



KYB 5 and 6 Year Old Baseball Rules

1. All players must register online at www.kaukaunabaseball.com
2. All players must be enrolled in or reside in the Kaukauna Area School District
3. All players must be 5/6 years old by or on August 31st of that year.
4. Jerseys will be provided to players through registration. Grey baseball pants are recommended for league play.
5. Coaches will be volunteers. 3 coaches per team. Coaches will be allowed to pick 1 assistant coach prior to the draft with approval from KYB Board and an additional will be added from drafted players. All coaches must fill out the coach's application and complete background check.
6. This league is a coach pitch league. The coach of the hitting team will be the pitcher. Each batter will be allowed 6 pitches. The 6th pitch will be the last pitch unless it is a foul ball at which point a tee will be used to complete the at bat.
7. Home team will be determined by a coin toss in league play, in tournament play higher seed will be the home team.
8. A ball that hits the pitching coach is a dead ball and one base is awarded to all players. Coaches must make every effort to avoid being hit by a ball put in play.
9. This league is a 1 base maximum on all batted balls. Exceptions to this rule are as follows: 1) a ball hit on the fly to the grass and runners may advance 2 bases at their own risk 2) if a homerun is hit, then all runners advance home.
10. Runners may not advance on an overthrow.
11. There is a 4 run limit per inning, if a homerun is hit putting a team over 4 runs, 4 runs will still be recorded for that inning. This includes the final inning.

12. There will be a maximum of 10 players on defense (4 outfielders).
13. Game will be automatically ended after 60 minutes or 6 completed innings. Winner will be determined by score of last completed inning or if the home team takes the lead in the inning that the time limit expires. In the event of a tie, winner will be determined by calculating total number of defensive outs recorded.
14. There is no infield fly rule.
15. All defensive players must occupy a baseball position. Infielders will need to be positioned within 2 feet in front or behind the baseline at time of pitch. Outfielders must remain in the grass during play. Teams with 9 players have the option of 4 outfielders and no catcher. If using a catcher they will be positioned off to the side without gear on and cover home plate after ball is put in play.
16. No player will be allowed to play the same position twice in one game.
17. All players are required to play at least one infield position and one outfield position per game. Catcher is no longer considered an infield position and should not be played more than one inning.
18. No player will be allowed to sit out defensively for more than one inning unless there is an injury or disciplinary situation with KYB board approval.
19. Players occupying the pitching position will be required to wear a batting helmet
20. Coaches may assist defensively on the field during play, positioning will be as follows, 1 coach for the infield, 1 coach for the outfield, 1 coach assisting the catcher. Offensively will be as follows, 1 coach pitching, 1 1st base coach, 1 3rd base coach
21. Bases will be set at 60 feet.
22. All players will be required to attend a KYB evaluation/tryout prior to the draft.
23. All players will supply their own batting helmets.
24. Parents will be required to work in the concessions stand for the regular season games and the tournament. One parent per team will be required in the concession stand during their game
25. Draft order will be determined by pulling numbered playing cards and following the snake method after that. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, 1, etc...)
26. KYB reserves the right to adjust or add any rules at any time for this league to ensure fair play.

