



## BRW Softball Equipment & Uniform Information

### BRW provided

BRW will supply individually numbered and sized team jerseys and socks. In addition 8U players will receive visors. This will be given to team coaches as soon as they are ready, but they are not expected until just prior to the first game.

BRW will also provide each team with catcher's equipment including a helmet and pads. These need to be returned at the end of the season.

### Player Provided

1. Softball Gloves. Players need softball gloves that are 11.5, 12 or 12.5 inches. Please make sure it is a fast pitch softball glove and NOT a baseball glove.
2. Helmets. Players need a helmet that includes a face mask and chin strap. This is an ASA Rule. Helmets can be any color.
3. **Face masks. These are required to be worn by ALL infielders in 12U and 14U teams.**
4. Shorts or softball pants.
5. Sliding shorts and a sliding pad is a good idea for 12U and 14U.
6. Softball spikes/cleats are preferred, but players may wear soccer cleats, especially in the younger age groups.
7. No jewelry of any kind can be worn during play. This is an ASA rule. Please remind your daughters of this rule.
8. Bats. The league does have a few bats available for the girls to use.  
Below are the guidelines in the event that your daughter wants to have their own bat.

### **Bat Sizing Guide - For ages 5 - 16**

- Suggested only, but we use this same chart fitting ball players in our store and it has never failed us. It has long been our philosophy to fit length first, then weight. One ounce is about the same as  $\frac{1}{2}$  pennies taped to the end of the barrel.
- A lighter bat may allow you to use a longer bat (see "A Note About The Drop"). However, just like your driver is harder to hit than your 7 iron, a longer bat may be harder to hit than a shorter one depending on your age and your arm/ wrist strength.
- Regarding youth, senior league and fast pitch bats - when deciding between 2 or 3 bats find the correct length first, then let the weight be the deciding factor.
- Girls / womens fast pitch softball, you can add 1".

Height	3'-3'4"	3'5"-3'8"	3'9"-4'	4'1"-4'4"	4'5"-4'8"	4'9"-5'	5'1"-5'4"	5'5"-5'8"	5'9"-6'	6'1"-over
< 60	26"	27"	28"	29"	29"					
61-70	27"	27"	28"	29"	30"	30"				
71-80		28"	28"	29"	30"	30"	31"			
81-90		28"	29"	29"	30"	30"	31"	32"		
91-100		28"	29"	30"	30"	31"	31"	32"		
101-110		29"	29"	30"	30"	31"	31"	32"		
111-120		29"	29"	30"	30"	31"	31"	32"		
121-130		29"	30"	30"	30"	31"	32"	33"	33"	
131-140		29"	30"	30"	31"	31"	32"	33"	33"	
141-150			30"	30"	31"	31"	32"	33"	33"	
151-160			30"	31"	31"	32"	32"	33"	33"	33"
161-180				31"	31"	32"	32"	33"	33"	34"
181-190						32"	33"	33"	34"	34"
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### **Bat Length by Age Guide**

AGE	5-7	8-9	10	11-12	13-14	15-16
LENGTH	24"-26"	26"-28"	28"-29"	30"-31"	31"-32"	32"-33"