

2016 CCSA Umpiring Test #2







SEASON 36

Please fill in your answers on the bubble sheet along with your ID number. No ID# = No mark

A pass is 70%. To be certified for 2 years requires a 90%.

This is a closed book exam. No aids are allowed.

Q#	Question	A	B	C	D
1	A 2 PM game started at 2:15 PM. After 5 innings, the score is: Away team 14; Home team 16. There was a 30 minute delay due to an injury. The Away team scores 7 runs in the top of the 6th inning. The time is now 4:05 PM. What should the umpire do?	The game is stopped. The game will be rescheduled, and played from the beginning.	The game is stopped. The game will be rescheduled, and played from where it was stopped.	The game is stopped. The final score is: Away team 14, Home team 16.	The game is stopped. The final score is: Away team 21, Home team 16.
2	At the end of 6 innings, at a park with no home run fence, the score is: Away team 2, Home team 6. In the 7th inning, the Away team hits two bases loaded home runs. The Home team scores 5 runs in the bottom of the 7th inning. In the top of the 8th inning, with no outs, the Away team ties the game. However given the poor weather, the game is stopped at that time. What do you record as the final score?	Away team 9, Home team 11.	Away team 10, Home team 11.	Away team 11, Home team 11.	None of the above. The game will be rescheduled.
3	A potential player was born on May 25th, 2002. Which statement is TRUE?	He cannot play in C.C.S.A. this year, because he is still 13 years old on the day his waiver form is due.	He cannot play in C.C.S.A. this year, because he is still 13 years old on May 1, 2016.	He can play in the junior division this year, because he would have turned 14 years old by the time the junior season starts.	He can play in the varsity division this year, but only in games on or after May 25th, 2016.
4	Which statement is TRUE regarding the batting lineup?	Females can alternate with Males	Females can alternate with females	Males can alternate with Males	Alternating batters is not allowed.
5	Which statement is FALSE regarding a Uniform?	A patch cannot be taped onto the uniform.	A player who wears number 007 on his uniform is considered an illegal uniform.	A team uniform cannot be altered in any way a player wishes to.	A patch must be sewn onto a uniform.
6	Which bat is not legal for use in a C.C.S.A. game in 2016?	A bat with only the 2000 A.S.A. stamp. 	A bat with only the 2004 A.S.A. stamp. 	A bat with only the new A.S.A. stamp. 	A bat with only the new U.S.S.S.A. stamp. 
7	Which of these is NOT allowed?	Metal MedicAlert Bracelet	Taped down Wedding Ring.	Metal hair clip.	Hard plastic cleats.
8	Which statement is FALSE regarding the safety base used for 1st base?	A safety base can be secured with 2 spikes	A batter-runner can step on either the ORANGE or the WHITE base if the ball is hit into the outfield.	A runner may step on the WHITE side of the safety base on an infield hit if there is no play at 1st base.	A Fielder can only touch the WHITE side of the safety base.
9	Identify the CORRECT statement	A caught foul ball behind home plate must be higher than the batter's height to be considered an out.	A foul ball hit behind the home plate that strikes the fence can still be caught for an out.	If a foul ball hit behind the home plate is hit directly into the catcher's glove, it is called an out.	If a batter fouls his/her first pitch behind the home plate, directly into the catcher's glove, it is considered a foul ball, and the batter will get another pitch.
10	Which of the following statements is TRUE?	Players requesting to return the ball back to the pitcher must be standing in the infield.	Infielders may return the ball to the pitcher at any time.	A pitcher has to accept any ball thrown to him/her from the infield.	Outfielders may never return the ball back to the pitcher.

