

## **How to Play**

### **1. Create a Free Account**

Setting up your Free Account is quick and easy. We just need you to fill out a few simple fields to confirm your Age and ID to comply with DFS laws in your state. We won't spam or sell your email, but rather just send you reminders to set your line-ups. We'll also reach out if you win!

### **2. Learn to Play with Free Games**

Grand Fantasy Sports offers FREE games (with real money winnings) so you can learn to play and improve your DFS skills before entering Pay-to-Play contests. These free Games are marked as FREE in the Entry column on the Lobby Page. Practice up and Deposit Money into your account once you're ready!

### **3. Deposit Securely**

Visit the Deposit Page to deposit money into your account quickly and securely via PayPal. We don't store your Credit Card information to provide you with maximum confidence and security.

### **4. Select a Contest**

When you're ready to set your line-up, pick a sport and contest from the Lobby Page. All of the information you need about a contest can be found quickly and easily by looking at the various columns. To see contest winnings, simply click the Green Text in the Winnings column.

### **5. Draft Your Team**

Once you've decided on a Contest, use your Daily Fantasy Skill Set to draft the best lineup possible. Click on a player for details on how he has played this season to help aid in your selections. Picking a team is quick and easy, just stay under the Salary Cap when choosing your team and you will be ready for your shot at winning!

### **5. Track Your Team Live**

Once your Contest(s) begin, we provide you with the best platform for tracking how your players are doing verse the competition. Check out the Live Leaderboard for every

contest and even compare your line-up to the competition. Track Live Game Scores for every Contest and click on a player to see his Live Stats.

## **TIPS TO IMPROVE YOUR SKILLS**

Grand Fantasy Sports prides itself on being fun and accessible for all types of players. Whether you're a first time user or a daily fantasy regular, here are some helpful tips to hone your skills:

### **1. Know the Rules**

The first step to success is knowing the rules of the game. Check out the "How to Play" and "Scoring & Rules" pages. Once you've read those pages, try out a few different types of Contests for each sport available on the "Contest Lobby" page. This will help you gain a basic understanding of the rules, which will allow you to develop your daily fantasy strategies.

### **2. Research, Research, Research**

The best way to improve your daily fantasy skills is to research the players you can pick. Start by looking at recent performances. Maybe a star wide receiver is on hot streak, or struggling. Next, look at the quality of the opposition. A point guard could be matched up against the worst defense in the league, or the best individual defender. An offense may be playing against a strong run defense that has a weak secondary – so you might want to avoid the running back and lean towards the wide receiver. Think about recent historical tendencies. You might consider avoiding players whose offensive coordinator has been consistently outcoached by the opposing defensive coordinator.

You could research endless facts about the players, teams and the opposition. Grand Fantasy Sports has a lot of good statistics to get you started, but you can find even more information from tons of other sources. Over time, you'll get a better feel of what research works best for you. If you're looking for some ideas about strategy, dozens of different sources provide advice on daily fantasy sports – and many are free!

### **3. Look for Value**

After you've done your research, it's time to start picking a team. The salary cap is set at a level that will not allow you to pick the star player at every position. You will have to find players that you think will outperform their price. Before making your picks, skim through each position quickly. This will help give you a better idea as to where you will want to spend your salary cap.

Start by looking for value. Value doesn't necessarily mean a cheap player. If a star player costs \$16,000, but you think he will perform like a \$20,000 player – that's a good value! Eventually, you'll have to choose players who are inexpensive – this is where your research comes in handy. Maybe the statistics show that a cheap rookie quarterback started the season rough, but is showing signs of adapting to the professional level. After looking at injury reports, perhaps you see that a star running back injured his knee and now his modestly priced backup will see significant playing time. The more valuable inexpensive players you can find, the more money you'll have to spend on the stars!

#### **4. Actively Manage**

You may think that daily fantasy doesn't require you to manage your team – DO NOT FALL INTO THIS TRAP! The most skilled daily fantasy users check their lineups shortly before the first pitch, kickoff and tipoff of the day. The last thing you want to find out after a Contest locks is that your quarterback pulled his hamstring in pregame warm-ups, your power forward got the flu, or your starting pitcher's game is likely to be rained out. Checking your lineups shortly before the Contests lock is the best way to prevent starting a player who will score zero fantasy points for you. If you find out one of your players won't be starting, check out Grand Fantasy Sports "Replace Your Player" feature on the "Upcoming Contests" page – it makes last minute changes a breeze!

#### **5. Watch some Games!**

Statistics don't tell the whole story. The best way to see how well a player is performing is to watch him live. Maybe a wide receiver had over a hundred yards receiving last week, but only because the cornerback fell down on a big play. Conversely, maybe a quarterback had a bad completion percentage, but only because his receivers kept dropping the ball. You're probably thinking: "So you're telling me I can research players while hanging out with my buddies at Silver Sevens bar?" YES! That's one of the best things about daily fantasy sports – it makes watching the games more fun and exciting!

#### **6. Analyze Results**

Mistakes happen; but you'll get better at daily fantasy sports by learning from your mistakes. The best way to identify your mistakes is to analyze your performances on "Contest History" page. You'll also be able to identify what strategies worked best for you.

### **Scoring**

Curious how players accumulate points? Visit the **Scoring Page** for full details on scoring for every sport.

## **Play from Any Device**

We don't limit your ability to play, or hinder your experience on the run. We have built the best responsive design in Daily Fantasy to provide you with the same experience no matter your device. Visit our website from any device: Desktop or Laptop Browser, Tablet Browser or Mobile Browser. You can Pick Your Team, Track Live Results, and win from any device!