



CHESTERFIELD LITTLE LEAGUE 2015 Play Up / Play Down Policy

Little League International provides the age ranges for its recognized divisions. It is the local league's Board of Directors responsibility to determine divisions/subdivisions and age ranges in accordance with Little League International's guidelines. Chesterfield Little League has adopted the specific division ages provided below for each division. All ages are based on Little League International's 2015 League Age breakdown.

Parents may request that their child play up or play down one division level. However to play up, **a player must attend both the higher and lower division's assessment and be drafted to the higher division.** If they are not drafted to the higher division, they must accept playing in the lower division. All player assignments are ultimately determined by the Player Agent and President.

BB/SB Rookie – Play Up

6 year olds that have played one year in Little League's Spring Tee Ball Division may play up to the Rookie 1 Division. They must attend the skills assessments at the Rookie level and be drafted to a Rookie 1 team (not guaranteed). 9 year olds may play down to the Rookie 1 Division upon parental request. They still must attend skill assessments.

BB Single A – Play Up/Play Down

7 year olds may play up to the Single A Division. They must attend the skills assessment and be drafted by the 5th round by a Single A team.

10 year olds may play down to the Single A Division upon parental request. They still must attend skill assessments.

BB Double AA – Play Up/Play Down

8 year olds may play up to the Double AA Division. They must attend the skills assessments at the Double AA level and be drafted in rounds 1-5 by a Double AA team (not guaranteed). 11 year olds may play down to the Double AA Division upon parental request. They still must attend skill assessments.

BB Triple AAA-Play Up

9 year olds may play up to the Triple AAA Division. They must attend the skills assessments at the Triple AAA level and be drafted in rounds 1-5 by a Major team (not guaranteed).

BB/SB Major-Play Up

10 year olds may play up to the Major Division. They must attend the skills assessments at the Major level and be drafted in rounds 1-5 by a Major team (not guaranteed).

BB (50/70) – Play Up

11 year olds may play up to the 50/70 Division. They must attend the skills assessments at the 50/70 level and be drafted in rounds 1-5 by a 50/70 team (not guaranteed).

BB/SB Junior – Play Up/Play Down

If Softball has combined Jr/Sr division then 12 year olds are not allowed to play up.

BB/SB Senior – Play Up

13 and 14 year olds may play up to the Senior Division. They must attend the skills assessments at the Senior level and be drafted in rounds 1-5 by a Senior team (not guaranteed).

BB Big League – Play Up

16 olds may play up to the Big League Division. They must attend the skills assessments at the Big League level and be drafted in rounds 1-5 by a Big League team (not guaranteed).