



FC PITTSBURGH SOCCER CLUB

2025-26 Team Road Map

Girls Academy 2017,16,15

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The academy Girls' teams' goals are to focus on skills mastery. Our training sessions will focus on dynamic skills, with an emphasis on 1v1 and 3v3 play. However, there will also be an emphasis on keeping possession and then building to an attack in the final third of play.

Primary League of Play: PAWEST/ORL

Fall Training

- Training 2X per week with a separate and additional GK/PDP session. Day/Location TBD Most Likely Tue./Thur. Montour Junction

Winter Training:

- Pittsburgh Sports Center (Old Y)
- A second night to be added after December.

Winter Play

- Sewickley Sports Arena for academy, cool spring for 2015.

Holiday Break's

- November 26 Thanksgiving
- December 24th Christmas - December 31st New Years

Spring Training

- Training 2X per week with a separate and additional GK/PDP session. Day/Location TBD

TOURNAMENTS:

- Discovery Cup Columbus Day weekend in Oct.
- Erie Premier Holiday Classic Dec.29/30
- WVFC Capitol Cup in April
- Memorial Day Classic, Memorial Day weekend in May

Other Info:

In the development years of play it is the primary focus to teach the necessary skills of the game. It is said that if these skills are not understood with a solid foundation by age 13 or if players possess bad habits in their skills, it is too late to reach the highest of levels of play. Therefore, here at FC Pittsburgh we will spend much, much time honing those skills in the development years which is academy age up through U13.

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