

# Keep Your Game On How to Maintain a Natural Grass Sports Field

Maintaining a lush, safe, and playable natural grass sports field requires consistent care. Follow these key practices.

## Mowing



Mow two-five times per week during the growing season



Maintain a consistent mowing height throughout the season



Sharpen mower blades regularly for a clean cut

## Fertilization



Apply fertilizer when the grass is actively growing

✔ **Northern turf:** fertilize in spring and fall

✦ **Southern turf:** fertilize in summer

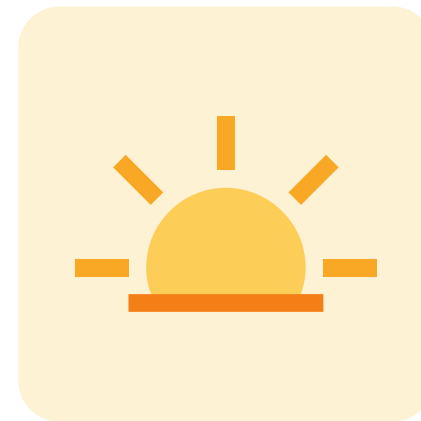


Test your soil to determine the appropriate fertilizer type and amount

## Irrigation



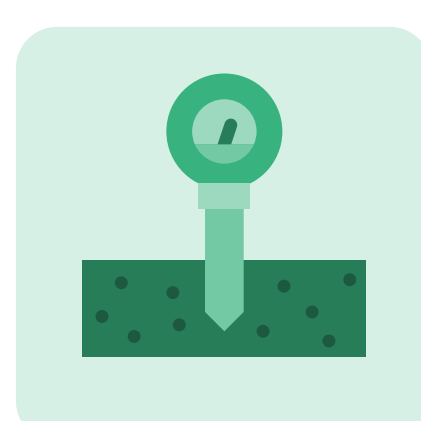
Water deeply and infrequently to encourage root growth



Water early in the morning to minimize fungal growth



Install rain sensors to avoid overwatering

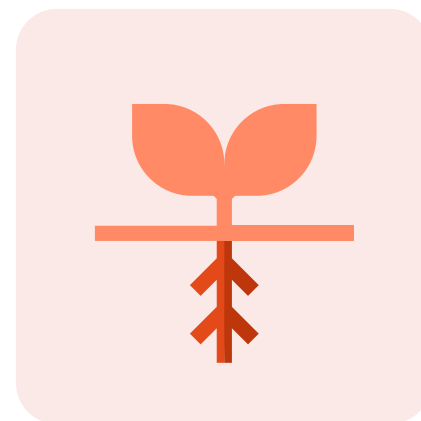


Use soil moisture meters to determine watering needs

## Aeration

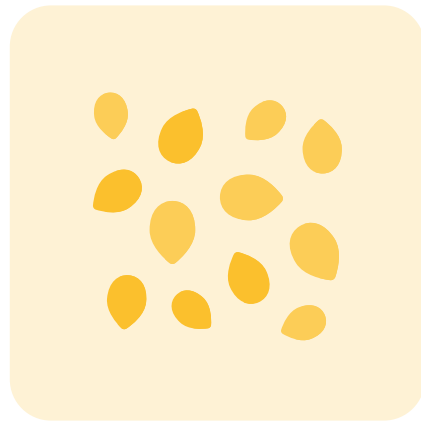


Aerate the field 6-8 times per season



Aeration allows water, air, and nutrients to reach the roots

## Overseeding



Overseed damaged areas or the entire field as needed

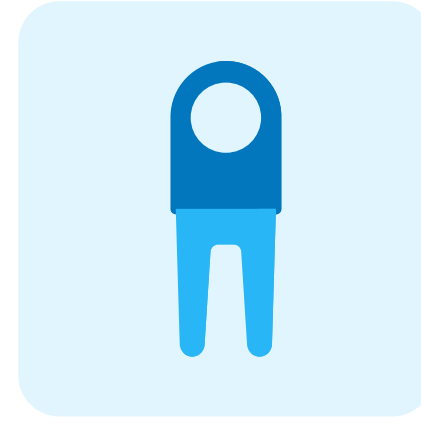


Overseeding helps fill bare spots and thicken the turf

## Add-ons



Rotate field usage to prevent overuse and compaction



Mark and repair divots promptly



Remove debris like leaves and twigs regularly



Monitor for pests and disease and take action if necessary



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