

## 2026 Top Gun Sports SOFTBALL Age Determination

AGE REQUIREMENTS—2026 AGE CUTOFF SEASON RUNS FROM SEPT. 1, 2025 TO SEPT. 1, 2026 What is the age of the player as of 8/31/2025? That is the age they are eligible for in 2026

- <u>GIRLS 8 UNDER CANNOT TURN 9 BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1, 2025</u> TO BE ELIGIBLE TO PLAY 8U FOR THE REMAINDER OF 2026 SEASON WHICH IS JANUARY 1, 2026 TO SEPTEMBER 1, 2026.
- GIRLS 10 & UNDER CANNOT TURN 11 BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1, 2025 TO BE ELIGIBLE TO PLAY 10U FOR THE REMAINDER OF 2026 SEASON WHICH IS JANUARY 1, 2026 TO SEPTEMBER 1, 2026.
  - GIRLS 12 & UNDER CANNOT TURN 13 BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1, 2025 TO BE ELIGIBLE TO PLAY 12U FOR THE REMAINDER OF 2026 SEASON WHICH IS JANUARY 1, 2026 TO SEPTEMBER 1, 2026.
- GIRLS 14 & UNDER CANNOT TURN 15 BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1, 2025 TO BE ELIGIBLE TO PLAY 14U FOR THE REMAINDER OF 2026 SEASON WHICH IS JANUARY 1, 2026 TO SEPTEMBER 1, 2026.
- GIRLS 16 & UNDER CANNOT TURN 17 BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1, 2025 TO BE ELIGIBLE TO PLAY 16U FOR THE REMAINDER OF 2026 SEASON WHICH IS JANUARY 1, 2026 TO SEPTEMBER 1, 2026.
- HS DIVISION CANNOT TURN 19 BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1, 2025 TO BE ELIGIBLE TO PLAY HS FOR THE REMAINDER OF 2026 SEASON WHICH IS JANUARY 1, 2026 TO SEPTEMBER 1, 2026.

## **EXAMPLE: Starting January 1, 2026**

- If you have an 8u player that turned 9 anytime before September 1, 2025 she would have to play 10u starting January 1, 2026
- If you have an 8u player that turned 9 anytime after September 1, 2025 she will be eligible to play 8u starting January 1, 2026 and can play 8u until September 1, 2026. She would move up for the 2027 season starting Sept. 1, 2026—Sept. 1, 2027

2027 Season will start September 1, 2026 and Run to August 31, 2027