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11	Identify the CORRECT statement	If a bunted ball on the first pitch of the at bat results in a foul ball, the batter gets a second pitch.	If a bunted ball on the second pitch of the at bat results in a ball that hits the batter's foot, a foul ball is called.	If a batter bunts his/her third pitch, and the ball is foul, the batter will be called out as a strike out.	A bunted fair ball will result in a dead ball.
12	Regarding the Batter's Box: Which of the following statements is FALSE?	The batter who has a foot completely outside the lines of the batter's box swings and misses a pitch, will be called out.	The batter's box should be drawn out by the umpires in each C.C.S.A. game.	A batter who steps on home plate while hitting a fair ball will be called out.	A batter, with half a foot outside the lines of the batter's box while hitting the first pitch foul, will not be called out for stepping outside the batter's box.
13	Regarding the Batting Order: Which statement is FALSE?	An injured player's batting spot can be skipped if it does not affect the M/F ratio.	A batting lineup does not need to have any male batters.	Two male players share a spot in the lineup as alternating batters. If one of the male players are injured, the other male player can take over that spot in the lineup.	If a batter misses his turn at bat, he can just take his next at bat without penalty.
14	Regarding overrunning: Which statement is TRUE?	Girls in the Junior division can overrun any base without the liability of being tagged out.	Anyone can overrun 1st base without the liability of being tagged out.	Girls under 18 in the Varsity division can overrun any base without the liability of being tagged out.	No player can overrun any base.
15	Which of these is NOT considered a lead off?	Stepping off the base after a foul ball.	Stepping off the base after the batter swings and misses the ball.	Starting behind the base before the pitch is thrown	Stepping off the base before the ball is hit by the batter
16	Which of the following situation is NOT an Obstruction?	A fielder applies a "fake tag" to runner.	A runner is tagged with the ball between the commitment line and the safe line.	A shortstop playing in front of the infield line prior to the pitched ball is hit.	A rover playing in front of the 150 line prior to the pitched ball is hit.
17	Which of these situations is an interference?	A line drive directly hits a player standing on the base.	The batter-runner steps on the white part of 1st base on an infield hit.	A runner is hit in the back by a thrown ball.	The first baseman stepping on the orange part of 1st base.
18	Which of the following is TRUE? A runner who is hit by the batted ball is:	OUT if he is standing on the base and did not try to get out of the way.	SAFE if he is running between bases, as long as he did not try to interfere	SAFE if he is standing on the base even though he did not try to get out of the way.	OUT if the ball goes through a fielder's legs and strikes the runner, and no other fielders had a chance to make a play on the ball.
19	A player can NOT be ejected from the game for which of the following offence?	Insulting the umpire.	Administering a "fake tag".	Missing the opening prayer of the game.	Using an altered bat.
20	Regarding after the game: Which of these statements is INCORRECT?	A player missing devotions will automatically result in a forfeiture of the game for that player's team.	Home Team, Away Team and Umpires are all required to report scores online	Winning team is required to submit their scoresheet to C.C.S.A..	Both teams are responsible for picking up all their trash.
21	What is the maximum number of pitches that a batter can get in an at-bat?	3 for all batters.	4 for girls in the junior division, 3 for all other players.	4 for batters in junior division; 3 for batters in senior or varsity divisions.	There is no maximum number, as it will depend on the number of foul balls in the at-bat.
22	Identify the FALSE statement.	Devotions must be led by an active player of the home team.	Players who miss devotions may not play in the game.	Devotions can be done in the middle of the game.	Players who miss the opening prayer may not play in the game.

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INFIELD FLY AND INTENTIONALLY DROPPED BALL

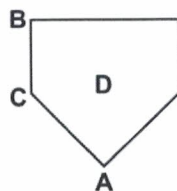
23	Which scenario(s) Include(s) a pop fly?	ONLY Infield Fly	ONLY Intentionally Dropped Ball	Both I.F and I.D.B.	Neither
24	Which scenario(s) result(s) in a delayed dead ball?	ONLY Infield Fly	ONLY Intentionally Dropped Ball	Both I.F and I.D.B.	Neither
25	In which scenario(s) would a rover standing in the infield be considered an "infielder" for the purpose of the rule?	ONLY Infield Fly	ONLY Intentionally Dropped Ball	Both I.F and I.D.B.	Neither
26	Which can occur with runners on 2nd and 3rd?	ONLY Infield Fly	ONLY Intentionally Dropped Ball	Both I.F and I.D.B.	Neither
27	Which can occur with no outs in the inning?	ONLY Infield Fly	ONLY Intentionally Dropped Ball	Both I.F and I.D.B.	Neither

UMPIRE POSITIONING

28	Where should the Home Plate Ump stand on a hit to the outfield?	Directly in front of home plate.	In the middle of the infield.	Where he/she was standing at the time of the pitch.	Directly behind home plate
29	Where should the Home Plate Ump stand during the at-bat of a left handed hitter?	Directly in front of home plate	Behind the catcher	On 1st base side of home plate	On 3rd base side of home plate
30	Where should the 1st base Ump stand during an at bat?	Next to the fence, on the 1st base side.	Behind 1st base looking down the foul line.	Behind the fence on the first base side.	Directly behind the first baseman.
31	Where should the 1st base Ump stand during an infield play at 1st base?	On the foul line.	In foul territory, behind 1st base.	In fair territory, behind 1st base.	Next to the fence, on the first base side.

