

## 8AA National and American Rule Card

- **Game Time - 6 innings or 90 minutes or 4 innings due to mercy**

No new inning shall start after game time has expired, the current inning will be played in full

- **Mercy Rule - 10 runs after 4 innings**

- **Max runs per inning - 7 runs for first 5 innings**

- No leadoffs, walks, stealing, dropped 3rd strike or bunting allowed.

- Kids will pitch until they reach four balls, then the batters coach can come in and throw up to three (3) pitches to the batter, while assuming the strike count

- Coach must pitch overhand while being in contact with the pitching rubber.

- 8AA National has no Infield Fly, while 8AA American does have infield fly rule

- Ball hit to the outfield, Runners may advance until ball is controlled by infielder

- If runner is less than 1/2 way to next base they must return to previous base once the ball is controlled by an infielder

- Runners may advance on overthrows from outfielders

- Runners **MAY NOT** advance on overthrows to any base by an infielder

- All 8AA pitch counts must be kept on paper log. Coaches pitches do not count toward kids pitch counts. Game Changer not allowed as a pitch count verification.