



2025 - 2026 U18/Junior Agreement

This agreement is in place and is applicable to second year U18 aged players only. First year U18 players do not qualify under this agreement. In order to be eligible to sign with a Junior team all second year U18 aged players along with their parents/guardian and coach/general manager of the team involved must adhere to the following agreement.

1. That the player has demonstrated sufficient ability that he would play regularly. As a guideline regularly is deemed as one of the top six forwards, one of the top four defensemen, and one of the two goaltenders.
2. That the Junior team agrees to register the player on a Junior card for the season.
3. That the player be kept with the Junior team for the entire season unless an application is made to Hockey Manitoba to be removed from the team roster.
4. That no second year U18 player be granted an appeasement to the regulation can be traded during the season.
5. That the player must be signed to a Junior card prior to his 1st league game.
6. Any 16-year-old returning from the Western Hockey League or any other Major Junior Hockey team signs with a Junior team they must sign this agreement prior to his 4th league game.

Name of Player _____

Name of Junior Team _____

Signature of Player _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent _____ Date _____

Signature of Coach or
General Manager of Junior Team _____ Date _____

1. **All second year U18 players may be allowed to affiliate with a Junior hockey team as per the Hockey Canada regulations and will not exceed 10 games until such time as their season ends. First year U18 players are eligible to play as affiliate players as per Hockey Canada regulations.**
2. **Application must be returned to the Hockey Manitoba Office prior to participation.**
3. **For the purpose of this agreement a second year U18 player is considered a 16 year old as of December 31st of the current season.**

Please note: In order to prevent any abuse or misrepresentation of the agreement, all parties are subject to the submission of an appeal application fee of \$300.00 plus GST (\$315.00) in the event that either party chooses to exercise the termination of this agreement.