



## Pitching/Catching and Team Priority

Pitchers and catchers may be placed on teams based upon pitching and catching ability, position play, or both. If pitching or catching is what you really want to do, we want to give you the opportunity to use and improve those skills throughout the season.

In order to assist us in determining the best placement for your daughter, please discuss the options below and indicate the priorities you and your daughter would like considered. Please complete and bring this form to tryouts or we will have them there for you to complete.

### **An example of how this form may be used:**

This form helps us make a decision where to place a player on a team if, for example, a girl scores #5 on the general skills assessment and she is the #4 pitcher. If she selected to play on a team based on her general skills assessment, she will be on the 'A' team and may not be in the regular pitching rotation because there will already be 2-3 'A' level pitchers. If she chooses to be on a team based on her pitching score, she would be on the 'B' team because she wants to pitch and is a 'B' pitcher.

If a girl scores #5 on general skills assessment and #2 pitching, she would be on the 'A' team, no matter what she selected. If she selects being placed on a team based on her general skills score, it DOES NOT eliminate her from pitching, she is still the #2 pitcher and will pitch on the 'A' team.

To summarize, this form basically helps us determine where to place a player if their general skills assessment is higher (in different play levels) than their pitching/catching assessment. If they choose they want to pitch/catch, we need to give them that opportunity on a team that will best utilize and develop their pitching/catching ability.

### **PITCHERS**

\_\_\_\_\_ I want to be placed on a team based on how I finished in my pitching tryout, this may include being moved to a lower level team equivalent to my pitching level.

\_\_\_\_\_ I want to be placed on a team Based on how I finished in my general skills assessment tryout. By selecting this placement method I realize I may have little or no opportunity to pitch on a team. You may not be in the regular pitching rotation for games.

### **CATCHERS**

\_\_\_\_\_ I want to be placed on a team based on how I finished in my catching tryout, this may include being moved to a lower level team equivalent to my catching level.

\_\_\_\_\_ I want to be placed on a team based on how I finished in my general skills assessment tryout. By selecting this placement method I realize I may have little or no opportunity to catch on a team. You may not be in the regular catching rotation for games.

Player Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age Group: \_\_\_\_\_