



ATTACHMENT #2

Washington Interscholastic Activities Association

HIGH SCHOOL and MIDDLE SCHOOL BASEBALL PITCH COUNT RULE

Approved by the WIAA Executive Board on third and final reading
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The previous pitcher limitation based upon innings will be replaced with the following pitch count limitation beginning with the 2017 spring season.

29.0.0 SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL, page 55

29.5.0 PITCHER LIMITATION

29.5.1 The pitching limitation rule applies during all regular season and postseason games, as well as to tied, suspended, discontinued or protested games.

29.5.2 The pitching limitation rule is based upon the number of pitches thrown during a calendar day with a maximum of 105 pitches in a calendar day.

29.5.3 High school pitching limitation

# PITCHES	REQUIRED REST
76 - 105	3 calendar days
51 - 75	2 calendar days
31 - 50	1 calendar day
1 - 30	0 days

29.5.4 Counting pitches

- A. Every legal or illegal pitch thrown from the pitching mound to a batter will count toward the pitching limitation.
- B. The home scorebook will be official recording for pitch counts.

29.61.0 MIDDLE LEVEL SCHOOL BASEBALL, page 56

29.65.0 PITCHER LIMITATION

29.65.1 The pitching limitation rule applies during all regular season games, as well as to tied, suspended, discontinued or protested games.

29.65.2 The pitching limitation rule is based upon the number of pitches thrown during a calendar day with a maximum of 80 pitches in a calendar day.

29.65.3 Middle level pitching limitation

# PITCHES	REQUIRED REST
61 - 80	3 calendar days
41 - 60	2 calendar days
21 - 40	1 calendar day
1 - 20	0 days

29.65.4 Counting pitches

- A. Every legal or illegal pitch thrown from the pitching mound to a batter will count toward the pitching limitation.
- B. The home scorebook will be official recording for pitch counts.