

SPRING 2026 MOYSC EOS Tournament

Behavior and Conduct

This tournament is for the kids, not the adults, it is meant to be competitive and fun. Coach, Players, and Umpires will make mistakes, some of those mistakes can change the outcome of the game. The head coach is responsible for the actions of his players, coaches, parents, & fans. Un-sportsman-like behavior of any type by any manager, coach, player, parent, or fan will not be tolerated. Coach, parent, or player ejected from the game is removed from the remainder of the tournament.

Rules

- Use MOYSC House Rules. Please review at www.moysc.org
- The entire roster of players present for the game shall bat in rotation.
- Home team is responsible for keeping the official scorebook. Teams should confirm outs recorded and runs scored each inning to avoid any controversy
- For 8U and older divisions, home and visiting teams will be determined by seed until the championship game, where the undefeated team will take precedence. In 6U, the home and visiting team will be decided by a coin flip
- **Coach, parent, or player ejected from game is removed from the remainder of the tournament.**
- Games and calls can't be protested.

Tie Games

If the score is tied after regulation time or regulation innings the Texas tie breaker will be used until a winner is determined. The inning begins with bases loaded and one out (6U two outs). The last three batters from the previous inning will occupy the bases: last batter at 1st base, next to last batter at 2nd base, second to last batter at 3rd base. Each team has an opportunity to bat. The game ends when one team is ahead at the end of an inning. No courtesy runners allowed for these runners.

Baseball Pitching Rules

Pitch Limits

Pitchers will be limited to the following pitches:

Pitching regulations apply to 10U, 12U and 14U Divisions Pitch Limits Pitchers will be limited to the following pitches:

- 9-10U – 75 pitches max per weekend series
- 11-12U – 85 pitches max per weekend series
- 13-14U – 95 pitches max per weekend series

A weekend one will be Saturday through Wednesday. Weekend two will be Thursday to Monday. Weekend three will be the next Tuesday through Thursday.

A pitcher who throws over 50 pitches on the final day of the weekend can't pitch on the first day of the next week in order to prevent arm injury.

In the weekend series, the pitch count can be divided into separate appearances as long as combined total does not exceed appropriate pitch count max. (ex: In weekend series, starter goes (X) innings for a total pitch count of (X) (amount not exceeding max count) in first game series. That same athlete can be used in games of the same weekend series, up to the combined total pitch count max.)

If a pitcher reaches the limit imposed while facing a batter, the pitcher may continue to pitch until any one of the following conditions occurs:

- a) That batter reaches base;
- b) that batter is put out;
- c) the third out is made to complete the half-inning.

Exceeding pitching limits will result in a forfeit of the game if determined during the game or before the game card is signed by both coaches, coach is out of next game and player cannot pitch for remainder of the weekend.

Only official game pitches will count towards the count total (warm up pitches and bullpen prior to the game are not considered towards the total). Coaches should make every effort to monitor the athlete's bullpen and warm-up pitches and take this into consideration. For purposes of determining the maximum count total, only pitches delivered to the plate during game action are considered. If the umpire declares play dead, with a no pitch, the pitch will not count towards the total.

Each game will need an official pitch counter provided by the visiting team. The official pitch counter will not be allowed to be in the dugout for games. Coaches/team representative should meet between innings to verify counts reported to the umpire, which are then reported on the scorecards. Pitch counts will be certified at the conclusion of the game by the coaches signing the scorecard. It is recommended that both teams keep track of and retain documentation (such as taking a picture of the final scorecard or other method) on pitch counts in case of discussion between coaches and umpires. A count sheet will be provided on the website for coaches to print out for their teams to retain. Penalty: Failure to report/verify pitch counts on the scorecard will be handled by the 3-Man Rules Committee; which could include a forfeit by both teams, removal of the manager(s) for the Series, and/or loss of player(s) pitching eligibility for the weekend Series, etc.

Softball Pitching Rules

No pitcher can pitch more than two innings during the game until the game has gone to the fifth inning.