



PACE OF PLAY POLICY

The U.S. Kids Golf Pace of Play Policy has been implemented to help players complete their round in a timely manner and make the game more enjoyable for everyone involved.

Each player can find the time par located on the bottom of their official scorecard. U.S. Kids Golf has calculated the exact time your group is expected to finish each hole. Time is recorded when the group's final ball goes into the hole.

Number of minutes designated for each hole is the following:

*Par 3s – 14 minutes

*Par 4s – 15 minutes

*Par 5s – 16 minutes

***All 9-hole players are given one minute more per hole.**

1. All groups must maintain their position with the group in FRONT of them. At the start of the round players have 40 seconds to play their shot.
2. Two factors will determine if a group is out of position, First, if they are more than 14 minutes behind the group in front of them with their flag in time. Second, if your group is above their designated flag in time on their scorecard.
3. If both factors occur the group will receive a red card/warning and be put on the clock.
4. A staff member will be assigned to the group to document play and try to help get the group back in pace.
5. Players will have 30 seconds to play their shot moving forward.
6. If a player exceeds 30 seconds they will receive a warning.
7. If it is determined a player is causing the group to fall behind, the player will be put on the clock. Once the player is on the clock they will be on the clock for the entire round.
8. Individual players may be put on the clock if U.S. Kids Staff has evidence a player is causing undue delay causing the group to fall behind pace or position.
9. Once on the clock a group is on the clock the entire round.
10. All groups are in position on the final hole of the round if they finish within 19 minutes of the group ahead. Over 19 minutes will result in a penalty shot being assessed to individuals or the group.

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