

Champaign County League 15U Baseball Rules 2026

Age Qualifications: 15U Baseball ages are 13, 14 and 15 year olds. A player can't be 16 years old before May 1st. (No Exceptions).

1. Official rosters must contain: team name, age division, coaches name and phone number, players name and player DOB. Rosters can be challenged and players may only be on (1) Champaign County League Roster. Players may be added to a roster up to the 3rd game of the season by contacting the league president.
2. Player Substitutions: Teams may borrow up to (3) players from a lower division. Teams need to have 6 original members to count as a game. If an area does not have a lower division, they may borrow from another Champaign County League lower division team. No borrowed player will be permitted to play if a full line up of roster players is present and able to play. Sub players will not play before an original player on the roster. Subs may play any position on the field.
3. Must bat all available players (roster bat/pegged batting order). Open substitutions will apply on defense. If a player gets injured or has to leave the game for any reason while using continuous batting order, that player is then skipped in the batting order with no out taken. This player may also reenter in a later inning. Anyone arriving late will be inserted at the bottom of the batting order. No penalty. This applies to all age groups.
4. Time Limit: A new inning can't be started after one hour and forty-five minutes (1:45)
5. 7 inning games.
6. Run Rule: 15 runs after 4 innings, 12 runs after 5 innings, and 10 runs after 6 innings.
7. Metal cleats can be used with the exception of pitchers(as to not destroy the mounds) AND if allowed by the hosting ballpark.
8. Drop 5 and Drop 3 bats are permitted
9. All other play will follow OHSAA Baseball Guidelines including pitch count with rest days(see chart below)

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1.7 of the Baseball Regulations will now read: *Pitching restrictions in grades 7-12 shall adhere to the following pitch/rest limitations:*

Level	Daily Pitch Limit	0 Days of Rest	1 Day of Rest	2 Days of Rest	3 Days of Rest
Grades 7-12	125 pitches	1 – 30 pitches	31 – 50 pitches	51 – 75 pitches	76 + pitches

- 1.71) A pitcher may finish the current batter if **THE DAILY PITCH LIMIT (125)** is reached during that at bat.
- 1.72) At the end of each contest, coaches will submit pitcher number and pitches thrown in the designated data collection system.
- 1.73) All pitches thrown in a suspended game or a "no contest" game SHALL COUNT toward the daily pitch limit and the total number of pitches thrown.
- 1.74) All pitches thrown in a scrimmage or Preview SHALL COUNT toward the daily pitch limit and the total number of pitches thrown.
- 1.75) Each school/team must keep a record of all pitches thrown by each of their players in each game and make this available to the OHSAA upon request.
- 1.76) Any player pitching during a period in which rest is required is considered to be pitching as an ineligible player.
Note: Any victorious contest in which an ineligible player is participating will result in forfeiture of the contest.