

PALY 2019 SENIOR ELIMINATION

Hi friends!

We're looking forward to a fun, exciting, and competitive round of elimination. The goal of the game is to be the last senior standing. Go as all out as you can, but remember that the most important rule is to stay safe. In other words, don't be an idiot. If you do anything to potentially jeopardize ANYONE's safety while actively playing the game, you will be eliminated.

Furthermore, if you disrupt classes with your efforts to tag someone, you will be removed from the game. If you need any clarification regarding any of the rules, you know where to find us.

How It Works: Everyone receives a target on the website that they need to tag with their beach ball. You know who your target is but they do not know who you are. It's kind of like a super fun grade-wide game of tag. Once you tag someone (lightly do not throw, tap!), they are eliminated and you take their target. After you eliminate someone, the eliminator enters the target's pin number into the site to receive their new target. PLEASE remember your PIN!!! Over the course of the month, the game gets smaller and smaller and the rules get harder and harder.

Rules will change as the game gets smaller. Be sure to consistently check rules and the assassin website because your targets WILL be shuffled!!!

*Good luck!
David and Annie*

[VIEW YOUR TARGET HERE!](#)

Updated Elimination Rules

Rule Change #1 — Effective 3/15/19

If you lose your ball, you cannot get a replacement.

Rule Change #2 - Effective 3/22/19 @ 6:00 PM

You are only safe holding your ball if you are holding it to the top of your head anywhere above the ears. **That means it has to physically touch your hand AND your head.** In Blackburn's class, you now need to hold the ball in one hand instead of anywhere on your body.

Rule Change #3 - Effective 4/7/19 @ 1:00 PM

You are only safe if you hold the ball with two hands, but it *doesn't need to be on top of your head*. Holding the ball just means it touches both hands, not wrists.

Rule Change #4 - Effective 4/15/19 @ 11:00 PM

In addition to touching the ball with two hands, you must now also have a t-shirt (NOT THE ONE YOU'RE WEARING) tied around your arm to be safe. Rule changes will now be very frequent. No change in Blackburn's room.

Rule Change #5 - Effective 4/18/19 @ 12:00 AM

In addition to touching the ball with two hands and having a t-shirt tied around your arm, you must wear a necklace of *clean* socks around your neck to be safe.

Rule Change #6 - Effective 4/20/19 @ 12:00 AM

Starting at midnight tonight, you will only be safe if you are holding your ball with two hands to the top of your head anywhere above the ears. No socks or t-shirt ties are needed.

Rule Change #7 - Effective 4/29/19 @ 12:00 AM

You are now only safe if your ball is touching both of your elbows. Also, bring an extra t-shirt this week. You never know when the rules might change again...

Rule Change #8 - Effective 5/3/19 @ 11:35 AM

You are now only safe if your ball is touching both of your elbows and if you have a shirt tied anywhere around your leg.

Rule Change #8 - Effective 5/7/19 @ 1:00 PM

You are now only safe if your ball is in the crook of your arm and your other hand is on your head.

Game Change - Effective 5/8/19 @ 2:00 AM

You can now tag ANY remaining player, regardless of who the website lists your target as. The same rules regarding balls apply and those rules will continue to change. If you tag someone, ask for their pin and send it to me or Annie and we will eliminate them. If someone tags someone and the person immediately tags them back, only the first tag counts. If two people tag each other at the same time, neither are eliminated. When you die, leave the group chat so everyone knows you're dead. Remember, the last one left wins!

Rule Change #9 - Effective 5/16/19 @ 12:00 AM

You are now only safe if your palms are together and the ball is nestled between your head and your hands.

General Rules:

