

New Pitching Rule for
2011 10 & Under and 12 & Under
City of Anderson Baseball Leagues

85 pitches per week total in any type of single or combination games with-in a week.

85 per game or games with limitations according to number of pitches

A week consists of Sunday thru Saturday. Rest periods can carry over into the next week and would not reset until rest requirement is fulfilled.

A pitcher that reaches 85 pitches while pitching in the same at-bat, may complete the at-bat to the same batter and then must be removed. The additional pitches past 85 are not recorded.

The base umpire will only let the pitcher's coach know the number of pitches pitched for that particular pitcher. It is up to the opposing coach to ask the base umpire. The coaches are responsible for keeping up for their particular pitcher's counts and are also responsible for removing their pitchers from the mound. The umpire only reports the number of pitches for each pitcher and their count is the official count.

Suspended, rained-out and games not completed because of uncontrollable circumstances still count towards the pitch count and follow the same days rest.

1-40: no days rest

41-50: 1 days rest

51-60: 2 days rest

61-70: 3 days rest

71-85: 4 days rest

Examples:

If a pitcher pitches on Monday and throws 41-60 pitches, they would be eligible to pitch the remaining balance of pitches left for the week on Thursday because the rest requirement would have been met.

If a pitcher pitches on Friday and throws 41-60 pitches, they would be eligible to pitch Monday because the rest requirement would have been met and would be eligible to pitch 85 pitches for the new week.

If a pitcher pitches on Friday and throws 55 pitches, he is required to rest 3 days and therefore would not be eligible to pitch until Tuesday and then would be eligible to pitch 85 pitches for the new week.

If a pitcher pitches on Friday and throws 71-85 pitches, they would be eligible to pitch on Wednesday because the 4 day rest requirement would have been met and would be eligible to pitch 85 pitches for the new week.

*Not following the pitch count rule could result in forfeiture of a game or games.