

INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT MANDATORY PLAY

FOR 8- TO 10-YEAR-OLD, 9- TO 11-YEAR-OLD, AND LITTLE LEAGUE DIVISIONS



Do you have...

12 or fewer
players

13 or more
players

**6 consecutive defensive outs
and
1 at-bat minimum**

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VISITOR

Inserted prior to 1st pitch or play in bottom half of the 4th inning into one of the next 6 positions due up in the line-up

HOME

Inserted prior to 1st pitch or play in top half of the 5th inning into one of the next 3 positions due up in the line-up

VISITOR

Bat in the 4th or 5th inning, or as one of the first 3 batters in the 6th inning

HOME

Bat in the 4th inning, or as one of the first 3 batters in the 5th inning

REMEMBER:

1. The Mandatory Play rule is specific to each team, and is applied based on the number of eligible players present on-site, in uniform at the beginning of the game.
2. The Umpire-In-Chief, or other individual designated by the game Tournament Director in consultation with the official scorekeeper, shall advise both team managers of all players who have not fulfilled their mandatory play requirement.
3. A manager's failure/refusal to insert players into the line-up as outlined above shall result in immediate ejection of the manager and removal for the rest of the International Tournament.