

Tournament Rules Summary Sheet

	7U-8U	9U		10U		11U-12U	13U-14U	15U-18U
	A/AA/AAA/Major	A*	AA/AAA/Major	A	AA/AAA/Major	A/AA/AAA/Major	A/AA/AAA/Major	A/AA/AAA/Major
Bat Roster ^a	Yes	Choice	Choice	Choice	Choice	Choice	Choice	Choice
EH or DH	No	EH Optional	EH Optional	EH Optional	EH Optional	EH Optional	EH Optional	Choice ^c
Courtesy runners	For catcher only. Player who made last out.	Yes. Player who made last out if batting entire line-up. If not batting entire roster, courtesy runner shall be someone not in line-up.	Yes. Player who made last out if batting entire line-up. If not batting entire roster, courtesy runner shall be someone not in line-up.	Yes. Player who made last out if batting entire line-up. If not batting entire roster, courtesy runner shall be someone not in line-up.	Yes. Player who made last out if batting entire line-up. If not batting entire roster, courtesy runner shall be someone not in line-up.	Yes. Player who made last out if batting entire line-up. If not batting entire roster, courtesy runner shall be someone not in line-up.	Yes. Player who made last out if batting entire line-up. If not batting entire roster, courtesy runner shall be someone not in line-up.	Yes. Player who made last out if batting entire line-up. If not batting entire roster, courtesy runner shall be someone not in line-up.
Runs per inning limit	7	None	None	None	None	None	None	None
Infield Fly	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Dropped 3rd Strike	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Lead-offs	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Stealing	No	After pitcher releases pitch.	Yes	After pitcher releases pitch.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Bunting	Max 2 per inning.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Start with 8 ^b	May start with 9. 10th spot is an out each time.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Finish with 8 ^b	May finish with 9. 10th spot is an out each time.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Scheduled Innings	6	6	6	6	6	6	7	7
Complete Game	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4
Run Spread	(8U-15/3, 8/4) (7U-15/4, 8/5)	15/3, 8/4	15/3, 8/4	15/3, 8/4	15/3, 8/4	15/3, 8/4	15/3, 12/4, 8/5	15/3, 12/4, 8/5
Intentional Walks	Each batter may be int. walked only once per game.	Automatic	Automatic	Automatic	Automatic	Automatic	Automatic	Automatic
Pitching Limitations ^d	DNA	No Pitching Limitations	No Pitching Limitations	No Pitching Limitations	No Pitching Limitations	No Pitching Limitations	No Pitching Limitations	No Pitching Limitations
Min. playing time	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	None
Tie Games after time limit has been called	For any new inning that starts after time limit has been called, each team will start with one out and the batter/runner who made the last out shall be placed on 2nd base.							
Time Limit ^e	90 minutes	2 hours	2 hours	2 hours	2 hours	2 hours	2 hours	2 hours

a - If batting just 9 or 10, starters may re-enter one time. Non-starters not allowed to re-enter. If batting entire roster and a player has to leave to game (e.g. injury), an out shall be declared for each turn at bat in the player's spot that left the game

b - An out shall be declared each time the 9th spot comes to bat.

c - In the 15-18 divisions, a dh may be utilized for players other than pitchers.

*9A specific rule: Runners shall not advance from third (3rd) base to home on passed balls, wild pitches. One base on overthrow per play on batted ball. On steal attempt, runner may not advance an additional base on an overthrow.

All coaches are required to be in the dugout during live play.
All warm ups must take place on the playing field. Please do not warm up in the common areas.
Home team in the first base dugout
Home team during pool play is determined by coin flip.
During bracket play, home team is the higher seeded team, including in the championship game