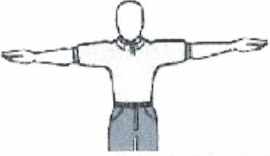

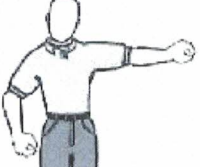



THE DIAMOND

32	What are the dimensions for each batter's box?	3 ft x 6 ft	3 ft x 7 ft	4 ft x 6 ft	4 ft x 7 ft
33	The distance between bases is 60 feet. Which point on 2nd base do you base your measurements from?	Bottom corner of the base (closest corner to home plate).	Top corner of the base (furthest corner from home plate).	Middle of the base.	The corner closest to 1st base when measuring the distance between 1st & 2nd, and the corner closest to 3rd when measuring the distance between 2nd and 3rd.
34	What is the approximate distance between the commitment line and 3rd base?	10 ft	20 ft	30 ft	40 ft
35	Identify the TRUE statement about the pitcher's line.	The pitcher must keep both feet behind the line throughout the pitch.	The line is 45 ft from home plate.	The line is 50 ft from home plate.	The width of the line is 2 meters.
36	How should the safety base be placed on the field?	Orange section on Fair territory, White portion on Foul Territory.	The entire base in Fair territory	White section on Fair territory, Orange portion on Foul Territory.	The entire base in Foul territory
37	The SAFE LINE is drawn from which spot of home plate?	Bottom point on Home Plate	Top Left Corner of the Home Plate	Middle of Home Plate	Middle left corner of Home Plate



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38	Regarding the Commitment Line: Identify the TRUE statement?	A runner may not return to third base to tag up if he has already ran past the Commitment Line.	A runner with one foot on the ground completely past the Commitment Line is considered out, if the catcher is standing at home with the ball in his/her glove.	A runner who has missed third base may not return to third base if he has already ran past the Commitment Line.	If a runner is tagged between the Commitment Line and the Safe Line, the runner is called out.
39	Where do you put the pylons to indicate where the 150 line should be?	150 ft from Home Plate, on the Foul Lines	150 ft from Home Plate, on the Dead Ball Lines (Extension of the fence)	150 paces from Home Plate on the Foul Lines	150 ft from 1st and 3rd Bases, on the Foul Lines

GESTURES

40	 What is this gesture NOT used for?	Safe	Obstruction	Trapped Ball	No catch
41	 What is this gesture NOT used for?	Interference	Time	Dead Ball	Homerun
42	 What is this gesture for?	Interference	Obstruction	Trapped Ball	Foul ball
43	 What is this gesture for?	Infield Fly	Intentionally Dropped Ball	Ground rule double	Home run
44	 What is this gesture for?	Infield Fly	Intentionally Dropped Ball	Home Run	Trapped ball
45	 What is this gesture for?	No catch	Foul ball	Delayed dead ball	Fair Ball

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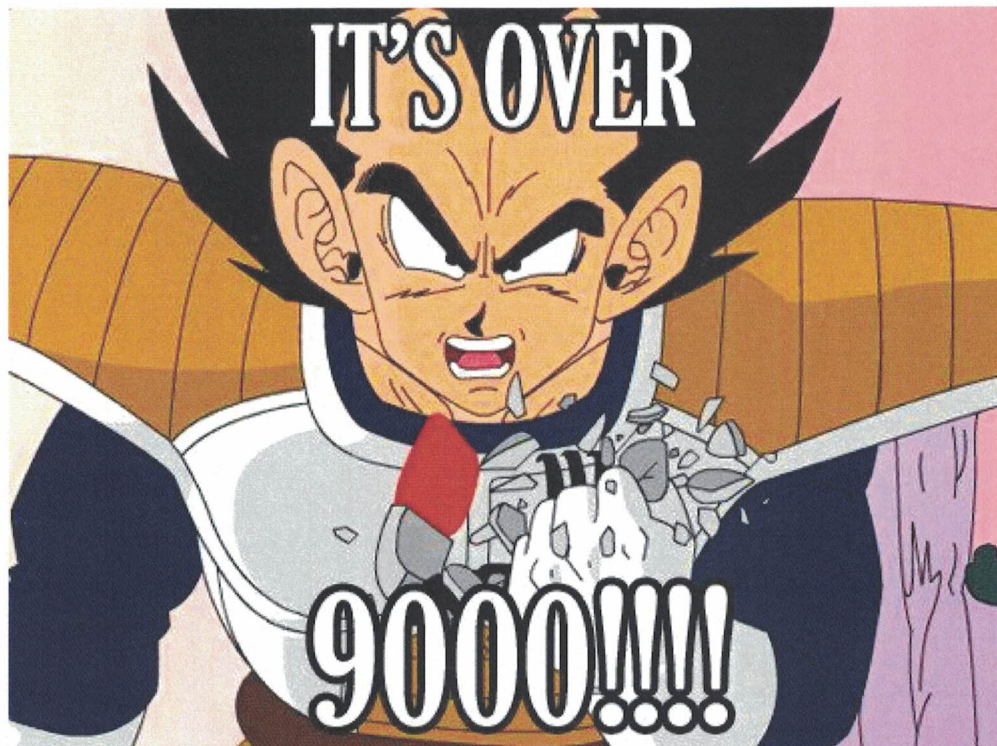
SCENARIOS

