

Oregon Youth Baseball Player Code of Conduct Policy

Oregon Youth Baseball is an organization that provides a fun and competitive baseball opportunity for the youth of the Oregon School District and community. Players are expected to interact with each other and coaches in a positive manner so that the baseball experience remains a pleasant activity for all participants.

No player shall at any time:

1. Throw gloves, helmets, bats, hats, and balls in an unsportsmanlike manner
2. Speak disrespectfully to any player, coach, umpire, or representative of the league
3. Use profane, obscene, or vulgar language
4. Push, strike, threaten to strike, or try to injure another player, coach, or umpire
5. Engage in any type of bullying or harassment of another player, coach, or umpire

If a player conducts himself in any manner listed above then the following will occur:

Discipline for items 1-3 will be handled by the coach on the first offense and can include anything from sitting out practice time to sitting out more innings in a game than others. The Head Coach should notify the Board President of any repeat offenders.

The coach or any other person that witnesses items 4-5 shall notify the Board President within 48 hours of the incident. The Board of Directors will review the incident, conduct an investigation into the matter if necessary, discuss the incident with the player's parent(s), and determine discipline based on the seriousness frequency of the conduct.

Discipline can include any of the following:

- Suspension from all playing activities for a prescribed period of time
- Game and/or tournament suspension for a specified number of games
- Suspension from all Oregon Youth Baseball activities for the remainder of the season

If a player is suspended for the remainder of the season and returns the following season and he/she has another infraction against the Code of Conduct policy that player will no longer be eligible to participate in Oregon Youth Baseball.

High School summer teams will follow the High School Code of Conduct policy.