

## JR. GIANTS-OROVILLE

Each team is asked to adhere to the following rules during games in order to provide consistency among all the teams. If you have specific questions about these rules, please contact Dirk Damon, Jr. Giants Ambassador 530.712.1357, [featherriver.jrg@gmail.com](mailto:featherriver.jrg@gmail.com)

### LEAGUE RULES:

- All players will bat in **one continuous batting order** meaning every player gets a turn at bat, including those not playing on the field during the inning. However, teams will not be allowed to bat through the batting order more than once in any given inning.
- Any batted ball that hits the pitching machine, battery, umpire, coach, or player will be ruled a **dead-ball single**. Only one base will be allowed on any injury play.
- All batters and runners will **wear a batting helmet at all times**. The on-deck batter, fielding pitcher, and base coach under 18-years old must also wear a helmet.

### T-ball Rules:

In T-ball everyone hits from the tee.

Each player will get 3 swings. After those swings are taken, the player will go to 1<sup>st</sup> base and run the bases regardless of whether they hit the ball or not

No players permitted in the "Infield Safety Zone" while a batter has a bat in hand.  
Ball must not be placed on the Tee until "Infield Safety Zone" is clear.

The inning will end once the entire lineup has gone up to bat

We play until the end of the 3 inning or 55 minutes, whichever comes first.  
On days with expected temps over 100+ degrees, games may be shortened to 2 innings or 45 minutes.

No limit to number of defensive players on the field.

### Minors Rules:

In Minors we pitch by

- Coach pitch

Each player will get 3 strikes or 5 total pitches, whichever comes first.

From there, (select one choice from the list below, insert here):

- The player will have 3 swings to hit off the tee
- After those swings are taken, the player will go to 1st base and run the bases regardless of whether they hit the ball or not

No players permitted in the "Infield Safety Zone" while a batter has a bat in hand.  
Ball must not be pitched or placed on the Tee until "Infield Safety Zone" is clear.

The inning will end once the entire lineup has gone up to bat

- Outs will be acknowledged, but not tracked/recorded
  - A player that is out will be asked to go to the dugout

We play until the end of the 4th inning or 70 minutes, whichever comes first. On days with expected temps over 100+ degrees, games may be shortened to 3 innings or 55 minutes.

9 defensive players allowed on the field. Open and unlimited defensive substitution at any time during game.