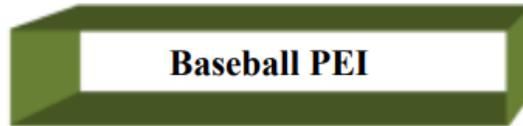


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2023 BPEI 15U “AA” Rules

Roster Rules

- Players must be 15U-aged, meaning they turn 14- or 15-years-old during the calendar year of 2023.

Game Rules

- Follows Baseball Canada 15U rules except for the following adaptations:

- o All games will be played using Rawlings 80cc baseballs (or better).
- o All games played on Prince Edward Island will use the Baseball PEI Pitch Count Rules.
- o Each inning will end with three (3) outs, or five (5) runs scored, except for the seventh inning, which is an “open” inning (a team can score as many runs as possible before three outs are recorded).
- o Steel and rubber cleats are both permitted.
- o For all regular season and exhibition games, if the game is still taking place after the two-hour mark, the inning the game is currently in will be finished, and no new innings will be started.
- o For all regular season and exhibition games, if the score is tied after seven (7) innings, the game will remain tied. No extra innings will be played.
- o During the regular season, all players will bat and there can be unlimited substitutions on the field defensively. At Provincials and eliminations, only nine (9) players will bat (or ten [10] with the “Extra Hitter” rule), with the re-entry rule in place.
- o Bat rules for 15U will follow Baseball Canada’s rules.

Provincials Eligibility

- The regular season must be completed no later than Sunday, Aug 27, 2023 and the Provincial Championships will be played on August 31-Sept 4, 2023.
- Teams must complete their schedule in order to be eligible for the Provincial Championships.

Miscellaneous Rules

- After each game (the deadline is noon the next day) the home team must record the game score, names of pitchers for both teams, the pitch counts of all pitchers, and the names of both of the umpires on their team webpage. Failure to do so will result in a fine.
- The home team is to provide two (2) brand-new baseballs for each game and two (2) good “second” balls.

