

**PREMIER BASEBALL  
13U CHAMPIONSHIP  
SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI  
2022**

**1. Playing rules**

- NFHS rules with following exceptions

**2. DH/EH**

- DH for pitcher only. We will use the NCAA DH rule
- EH is an extra position in the batting lineup. This player can enter the game in the field and the player he replaced in the field becomes the EH
- The EH is optional but If a team starts the game with an EH the team must maintain a 10 person batting order throughout the game

**3. Courtesy Runners**

- Must be different players for the pitcher and catcher

**4. Substitution**

- High school federation substitution rule will be allowed

**5. Games**

- 7 innings 1 hour 45 minute time limit Game may end in tie
- There will be no ties in the Championship round. Games will have a 2 hour 15 minute time limit with the exception of the Championship Game
- Run rule 8 after 5 innings                      12 after 4 innings                      15 after 3 innings

**6. Slide**

- No collision – strictly enforced
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**7. Sportsmanship**

- If there is a player or coach ejection it will be reviewed by the tournament committee. They are subject to suspension.
- Only head coaches are allowed to speak to umpires. Assistant coaches are to be seen – not heard
- Teams are responsible for the actions of their fans

**8. Results**

- The winning team is responsible for Texting the score of the game to 940-631-8186 within 1 hour of completion of the game. Failure to report the score will result in both teams being credited with a loss.
- Coaches are also to report their outstanding players in each game.
- Coaches will nominate players for the All Tournament Team

**9. Tie Breakers**

- Head to head
- Run differential – capped at 8 runs per game
- If 3 or more teams are tied, we will follow the sequence until one team wins tie breaker – we will then revert to head-to-head.

10. Coin Flip for home team in pool play. Higher seed in Championship rounds.

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