

2026 - OPBA Baseball Rules Summary

	5U	6U	7U	8U	10U	12U	14U
Basepaths/ Pitching Distance	50'/tee ball	60'/coach pitch	60'/coach pitch	60'/40'	60'/46'	70'/50'	80' (75' if 80' is unavailable)/54'
Coach Pitch/ Player Pitch	Tee ball	4 coach pitches then tee	5 coach pitches then tee	After 4 balls from player, then 3 pitches from coach	Player Pitch	Player Pitch	Player Pitch
No New Inning Can Start After/Hard Stop	N/A/0:55	1:15/1:30	1:15/1:30	1:15/1:30	1:35/1:50	1:35/1:50	1:35/1:50
Each half-inning ends...	Batted around the order	Earlier of 3 outs and batted around the order	Earlier of 3 outs and batted around the order	Earlier of 3 outs and 6 runs scored (last inning uncapped)	Earlier of 3 outs and 6 runs scored (last inning uncapped)	Earlier of 3 outs and 6 runs scored (last inning uncapped)	Earlier of 3 outs and 6 runs scored (last inning uncapped)
Innings Pitched per Game/Week	N/A	N/A	N/A	2/4	2/5	2/5	3 & 2/6
Balks/ Breaking Pitches	N/A	N/A	N/A	No/No	No/No	No/No	Yes/Yes
Dropped 3rd Strike	N/A	N/A	N/A	No	No	No	Yes
Leadoffs/ Steals	No/No	No/No	No/No	No/No	No/Yes (after ball crosses home plate)	Yes/Yes (after pitcher releases the ball)	Yes/Yes
Steal Home	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
Overthrow Advance	No	1 base	1 base	1 base	No cap (at runner's risk); 1 base if out of play	No cap (at runner's risk); 2 bases if out of play	No cap (at runner's risk); 2 bases if out of play
Infield Fly	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Bunt	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes