

# PMSSB Bat Testing Rules

1	ALL bats MUST have a numbered PMSSB STICKER that goes on the handle. Any broken sticker, even if by accident will make the bat invalid for play. Wood bats <b>DO NOT</b> need to be tested. Please bring damaged sticker to the Boards attention.	
2	Bat testing will be done at the 1 pitch tournament, A predetermined point in the middle of the season and before playoffs start.	
3	A minimum of 2 league reps, and 1 witness, not including the bats owner must be present for testing	
4	If a non-approved bat is used in play, the result of the use of an illegal bat will be as follows	
A	1st offence	At bat is an out with additional 6 outs for the team and a 12 game suspension (With Carryover) for the player.
B	2nd offence	24 game suspension (with carryover) for the player and a game forfeit (Previous Game) for the team with no runs scored
C	3rd offence	Permanent Ban From League for the player and 3 forfeits (previous games) for the team with no runs scored
EX1	If there is one out in the 3rd inning when the bat is used, the at bat makes 2 outs. One (1 of 6) of the team outs will end the 3rd inning. In the 4th inning, the team will not bat (outs 2, 3 and 4) The 5th inning the team will come to bat starting with 2 outs (outs 5 and 6 out of 6)	
EX2	If the bat is used in the 7th inning, Inning is over and team loses any reaming outs plus any runs scored in the inning. Any remaining outs will carry over to the next game. Even if it is against another team.	
5	ANY broken/ loose sticker must be reported to the league board as soon as possible.	
6	ANY attempt to reseal a sticker by glue or tape will make the bat invalid and automatic 4 game suspension for the guilty party.	
7	When a bat is tested, the following info will be recorded. Date, Location, Bat, Bat owner, Make, Model, and Compression (could be more). <b>Any bat that passes by 10 psi or less will be required to be brought back for testing before the playoffs for that season.</b>	