



Senior League

Annexure H

Game Duration	2 hours (hard finish, no +15 minutes, See Rule 8.4); or 7 Innings
Inning Changeover	See Rules 9.3 & 9.4 (penalties apply for delaying changeover)
Game End	Rule 8.2 (10 minutes innings start) applies
Base Path	90 feet (27.43m)
Pitching Distance	60 feet 6 inches (18.44m)
Home Run Boundary	280 feet (85.3m) <ul style="list-style-type: none">HR Boundary is laid out by marking an arc 219 feet 6 inches (66.9m) from the pitcher's plate<ul style="list-style-type: none">[Calculation: 280 feet – 60 feet 6 inches (pitching distance) = 219 feet 6 inches]The HR Boundary is only used for HRs on the full. Balls that hit the ground before and roll through the HR Boundary are live (<u>NO</u> automatic double applied)
Baseball	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Regulation Baseball (Leather or All Weather).Home Team supplies 2 new baseballs at the start of the game.Both teams can supplement the game balls during the game of an acceptable condition to the umpire.
Bats	<ul style="list-style-type: none">BBCOR (Logo displayed) USA Baseball Marking, not larger than 2 5/8 inch barrel (Logo displayed) Wood: 2 5/8" barrel
Mercy Rule	Yes – 4 ½ innings.

Max Runs per Innings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6
Coaching	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coaches are not permitted on the field during play; • Coaches are to wear a protective skull cap and remain in the coach's boxes during their team's at-bat
Pitching Count Maximum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maximum of 70 pitches or 12 consecutive outs (whichever comes first); • Can finish the batter in the box (unless the pitch/catch rule is used).
Catching	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No innings limit; • Catcher speed up rule applies.
Pitching & Catching in Same Game	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pitch count maximum is 35; • Hard Count. Cannot finish the batter in the box; • Can catch a maximum of 6 consecutive outs; • Can Pitch/Catch or Catch/Pitch.
Pitching	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The pitcher must have their foot wholly in contact with the front of the pitching plate; • Balk Rule applies. (Note. Coaches and Umpires are encouraged to educate the pitchers on the balk rule.)
On Deck Batter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yes. • Field of play is permitted.
Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All innings will end after three (3) outs are made or the maximum runs per innings are reached.
Batting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Batter will remain in the dugout or 'On Deck' Area until the Umpire calls "Batter Up." • Normal Rules of Baseball apply to batter entering the batter's box; • Infield Fly rule applies
Umpire	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 'Plate Umpire" is encouraged to umpire from behind home plate with the appropriate safety equipment; • The Field Umpire may be used in a regulation manner.
Sliding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Head-first sliding is permitted