



# NFHS Exam -Answer Key

## 2018 NFHS Baseball Exam II

Question	Answer Choice	Answer Text	Rule Reference
1.	A	If it had a BBCOR certification mark.	1-3-2d
2.	B	All fielders are in fair ground when at least one foot is touching fair ground.	1-1-4
3.	B	The player being ejected.	1-5-4 PENALTY
4.	C	Unless the umpire knows that the bat previously rattled, he must assume that the bat became illegal because of the contact with the pitch. The home run will count and the bat will be removed from the game.	1-3-2a(3)
5.	C	Allow Jones to pinch-hit and mark the change on the lineup card.	1-1-2
6.	D	All of the above.	1-3-2b(3)
7.	C	Toward the outfield on a line parallel to the foul line.	1-2-4
8.	D	Both B & C.	1-5-7
9.	C	Touches first, second or third base.	2-5-1e; 2-16-1c, d
10.	C	The runner goes beyond the base and alters the play of the fielder.	2-32-1, 2-32-2c
11.	D	All of the above.	2-10-2; 4-1-3a, b
12.	B	A player eligible to enter or re-enter the game does so without reporting.	2-36-2; 2-36-3b, d
13.	D	A & B.	2-21-1
14.	D	All the above.	2-22-1, 2-22-2, 2-22-3
15.	D	A & B.	2-4-3
16.	D	The coach crosses the foul line.	3-4-3
17.	C	May return to play if cleared by an appropriate health-care professional.	3-1-5
18.	B	A player leaves his bench area for the purpose of physical confrontation.	3-3-1p
19.	C	An assistant coach is granted time to confer with the base runner on first base.	3-4-2
20.	B	A warning for the wearing of jewelry may not be given at the pre-game conference.	3-3-1d PENALTY
21.	D	An umpire or either team may discover.	3-1-1
22.	B	Both the head coach and the assistant coach are restricted to the dugout on the first offense.	3-3-1f(6) PENALTY
23.	A	The role of the DH is terminated.	3-1-4
24.	C	He may play another position, but not return to pitch.	3-1-1 PENALTY
25.	B	The coach is restricted to his dugout for the remainder of the game.	3-2-1
26.	B	The runner is out and play continues.	3-2-2 PENALTY
27.	D	Both B & C.	3-1-1
28.	C	Are the umpires.	4-1-1
29.	C	Both A & B.	4-1-2
30.	D	Because a pitch has been thrown to the next batter, the home run stands. The head coach will be restricted to the dugout for the balance of the game.	4-1-3b, 7-4-1
31.	D	The umpire calls "Play" after all infielders, pitcher, catcher and batter are in position to start the game.	4-1-5

32.	C	An out is called each time that spot in the order comes to bat.	4-4-1f NOTE 1
33.	C	The ball is batted with an illegal bat.	5-1-1b; 5-1-2c, d; 5-2-1d
34.	B	False.	5-1-2f
35.	B	The batter enters the batter's box with an illegal bat.	5-1-1c; 5-1-2-e, f
36.	B	False.	5-1-1h
37.	D	All of the above.	5-1-4
38.	A	It is a delayed dead ball.	5-1-2b
39.	A	Immediately.	5-1-1m
40.	A	That is detected to have a foreign substance he applied to the ball.	6-2-1a, g, h; 6-2-4f
41.	D	B & C.	6-1-4
42.	B	Set position.	6-1-1
43.	C	Entire non-pivot foot in front of a line extending through the front edge of the pitcher's plate and with his entire pivot foot in contact with or directly in front of and parallel the pitcher's plate.	6-1-3
44.	C	This is illegal. After he starts his movement to pitch, he must continue his motion without interruption or alteration.	6-1-2
45.	B	A ball shall be awarded to the batter.	6-2-1e PENALTY
46.	D	Both B and C.	6-1-1, 6-1-2, 6-1-3
47.	A	Provided the pitcher has made no subsequent move since he took his position on the pitching plate, he may legally step back off the pitching plate with his pivot foot to change to a legal pitching position.	6-1-1, 6-1-2, 6-1-3
48.	C	This is an illegal pitching position.	6-1-1, 6-1-2, 6-1-3
49.	C	The umpire shall award the batter one ball.	6-2-2c PENALTY
50.	B	False.	6-1-1
51.	A	True.	6-1-1
52.	A	True.	6-2-2c EXCEPTION
53.	D	Both A & C.	6-2-2c
54.	A	This is a legal move and the out will stand.	6-2-4
55.	D	All of the above.	7-4-1
56.	D	All of the above.	7-3-1
57.	C	The proper batter will replace the improper batter with the 1-2 count.	7-1-1
58.	A	True.	7-1-1
59.	C	The batter is declared out.	7-3-2 PENALTY
60.	D	All of the above.	7-3-2, 7-3-3, 7-4-1i
61.	B	Boyd.	7-1-2
62.	D	All of the above.	5-1-1b, 7-4-1a
63.	B	The batter whose name follows the legalized improper batter.	7-1-2 PENALTY 5
64.	C	The batter whose name follows the proper batter thus called out.	7-1-1 PENALTY 4
65.	D	A, B, & C	7-1-1
66.	B	The batter is awarded first base.	7-3-4 PENALTY, 8-1-1c
67.	A	The runner is out.	7-3-5 PENALTY

68.	C	Since there was no possible play for the catcher, there is no interference. Play continues.	7-3-5c
69.	D	B and C.	7-3-5c PENALTY
70.	D	A, B, and C	7-3-5c PENALTY
71.	D	Both A & B.	8-2-5 PENALTY
72.	C	Both A & B.	8-3-3d, f
73.	A	True.	8-2-6j
74.	C	If the runner correctly touches second base as he is advancing to third base on the award, his touching second base corrected his previous infraction of missing the base while returning.	8-2-6l
75.	B	The penalty is ignored if the batter-runner reaches first base and all other runners advance at least one base.	8-1-1e
76.	C	He cannot legally return to the missed base and is subject to being declared out upon proper appeal.	8-2-5
77.	B	All runs that score in advance of the appealed runner and scored prior to the appeal will count.	8-2-6h
78.	D	All of the above.	8-1-1e(1)
79.	A	The runner who is forced to advance shall be declared out.	8-2-8a
80.	D	The following runner is declared out.	8-2-8a
81.	A	All runners and the batter-runner are awarded two bases.	8-3-3c(1), Baserunning Awards Table
82.	A	The runner is declared out as the dive supersedes the obstruction.	8-4-2d
83.	A	Declare the runner out and eject him.	3-3-1n PENALTY, 8-4-2e(1)
84.	A	A throw becomes lodged in an umpire's uniform.	8-3-3c
85.	A	The lead runner is awarded two bases and the following runner is awarded one.	8-3-3c(3)
86.	C	All umpires have left the confines of the field at the conclusion of the game.	10-1-2
87.	B	False.	10-2-2
88.	A	First Base.	Base Awards Table
89.	D	play is to start or be resumed and simultaneously calls "Play."	Official NFHS Baseball Signals
90.	D	foul ball, time-out or ball is dead immediately.	Official NFHS Baseball Signals
91.	D	a strike or an out.	Official NFHS Baseball Signals
92.	D	First, second, third and then home plate before there are three outs to end the inning.	9-1-1
93.	D	The number of times he batted, the runs he scored and the base hits he made.	9-3-1
94.	D	Determining whether a batter-runner's advance to first base was the result of an error or a base hit.	9-2-2
95.	A	True.	9-2-2
96.	D	The times he put out a batter or runner, the times he assisted a teammate in putting out a runner, and the number of errors he committed.	9-5-1
97.	D	All the above.	9-5-2
98.	D	When he advances a base without the aid of a base hit, a putout, a fielding error or fielder's choice.	9-4-1

99.	D	The batter who received at least two strikes. If no batter received more than one strike, it is charged to the batter who received the third strike.	9-3-6
100.	B	when two or three players are put out between the time a pitch is delivered and the time the ball next becomes dead or is next in possession of the pitcher in pitching position.	9-5-5