

Rev. 12.4.17	Rookies	8U	10U	12U	14U
Age Requirements (as of January 1 of playing year)	4 - 6 year olds (automatic placement)	6 (tryout required), 7 and 8 year olds (automatic placement)	9 and 10 year olds	11 and 12 year olds, 13 years olds may also be allowed	13-14 year olds
Team Formation	League coordinates teams, try to honor all buddy requests	League assigns teams primarily based on skills assessment followed by buddy requests	Head Coaches draft teams	Head Coaches draft teams	TBD depending on number of players
# of innings	Play until time elapses/coaches' discretion	Play until time elapses	Play until time elapses	Play until time elapses	Play until time elapses
Game Time Limit	90 minute time limit (approx. first 45 minutes are practice and next 45 minutes are game time). Allocation of practice vs. game time at coaches' discretion	No new inning shall start after 90 minutes	No new inning shall start after 90 minutes	See Peninsula League Rules	See Peninsula League Rules
# of Games each Week	1 practice/game a week on Saturday	1 game a week on Saturday	1-2 games each week (weeknight plus a Saturday)	1-2 games each week (weeknight plus a Saturday)	1-2 games each week (weeknight plus a Saturday)
Practice	No practice except the 45 minutes before game time on Saturdays	1-2 practices a week (60 minutes)	1-2 practices a week (60-90 minutes)	1-2 practices a week (60-90 minutes)	1-2 practices a week (60-90 minutes)
League Format	No scores or standings kept	Scoring tracked, end of season tournament	Scoring and standings count, end of season tournament	Scoring and standings count, end of season tournament	Scoring and standings count, end of season tournament
Pitching	Batter hits off a tee or coach pitch (~3 pitches or less to keep pace of play)	Player pitch until hit, strikeout or ball 4, after ball 4 coach assumes count until hit or strikeout (no walks)	Player pitch	Player pitch	Player pitch
# of Fielders	7 - 8 (whole roster in field)	10 fielders (4 outfielders)	10 fielders (4 outfielders)	See Peninsula League Rules	See Peninsula League Rules
Softball	10 oz. low compression softball	10 oz. low compression softball	11 oz. hard softball	12 oz. hard softball	12 oz. hard softball
Base Distance	50 feet	50 feet	60 feet	60 feet	60 feet
Pitching Mound Distance	Tee or ~25 ft	30 feet	35 feet	40 feet	40 feet
Walks	None	None	Yes	Yes	Yes
Steals	No stealing	No stealing	Yes	Yes	Yes
Dropped 3rd strike rule	N/A	No	Yes	Yes	Yes