1. Remember, this is a game. Don't be a mean eliminator and be gracious if you're eliminated.
2. You **cannot** be eliminated when your beach ball is mostly inflated and visibly in your hand until the rules change.
 - a. Take care of your balls and try not to lose them or let your dog rip them up. If you beach ball pops, talk to David or Annie, **you can only get a replacement for a popped ball if you bring the old ball.**
3. You **cannot** throw the ball, you must tap the other person lightly with the ball.
4. You **can** get eliminated after school and on the weekends.
5. You **cannot** be eliminated in a bathroom or locker room
6. You **cannot** be eliminated while in a car, riding a bike, or any other vehicle #safetyfirst.
 - a. You **cannot** eliminate someone while you are driving, biking, or boarding. No crashing! Do not interfere with someone getting on or off or locking a bike.
 - b. If you are walking a bike you **can** be eliminated
7. **Do not play Elimination in a library! They will get very angry >:(**
8. You **can** be eliminated if you tie the ball to your hand. If you attach something so as to not lose the ball, it **cannot** be directly attached to your hand and you still have to hold the ball to be safe.
9. You may not steal someone else's ball.
 - a. You **cannot** be eliminated after having the ball taken from you by someone else against your own will. If you have given the ball to someone else by choice, you **can** be eliminated.
10. April 13th (prom) is a safe day for everyone until 6 AM on April 14th. Enjoy a stress-free night!
11. David and Annie have final say on any disputes.
12. You **cannot** be eliminated during a fire alarm.
13. You **cannot** be eliminated if you are actively distributing a magazine/newspaper however if you are not actively giving someone a magazine/newspaper, you **can** be eliminated. That means you **can** be eliminated if you are standing around holding your stack of magazines. So be sure to hold your ball as well.
14. Don't be stupid.

Classroom Rules:

1. Don't do anything that would annoy your teacher. We have these rules in place as to not disrupt class time. **You should never interrupt class instruction with Elimination. If you think it might. Don't do it. This includes as people are sitting down and getting up from their seat.**
2. You **cannot** be eliminated during a class period once the starting bell rings and you are inside of your classroom.
3. You **can** be eliminated after the ending bell rings AS LONG AS

- a. The teacher is not still teaching AND
 - b. The target is not actively talking to the teacher or working at the direction of a teacher
 - c. If you think you're not going to be able to get to your ball fast enough after the bell rings, GET IT BEFORE!!
 - d. P.S. Make sure to keep the ball QUIETLY near you, some teachers WILL take them away
4. You **can** be eliminated if you are tardy, during passing periods, at lunch/brunch, or before the bell rings (even if you are in a classroom unless the teacher says otherwise!).
5. Some teachers really don't want Elimination in their rooms at all. So you **cannot** be eliminated in the band room, theater, the testing center, Mr. Bocksnick's room, Ms. Filppu's room, or Ms. Rivera's room.
6. You **cannot** be eliminated during tutorial if you are in a classroom/library.
7. You **cannot** be eliminated if you go outside with your class on a class trip. Like an English class trip to the library.
8. You **can** be eliminated during class breaks IF you are **outside** the classroom. If you are late to coming back to class on break you **can** also be eliminated. Be on time for breaks!
9. You **cannot** eliminate someone while they are taking any type of school-related test.
10. TAing is a class. Only when the teacher has dismissed you because you are done TAing **can** you be eliminated.
11. You **can** be eliminated during a prep period or if you cut class.
12. You **cannot** be eliminated while tutoring.
13. **THE TEACHER EXCEPTION: Some teachers have declared their classrooms an *unsafe* space. :) It is at their discretion and they are the only classrooms you can be eliminated in during class time. However, you still cannot eliminate a person during a test and some rules will be different in their classes (such as the *future* two-hands rule).**
14. Don't be stupid.

Activities Rules:

1. You **cannot** be eliminated while you are playing a sport, in an **activity** (not including clubs), or at **work**.
 - a. This includes sports/activities not affiliated with Paly (i.e. club basketball).
 - b. This also includes after-school activities (i.e. theater, production, robotics, etc.)
 - c. You **cannot** be eliminated **inside** the athletic facility/theater/track/etc..
 - d. You **cannot** be eliminated in a Paly sports tournament (ex. Volleyball tournament, Spikeball tournament) but **can** be eliminated if you're playing recreationally with friends outside
 - i. That being said, if your target is playing recreationally don't tag them if there's any chance it's going to be #unsafe
2. You **can** be eliminated in a club meeting. However, a club teacher advisor **can** declare a club to be a **safe** zone.
3. You **cannot** be eliminated when at any sort of religious ceremony/gathering (ex. church, synagogue, mosque, etc.)

4. Do **not** disturb parents, neighbors, community members with this game. Don't be creepy.
5. Don't be stupid.

Overall, this is a super cool way for the grade to come together. Don't be overly irritating or mean and ruin the game for other people.