

District 20 Fall Ball Rules 2022



All Divisions (exceptions noted below):

1. All players must sit out one inning before a player can sit out a second inning (barring injury).
2. Teams will bat their entire roster of players consecutively throughout the game. Player(s) arriving late must be placed at the end of the batting order.
3. The half inning is over once a team has batted through the lineup once, gotten 3 outs, or 5 players have crossed home plate.
4. A manager, coach, or any other non-teammate may NEVER warm up a pitcher at any time (not at practice, before a game, in the bullpen, nor during a game). At home plate; between innings when the catcher cannot be immediately ready to take warm-up throws, an available player from the pitcher's team will catch for the pitcher during warm-up, wearing the minimum of a catcher's facemask and glove.
5. Two (2) adult base coaches are allowed, but only if there is one adult in the dugout while on offense. A team may have a total of three (3) adults (Manager + up to 2 coaches).
6. No new inning shall start after 1 hour 45 minutes from the start of the game and there will be no drop dead time. Any inning started will be completed.
7. Pitch Count – A maximum of fifty (50) pitches (finishing the batter is allowed) or two (2) innings may be thrown by a pitcher in one game.
8. Visiting team is responsible for pitch count, Home team for keeping score.
9. Players may be borrowed from other teams as long as the player is a registered player with the league and within the same division. A borrowed player must bat last in the order and play an outfield position.
10. Rule 6.02(c) will not be enforced. (Foot in the box option)
11. Rule 9.01(d) will not be enforced. (stealing signs)

Minors:

No dropped third strike.

Machine/Coach:

Players will get 5 pitches from the pitching machine, if they foul off the last pitch, they will get another swing. Four Adults/Coaches will be allowed on the field.

Tball:

Teams will switch sides after batting through the order. The Catcher's position will not be utilized. Four Adults/Coaches will be allowed on the field.

There will be NO GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT to modify ANY rules.