

Start Smart Baseball Program Information

What To Expect: In the Start Smart Baseball program, we focus on FUN and FUNDAMENTALS. This is an instructional program that is guided by facilitators, with help from parents. We do not keep score or keep track of standings. Each session will be a combination of large group instruction and small group activities. Most sessions will end with a scrimmage.

Facilitators: Facilitators will teach various skills and facilitate activities that will help the participants practice the skills they are learning. Facilitators will show participants what to do and help them to take turns. Facilitators will rely on help from parents when facilitating drills/games/scrimmages. Facilitators will focus on creating a fun environment for the participants to learn.

Parents: Parents are encouraged to help facilitators implement the various drills and activities. Parents should come out on the field and work with their child. Many of the activities involve throwing and catching. While doing these activities, parents should be their child's partner. During scrimmages, parents should be out on the field helping their child know what to do.

Scrimmages: On most days, there will be a scrimmage at the end of the session. Outs do not count. Each child will be given three chances to hit the ball off the tee. The last batter will run all the way around the bases.

