

**2018 SESRP Spring-Summer Rules**  
**10U(9-10 YR OLD) BASEBALL**  
**(Revised April 4, 2018)**

**General**

1. No new innings after 1:30. We will start new inning @ 1:29.
2. Umpire is to give home team bookkeeper official start time.
3. Minimum of 8 eligible players required to start and/or finish a game. Less than 8 players will result in forfeiture.
4. All players must be in batting rotation. Players taken out of rotation for sickness or injury will be removed with no penalty. Players removed from order because of disciplinary actions(from coaches or parents), will result in the team being charged with 1 out for every At Bat missed by the player for the remainder of the game.
5. There is a 5 run maximum score rule for all innings. Game will be called once a team has been mathematically eliminated.
6. Pinch runners for the catcher, when there are two outs, is mandatory. Pinch runner must be the player who was the last out.
7. There will be ONE team warning issued for a thrown bat, given at the first occurrence of a thrown bat. Each subsequent thrown bat will result in an out. Each team will receive one warning, for their players ONLY.
8. Each team shall be responsible for keeping a scorebook. The winning team is responsible for reporting scores to SESRP via text message (252)-515-0742. Text should include winning team, score, and number of innings played.
9. Games MAY end in a tie.
10. **NEW USA BAT RULE:** All non-wood bats must have the USABat Marking. The Barrel Maximum is 2 5/8". No BBCOR Bats are permitted in the Cal Ripken Division.

**10U - Specific**

1. Closed bases
2. No lead offs.
3. Infield fly rule will apply.
4. Caught last pitch foul tip, batter is out.
5. Foul tip on bunt attempt for 3rd strike will be an out.
6. Four outfielders will be used.
7. Pitching mound will be located such that the front of the pitching rubber is 46' from the point on home plate.
8. Pitching Rules:
  - a. 2 innings max per game