<p>A runner on 1st (R1) with no outs. The batter-runner (BR) hits a ball to the second baseman. The second baseman misplays the ball and tags R1 with the an empty glove. The ball is then fielded by the rover who throws it to the Shortstop waiting at second base. R1 arrives at 2B. BR arrives at 1B</p>					
46	What's the call on R1?	R1 is out at 2B because it's a forced play.	R1 must return to first as this play doesn't count	R1 is awarded 3B	R1 is Safe at 2B because of Obstruction
47	What happens to BR?	BR is safe at 1B	BR is out	BR must return to the plate and re-play that pitch.	BR is awarded 2B
<p>The bases are loaded with runners at 3rd base (R3), 2nd base (R2) and 1st base (R1), with 1 out. The batter (BR) hits a deep over the right fielder (RF)'s head. R3 scores, R2 reaches 3rd base and proceeds home. R1 reaches 2nd base and proceeds to 3rd base. BR reaches 1st base and proceeds to 2nd base. RF recovers the ball and throws to the Shortstop (SS), who tags BR between 1st base and 2nd base. In frustration, BR throws his hands into the air and in your judgment unintentionally knocks the ball out of the SS's hand, preventing him from making a play on the other runners. At this time R2 has just crossed the commitment line and R1 has not reached 3rd base yet.</p>					
48	What's the call on BR?	BR returns to 1st.	BR is out on the Tag	BR is called out for Interference	BR is ejected from the game
49	What's the call on R1?	R1 returns to 1st base.	R1 returns to 2nd base.	R1 is awarded 3rd base.	R1 is out on the interference
50	What's the call on R2?	R2 returns to 2nd base.	R2 returns to 3rd base.	R2 is awarded Home	R2 is called out due to BR's interference.
51	What's the call on R3?	R3 is called out for not tagging up.	R3 returns to 3rd base.	R3's run counts.	R3 is called out due to BR's interference.
<p>The bases are loaded with no outs. R3 is at 3rd base, R2 is at 2nd base, and R1 is at 1st base. The batter-runner (BR) hits a lazy pop-up near 2nd base. The shortstop intentionally drops the ball near 2nd base. The second baseman (2B) recovers the ball and quickly tags out a surprised R2 who is off 2nd base. 2B then steps on 2nd base. R3 is still on 3rd base, and R1 is still on 1st base.</p>					
52	Which rule(s) is/are enforced in this play?	Only Infield Fly	Only Intentionally Dropped	Both Infield Fly and Intentionally Dropped Ball	Neither Infield Fly nor Intentionally Dropped Ball.
53	At the time that the ball is dropped, what does the umpire call?	"Dead Ball"	"Delayed Dead Ball"	"Intentionally Dropped Ball"	Nothing. The ball is live, and the play carries on.
54	Who is/are called out on this play?	Only BR	Only R2	Both BR and R2	Both R2 and R1
<p>There are runners on 2nd base (R2) and 3rd base (R3) with no outs. The batter (BR) hits a hard grounder to the second baseman (2B) standing near second base, who has difficulty handling the ball and does not attempt a throw to first base. 2B calls "Pitcher" before throwing the ball to the pitcher, who then catches the ball. At this time, all three runners are running. R3 is halfway between 3rd base and Home, R2 is 3/4 the way to 3rd base and BR is just steps past 1st base headed towards second base.</p>					
55	What's the call on R3?	R3 must return to 3rd base because the pitcher has the ball	R3 is removed from play	R3 is out because the pitcher interfered with a live play	R3 is awarded home
56	What's the call on R2?	R2 must return to 2nd base because the pitcher has the ball	R2 is awarded home because in your judgment, R2 was fast enough to beat the a throw to Home	R2 is awarded 3rd base.	R2 is out because the pitcher interfered with a live play
57	What's the call on BR?	BR must go back to the plate.	BR is awarded 1st base	BR is awarded 2nd base.	BR is out because the pitcher interfered with a live play
<p>There is a runner on 1st base (R1). The batter-runner (BR) hits a ball deep into the outfield. R1 and BR run around the bases as the ball is thrown to the catcher. R1 steps onto the SAFE LINE just prior to the catcher catches the ball in their glove while standing on home plate. Also at the same time the BR steps on the COMMITMENT LINE, then turns around and runs back to third base safely.</p>					
58	Who is/are out on this play?	BR only	R1 only	Both BR and R1	Neither BR nor R1

