

## **2023 Baseball PEI Age Categories**

- 22U – For players who turn 19-, 20-, 21- and 22-years-old during the calendar year of 2023.
  - Born in 2001, 2002, 2003 and 2004
- 18U – For players who turn 16-, 17- and 18-years-old during the calendar year of 2023.
  - Born in 2005, 2006, and 2007.
- 15U – For players who turn 14- and 15-years-old during the calendar year of 2023.
  - Born in 2008 and 2009.
- 13U – For players who turn 12- and 13-years-old during the calendar year of 2023.
  - Born in 2010 and 2011.
- 11U – For players who turn 9-, 10- and 11-years-old during the calendar year of 2023.
  - Born in 2012, 2013 and 2014.
- 9U – For players who turn 9-years-old or younger during the calendar year of 2022.
  - Born in 2014 or earlier.
- 8U (Rally Cap/Rookie/Blastball, et cetera) – For players who turn 8-years-old or younger during the calendar year of 2023.
  - Born in 2015 or earlier.

\*Please note that each association does things a little differently at the 11U “A,” 9U and 8U levels. Some associations have nine-year-olds playing 9U, while other associations have seven- and eight-year-olds playing 9U and nine-year-olds playing 11U “A.” It is up to each association as to whether or not they want nine-year-olds playing 9U or 11U “A.” As for the 8U levels, some associations have seven-year-olds playing 9U while others have seven-year-olds playing Rally Cap/introductory programming. It is up to each association to determine whether what level their seven-, eight- and nine-year-old players will play in; for Baseball PEI’s purposes, only players who turn nine-years-old or younger in 2022 can play 9U. As well, if a player is just starting baseball or is not at the skill level to safely play 9U, a player either eight- or nine-years-old can play 8U programming, as that programming does not take part in any leagues or competitive games.

