

JYL Bronco Baseball Rules 2021

1. Game Duration

- 1.1. Three outs per inning, seven innings per game unless time limit reached.
- 1.2. Umpires will announce start time at the beginning of the game.
- 1.3. No new inning will start after 1:45
- 1.4. 10-run rule applies after 4 ½ or 5 innings.
- 1.5. A minimum of 8 players are required to start a game. The 9th batting position will be counted as an out (unless agreed upon by coaches no out).
- 1.6. If a team starts with 9 players and loses a player due to injury then that position in the batting order will not be counted as an out. However, the injured player will not be allowed to re-enter the game if his position in the batting order is skipped.

2. Playing Time

- 2.1. Play 9 in the field.
- 2.2. All players must play a minimum 2 innings/game.
- 2.3. Free substitution of players is allowed.
- 2.4. There is not an infield playing time requirement in Bronco but coaches are encouraged to play all players at least one inning in the infield if player safety is not a concern.

3. Pitching

- 3.1. Standard PONY League rules will apply except where noted.
- 3.2. Pitchers will be limited to pitch count—see chart below.
- 3.3. If the pitcher throws pitch number “x” to a batter, he may finish that batter before being removed and still only counted at the lower pitch count bracket / level.
- 3.4. Pitchers may not return to the mound once removed.

4. Batting

- 4.1. All players present for the game will bat.
- 4.2. Bunting is allowed.
- 4.3. Bats must be USA stamped and no bigger than a 2 5/8 barrel.

5. Base Running

- 5.1. Lead-offs and stolen bases are allowed.
- 5.2. Mandatory slide rule at 2nd, 3rd and home if there is a play at that base.

5.3. Infield Fly Rule applies.

6. Catchers

6.1. Must wear a cup.

6.2. Courtesy runner allowed for catcher with 2 outs. Player making the last out is the substitute.

7. Player Substitution

7.1. If less than 9 players are present, team may recruit from Mustang teams only.

7.2. The substitute must bat last and play in the outfield.

7.3. A substitute may not play in front of your team players (including infield).

Age	Daily Max (Pitches in Game)	0 Days Rest	1 Days Rest	2 Days Rest	3 Days Rest	4 Days Rest	5 Days Rest
7-8	50	1-20	21-35	36-50	N/A	N/A	N/A
9-10	75	1-20	21-35	36-50	51-65	66+	N/A
11-12	85	1-20	21-35	36-50	51-65	66+	N/A
13-14	95	1-20	21-35	36-50	51-65	66+	N/A
15-16	95	1-30	31-45	46-60	61-75	76+	N/A
17-18	105	1-30	31-45	46-60	61-80	81+	N/A
19-22	120	1-30	31-45	46-60	61-80	81-105	106+