

2020 RR Invitational Official Tournament Rules

1. Game Times – Pool Games – 80 Minutes FTB or 7 innings / Bracket Games 80 Minutes FTI or 7 innings. Pool games may end in a tie. Small school will have 5 runs per half inning in Pool games.
2. Teams should report to the assigned field at least 15 minutes before scheduled game time.
3. Pitcher will be allowed 5 warm up pitches her first inning & 3 warm up pitches thereafter. All new pitchers will be allowed 5 warmup pitches.
4. All Games: Home team/visitor will be determined by a coin flip prior to the game.
5. Teams should use designated warm-up areas only.
6. No soft toss against any fences in the complex.
7. Game softballs will be provided at the plate.
8. NFHS Rules to apply, the Run Rule will be a run lead of 15 after 3; 10 after 4, or 8 after 5 (completed innings). Easton Ghost Bat should be blue or newer model not Gold.
9. Progressive ITB for Bracket Games: one inning with the last official player with a completed at bat from the prior inning to start as the runner at 2nd base with no outs. All subsequent innings will have the last two official players with completed at bats to start on 2nd base & 3rd base with no outs. All batters start with 2 ball and 1 strike count.
10. Lineup cards will be used. Teams may bat the complete roster, free substitutions, but must maintain integrity of the lineup. Courtesy runners may be used for all batters but if the team has players not in batting lineup they must be used as the courtesy runner. If a team has all players in the batting lineup, the last batter out or player to score must be used as the courtesy runner. A player may only courtesy run once per inning.
11. All Field calls are final, No protests to Directors.
12. When the game is over, team should clear the dugouts after shaking hands as quickly as possible please. We will be on a tight schedule. Please be courteous and clean up after each game.
13. Teams should have like-colored shirts with numbers.
14. Single Game Championship game in Each Bracket