

BANTAM GAME STRATEGIES

This list represents the game plays (strategy) all bantam players should be able to execute. Every player must know their own responsibility, both offensively and defensively for every play.

DEFENCE

BASIC POSITIONING - Normal depth - Sacrifice depth - Double play depth
- Infield in - Infield deep

1. SACRIFICE BUNT
 - Runner on 1st
 - Runner on 2nd or 1st & 2nd
2. STEAL PLAYS
 - Straight steal
 - Delayed steal
 - Double steal
3. HIT & RUN
4. RUN DOWN PLAY
5. DELAYED DOUBLE STEAL (1st & 3rd)
 - Status Quo option
 - Pitcher option
 - 3rd base option
 - Cut-off options
6. PICK-OFF PLAY
 - At 1st base
 - At 3rd base
7. QUICK PICK
 - AT 3RD
 - AT 1ST
8. HOLD RUNNER AT 3RD
 - Infield out
 - Walk
9. CUT-OFF PLAY - 3RD BASE
 - Single to right
 - Single to center
 - Fly Ball to right & center
10. CUT-OFF PLAY - HOME
 - Single to right
 - Single to center
 - Single to Left
 - Fly ball to any field
11. RELAY PLAYS - HOME
 - Right field line
 - Right-center
 - Left center
 - Left field line
12. SQUEEZE PLAYS
 - Suicide squeeze
 - Safety squeeze

SPECIAL DEFENCES

- | | | |
|-----|-----------------------|---------------------|
| 13. | OVERSHIFT | - LEFT |
| | | - RIGHT |
| 14. | 5 MAN INFIELD | - Right hand batter |
| | | - Left hand batter |
| 15. | SPECIAL BUNT DEFENCES | - Second base in |
| | | - Outfielder in |