

# California Home School Sports League

## Softball Rule Clarifications and Exceptions

1. We will be using High School National Federation Rules for all ages.
2. Regular Season Games to be played in May and June.
3. Players may play above, but in no circumstance below, their respective age division.  
Levels of team/age division, age as of September 1st for the season's academic year
  - **Varsity**        18 & under
  - **Freshman**    14 & under
4. Each team must have a pre-set line up for every game.
5. Coaches must turn in a game line up to the scorekeeper ten (10) minutes prior to game time.
6. All players on every team must be home-schooled at least 51% of the time.
7. Home Team provides official scorebook person and book
8. Seven innings is a complete game.
9. Mercy Rule and/or time limit; 'as agreed upon by both coaches prior to the game'(generally 2.5 hrs or 10 runs lead after 5 innings)
10. Home team leads the prayer before each game.
11. Scorekeepers, at the official table must refrain from standing, cheering, and other distracting behavior. You will be subject to ejection. No other persons are to be at or near the official table.
12. A player, coach, parent, or spectator that is ejected from a game will have a mandatory suspension from the next scheduled game.