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	There is 1 out with runners on 1st (R1) and 2nd (R2). As the pitch is made, it is obvious that the Right Rover (RR) is well inside the 150 line. The BR hits a line drive into Right Field which the RR catches on one bounce. RR throws to the Shortstop, who runs and steps on second well before R1 arrives. At this time, R2 has already ran past 3rd base and heads towards home. R1 walks towards the 3rd base dugout. The shortstop yells "Pitcher!" and then the base coach tells R1 to stand on 3rd base. BR stays at 1st.				
59	What's the call on BR?	BR is Safe at 1st base	BR is out	BR is awarded 2nd base.	BR returns to the plate for a re-pitch
60	What's the call on R1?	R1 is out at 2nd base	R1 returns to 1st base as the play doesn't count and has to be replayed	R1 is Safe at 3rd base	R1 must return to 2nd base
61	What's the call on R2?	R2 returns to 2nd base as the play doesn't count and has to be replayed	R2 is Safe at Home Plate	R2 must return to 3rd base	R2 is out.
	The batting order is as follows: B1, B2, B3, B4, B5, B6... There are 2 outs with B1 on 3rd, B2 on 2nd and B3 on 1st with B4 at bat. B4 swings and misses at the 3rd pitch and both B1 and B3 step off their respective bases just after the swing but before the ball hits the ground.				
62	Who is/are out?	B1 or B3, whoever stepped off their base first.	Both B1 and B3.	B4.	B1, B3 and B4.
63	Who is at bat when the team comes up for their next at bat?	B4, with 2 strikes against him.	B4, with no strikes against him.	B5	B6
	It is the top of the 1st inning with no outs. The bases are loaded.				
64	What is the MINIMUM number of active female players on the field? (Not including umpires, coaches, players on the bench)	3	4	5	6
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	There is 1 out with runners on 1st (R1), 2nd (R2) and 3rd (R3) in the bottom of the 8th inning. The Visiting team is up by 1 run. The Batter runner (BR) hits the ball to the outfield. The left fielder catches the ball after a bounce and throws the ball to the catcher. R3 crosses the Safe Line just ahead of the Catcher catching the ball with a foot on home plate. R2 comes around and stops before the Commitment line. As the catcher runs towards R2, R2 crosses the commitment line just before getting tagged by the Catcher. R2 proceeds forward and steps on Home Plate. R1 and BR run off the field in celebration and go into their dugout. The time is now 5:50 pm				
66	What's the call on R2?	R2 is Safe at home	R2 is out at home.	R2 must return to third base	R2 must return to second base.
67	What's the call on R1?	R1 is Out	R1 must return to first base	R1 must return to second base	R1 must return to third base
68	After the calls are made, what happens now?	Home Team Wins	Continue playing as the game is not over.	Game is Tied. Play one more inning.	Game is tied. Game over.
	The batting order is as follows: B1, B2, B3, B4, B5... There are no outs. B2 is on 1st base. B4 comes to bat and hits a single. B2 advances to 2nd base. Now B3 comes to the plate for an at bat.				
69	If the batting out of order was discovered before the first pitch to B3, what is the ruling?	B5 is the next proper batter. B3 is replaced by B5 at the plate. There are still no outs. B2 and B4 remain at 2nd and 1st bases respectively.	B3 is out. B2 returns to 1st base. Next batter is B4.	B4 is called out for batting out of order. B3 will bat now. B4 will bat after B3.	B4 is called out for batting out of order. B3 will bat now. B5 will bat after B3.
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Bonus Question: (Write answer on the answer sheet)

What is the maximum number of at bats in the 1st inning of a C.C.S.A. game?



No. Vegeta is wrong.

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2	A
3	B
4	C
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8	C
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10	A
11	D
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14	B
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36	C
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44	B
45	D

46	D
47	A

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66	B
67	A
68	D

69	B
70	A