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What are some new rules that would improve your favorite sport or game?



I want to change the rule in volleyball so that you can hit it more than three times. Maybe we could make it four to five times before going over the net. I also think that varsity, junior varsity, and middle school volleyball should only be allowed to play three sets unless it is over time so that we don't wear the players out as much.

Karsen King, 7th, Union Middle, Ms. Honeycutt

The game of football could be improved by making new rules. Kick it to somebody. Throw the ball smoothly. Play fair so no one gets hurt. These new rules will help people not to get hurt.

Jessey Johnson, 2nd, Hilton Elementary, Mrs. Edwards

My favorite sport is softball. If I could change a rule of softball, I would change that it would be a softer ball instead of a hard ball. It is so fun to play! It is fun because you get to run. I also love to play softball because you get to hit a ball.

Molly Jenkins, 2nd, Rock Springs Elementary, Mrs. Charlton

I play a sport that is really fun, basketball. Here are some rules that I would consider. Number one, stay at least two inches away from your opponent. I got my eye blacked last year by a team I was against. Number two, don't be so aggressive. It hurts when you get hit in the head with a basketball! Number three, I think the coach should bring the players fast food. Those are all the rules I think should be allowed.

Chloe Wiggins, 6th, Elydale Middle, Mrs. Yeary

I love to play Guess Who, but a few rule changes would make it even better. One thing I would change is you can't try to guess until there is one person left. I also think it would be great if you could have more than two players. The last rule I would add is you could ask two questions, so you'd have a better chance. With a few new rules Guess Who might just become everyone's favorite game!

Josie Overby, 5th, Weber City Elementary, Mrs. Webb

Have you ever played Pickle Tag? If so, I know you've never played my version. So, it begins with choosing a good location outdoors. Now for my main rule...don't get tagged! Rule number two applies if you get caught. Then you must eat ten pickles. If you get tagged the second time, then everyone gets to throw pickles at you. I hope you liked my way of playing Pickle Tag.

Emalyn Friday, 4th, Miller Perry Elementary, Ms. Jeffers

My favorite game is hide & seek. I would add Nerf guns so the seeker would have to shoot the hiders and the hiders would have to shoot the seeker before the seeker finds them. If one of the hiders gets shot the other one has to do it alone. If one of the seekers gets hit, they're only out for a minute and then they are back in the game. But when the hider gets hit they're out of the game until the round is over.

Brandon Kelly, 6th, Pennington Middle, Ms. Lambert

My favorite sport is basketball. A new rule I would have is no pushing anyone down. Don't throw the ball at anyone's face. Also, don't stand under the hoop.

Payton Williams, 2nd, Nickelsville Elementary, Mrs. Gilmer

If I had the chance to change some rules in the game of my choosing it would be Gau-Gau. My favorite sport is Gau-Gau because it is active and so much fun! In the sport Gau-Gau I would change rules like if a person hits someone standing right outside the Gau-Gau pit, and it bounces back in they would be safe. I would change the rule that states if needed someone may throw in another Gau-Gau ball to expedite the time of the game, to no extra balls in the pit. I would add one more rule and that would be all players will need to have their hands on the wall of the Gau-Gau pit, so you wouldn't need your hand on the wall of the pit.

Caleb Anderson, 7th, Union Middle, Ms. Honeycutt

A rule that would improve my favorite game is that you could take three steps in basketball instead of two.

Gabriel Baumgardner, 7th, Jonesville Middle, Mrs. Brooks

The game of volleyball could be improved by making new rules. Don't worry about winning and have fun. Don't hit people. No fighting for the ball. Have fun playing volleyball with these new rules.

Molly McMurray, 2nd, Hilton Elementary, Mrs. Edwards

My favorite sport is hockey and these are the three rules I would improve. The first rule is how many teams play at one time. It's so boring to have only two teams at one time. So, I made it four. The second rule I would change is instead of a tiny puck, it's a big ball. The last thing I would improve is to play on slippery soap instead of ice. That is all I would change. Doesn't my version of hockey sound fun?

Alena Quental, 4th, Miller Perry Elementary, Ms. Jeffers

My favorite sport is softball. I would make the rule that you can't slide. It could go really bad. Say like somebody is sliding to home and they go too fast. You might hit the fence or something. It would hurt. So, that's the rule I would make.

Holley Jones, 2nd, Rock Springs Elementary, Mrs. Charlton

My favorite sport is football. Football is a fun sport but I think that if you touch a player with one hand, they should be out. Some people like to play football because they get to tackle. I wonder if you couldn't tackle if people would still play.

Ella Long, 6th, Elydale Middle, Mrs. Yeary

Have you ever played Skyrim? Well, here is my twist. First, you can get a wind shear version of every weapon. Next you can be a werewolf, vampire, and lord vampire at the same time. Next you can use the same weapon and you can get more weapon damage. Now here is the question—would you play my version of Skyrim?

Kaiden Croteau, 4th, Miller Perry Elementary, Ms. Jeffers

Musical Hula Hoops would be better if we could pick the song. For 2 rounds we can have 2 people in the hula hoops. For the very last round, all of the students that aren't playing vote on who will win.

Ava Parker, 6th, Pennington Middle, Ms. Lambert

My favorite sport is football. Two rules I would make would be no stepping on other players' cleats and always saying the Pledge of Allegiance at every game. I think that these rules would improve football games.

Jonathan Calhoun, 2nd, Nickelsville Elementary, Mrs. Gilmer

If I had an option to make a rule in wrestling it would be no timed matches. The reason is when you are timed in a match you feel more stressed and prone to making mistakes. I would be able to focus more on strategies. It would also help because you have a little longer to just take a minute to breathe.

Chad Gentry, 7th, Union Middle, Ms. Honeycutt

The game of softball could be improved by making new rules. If you get a popup, make sure you put your other hand on the ball. If another person makes a good play, say good job. If a person gets hurt, give them a pat. These rules will make softball more fun.

Maylee Hall, 2nd, Hilton Elementary, Mrs. Edwards

My favorite sport is volleyball. Even though its rules make it fun, new rules sound fun, too. Different court rotation would be fun or different ways to hit or serve the ball. If I could rearrange the rules, I would add those two rules. I wonder if that would make the game even more fun.

Madelyn Wires, 6th, Elydale Middle, Mrs. Yeary

In Roblox they should make a rule that won't let people say mean things to people. It should not let the message send or mark out the words because it can hurt people's feelings. Even if it's a joke, they should not let people bully others. Even if they get banned on it they can make another account. They should fix that too so if people get banned they can't get back on it until after 1 month but they should still have to make another account.

Margaret Hartsock, 6th, Pennington Middle, Ms. Lambert

My favorite sport is soccer. Face covering would be a great idea for when the ball hits your face.

Blake Starr, 2nd, Nickelsville Elementary, Mrs. Gilmer