

Rule 7 Quiz Batting

Read the statement EXACTLY as written. If ANY PART of the statement is false, mark it false.

1. The batter is out when she contacts a pitch and any part of her foot is touching the ground outside of the batter's box.
2. R2 occupies second base as B3 bats with a 1-1 count. On the next pitch R2 breaks for third as B1 swings and misses, but her forward momentum of leaning over the plate complicates F2's ability to throw accurately to third and R2 is safe. The ruling should be: dead ball, interference on the batter, the batter is out, and the runner returns to second base.
3. The batting order is Alice, Betty, Cindy, Dana, etc. It is Alice's turn to bat, but Betty erroneously bats and hits a double. A proper appeal is made immediately following Betty's time at bat. The umpire declares Alice out, Betty is removed from base and the next proper batter is Betty.
4. The player that batted out of turn is declared out if a proper appeal is made before the next pitch.
5. Any runner who is called out prior to the discovery of batting out of order remains out.
6. When a proper appeal is made, runners called out must return to the last bases occupied at the time of the pitch.
7. B1 is out if after hitting a ball she again hits the ball in fair territory while holding her bat and one foot is completely out of the batter's box and touching the ground.
8. B1 is out after hitting a batted ball if she again hits the ball in fair territory while holding her bat when she is in the batter's box.
9. B1 squares to bunt. The bunted ball goes straight down, hits the plate and contacts the bat while the bat is still in the batter's hands and her feet are within the batter's box. The batter is out.
10. When B1 is called out for hitting a ball twice, other runners are returned to the bases they occupied at the time of the pitch.
11. B1 foul tips the ball while one foot is on the ground entirely outside the batter's box. The ball is ruled live.
12. B1 steps into the batter's box while holding an altered or non-approved bat. Upon being brought to the umpire's attention, the ruling is: the batter is out and ejected.

Rule 8 Quiz Baserunning

Read the statement EXACTLY as written. If ANY PART of the statement is false, mark it false.

1. When an outfielder throws the ball out of play, the runner is always awarded the base she is going to plus one extra base.
2. When the batter-runner is entitled to advance to 1st base, she is out and the ball is dead if she fails to advance to 1st base and enters the team area.
3. The batter-runner is out if she abandons her effort to advance to 1st base and leaves the home plate area.
4. The batter-runner is out when an infielder intentionally drops a ball bunted in the air with at least 1st base occupied and fewer than two outs.
5. Only active roster players may warm-up a pitcher between innings.
6. The batter-runner is out and so is the runner when the batter-runner interferes with a play at home plate to prevent an out.
7. The batter-runner is out when a declared infield fly falls untouched in fair territory and settles in foul ground beyond 1st or 3rd base.
8. F6's offline throw pulls F3 into foul territory. F3 secures the ball in her glove and contacts the colored portion of the base before the BR reaches 1st base. BR is out.
9. BR beats the throw to 1st base but only contacts the white portion of 1st base in violation of the rule. The base umpire shall declare the BR out immediately.
10. After the BR reaches 1st base safely, she stands on the colored portion of the base to speak to the 1st base coach. The pitcher has possession of the ball in the circle and doesn't attempt to make on play. The base umpire shall declare the runner out.

ABOUT THE LOOK-BACK (CIRCLE) RULE: The following questions all assume that the look-back rule is in effect (i.e., the pitcher has control of the ball in the circle after the batter-runner has reached 1st base).

11. BR walks and stops on 1st base. BR steps off of 1st base. BR is not out if she immediately returns non-stop to 1st base or advances non-stop to 2nd base.
12. A pitcher making a play on one runner is considered to be making a play on all runners.
13. R3 is on 3rd base. BR walks. BR rounds 1st base and continues non-stop toward 2nd base. BR stops one step before 2nd base. BR is not out if she immediately continues to 2nd base or returns to 1st base.
14. If BR overruns 1st base and starts back to the base, BR still may attempt to advance to 2nd base.