.
- In the event of a draw at the end of a knockout game, no extra time will be alloted; we will directly go for penalty shootouts.
- In case of tie, goal differences (i.e. Goals FOR minus Goals AGAINST) of all the matches played by the team shall be considered. If the tie still persists, the number of goals 'FOR' throughout the tournament shall be considered: If tie still persists, number of goals 'AGAINST' throughout the tournament shall be considered.