

GaGa Ball

RULES

- All players start with one hand touching a wall of the pit.
- The game begins with a teacher/student throwing the ball into the center of the pit.
- When the ball enters the pit, the players scream 'GA' for the first bounce, and 'GO' on the second bounce, after which the ball is in action.
- Once the ball is in play, any player can hit the ball with an open ~~or closed~~ hand.
- If a ball touches a player below the knee (even if the player hits himself or herself) he or she is out and **leaves the pit**. If a player is hit above the knees, the play continues.
- Using the walls of the octagon to aid in jumping is legal as long as the player does not permanently sit on the ledge of the octagon.
- Players cannot hold the ball, scoop the ball, or throw the ball.
- If needed, a second ball can be thrown in the pit to expedite the end of the game. The last player standing is the winner of that round.
- EQ/NDLC rule: When there are 2-3 students remaining, all other eliminated players count down from 10. If more than 1 person is left after 10 seconds then the game is over, and all remaining players share the win. A new game starts!

Video explaining rules:

22-23 video

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23-24 video

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Other rules specific for PE purposes (Not taught in first classes)

- If a ball is caught on a fly, the player who hit the ball is out.
- Infinite rule: If the player that eliminated you gets out, you get to re-enter the game