

Base Ball

The New York game of baseball as defined by the 1857 convention of the National Association of Base Ball Players

- Base
- Ball-Paces
- Ball-Stock
- Bandy-Wicket
- Base
- Old Fashioned Base Ball
- Baste Ball
- Bunting
- Cat-and-Bat
- Chermary
- Cluich an Tighe
- Cuck-ball
- Cudgel
- Dutch Long
- Gate-ball
- Giftball
- Goal Ball
- Homebillets
- Jellal
- Kit-Cat
- La Batonet
- Lapla
- Long Ball
- Long Town
- Massachusetts Game
- Oina
- Palant
- Patch Baseball
- Pellet
- Philadelphia Town Ball
- Round Ball
- Round Town (Round Town Ball)
- Rounders - Britain
- Rounders - Hungary
- Rownes
- Run-Around
- Schlagball
- Single-Wicket Cricket
- Soak Ball
- Spellinn
- Squares
- Stones
- Stonyhurst Cricket
- Stoolball
- Thor-ball
- Three-Base Ball
- Theque
- Tip-Cat
- Town Ball
- Two-Base Town Ball
- Unnamed Game - Balkans
- Unnamed Game - Czech
- Unnamed Game - Hungarian
- Wicket
- Balle au Camp
- Cat i' The Hole
- Cerkelspelen
- Cora
- Kersa
- Palm Ball (Slap Ball)
- Pize Ball
- Poisoned Ball
- Tut-Ball
- Bam Ball (House Ball)
- Feeder
- Munshets
- One O' Cat
- One, Two, Three
- Balloon
- Cashhornie
- Cat
- Evansville Townball
- Gull-Danda
- Hoina
- Homie-Holes (Kittie-Cat)
- Kibel and Nerspel
- Norr and Spell
- Northern Spell
- Sky-Ball
- Tip-e-Up
- Trap Ball
- Tribet
- Trippit and Coit (Trippets, Trip-Cat)
- Trounce-Ball
- Aipuni
- Dodgeball
- Doutee Stool
- Egg-Hat
- Hat Ball
- Kappenspiel
- Monday, Tuesday
- Nine Holes
- Petjeball
- Bandy
- Bat-Ball
- Batton
- Bittle-Battle
- Buff-Ball
- Bull Pen
- Cat's Pallet
- Club-ball
- Corner Ball
- Crekettes
- Drive
- Gidigadie
- Hand-in-Hand-out
- Hook-em-sniivy
- Knattleikar
- Old Grope
- Poltopallo
- Ricketts
- Touch-Ball
- Touch-the-Base
- Tripbal
- Up-Ball
- Whirt

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Safe-haven games featuring running among bases, a bat, pitching, and two distinct teams

Kickball Family
Safe-haven games featuring running among bases, pitching, and two distinct teams (but no batting)

Scrub Family
Safe-haven games featuring running among bases, pitching, and a bat (but no teams)

Fungo Family
Games featuring batting/hitting (but no baserunning)

Hat Ball Family
Games featuring baserunning and/or plugging (but no batting)

Hook-em-sniivy Family
Games for which the rules of play are not known

Predecessors
Safe-haven games that predated baseball

Pre-1857 Rule Sets

- 1845 Knickerbocker Rules:
 - three bases and a home plate
 - outs recorded on the fly and on the bound
 - three outs per side
 - ball pitched, not thrown
 - tag outs, force outs and no plugging
 - foul ground
- 1854 Rules Revision:
 - First player to bat in an inning is the player who follows the player who made the third out in the previous inning

Derivatives
Safe-haven games that followed baseball

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Modern Rule Sets

- 1857 Rules:
 - nine innings to a game
 - bases set at 30 yards
 - pitching distance set at forty-five feet
 - three strikes and you're out
 - no advancing or scoring on a foul ball
- 1858 Rules:
 - Umpire allowed to call strikes on the batter
- 1860 Rules:
 - Batter's box introduced
- 1863 Rules:
 - Umpire allowed to call balls
- 1865 Rules:
 - Fair balls must be caught on the fly; foul balls can still be caught on the bound

- American Cricket
- Aqeolyedi
- Beep Baseball
- Bo-Ball
- Brannboll (Brennball)
- Burn Ball
- Diamond Ball
- Dully
- German Ball Game
- German Baseball
- Howland Rounders
- Indoor Baseball
- Irish Rounders
- Kitten Ball
- Kopfspeel
- Lahden Mailaveikot
- Long Dutch
- Novaball
- Old Hundred
- Om El Mahag
- One-Three-One-One
- Pesapallo
- Philadelphia Bat Ball
- Playground Ball
- Podex
- Prelleries
- Roundries
- Sixteen-Inch Softball (No-Glove Softball)
- Slavonic Long Ball
- Socky
- Softball
- Spoonie Hoosie
- Stickball
- Stub One
- Toumoi
- Tradgy
- Trunket
- Vigoro
- Waggles (Whacks)
- Welsh Baseball
- Ball and Bases
- Balyagu
- Beezy
- Boston Ball
- German Bat Ball
- Hit the Stick
- Kick the Ball
- Kickball
- Matball (Big Base)
- Off-the-Wall
- Pie-Ball
- Punchball
- Ins and Withs
- Kick the Can
- Kick the Wicket
- Move-Up
- Rotation
- Rounds
- Scrub
- Workup

- Box Baseball
- Bunt
- Cat-and-Dog (Cat and Doug)
- Catch a Fly
- Corkball
- Curb-Ball
- Five Hundred
- Flip Up
- Flys-Are-Up (Flies Up)
- Fungo
- Fuzz-Ball
- Grutz
- Half-Rubber (Half-Ball)
- Halfball
- Hit the Bat
- Indian Ball
- Kichke-Pale
- Knock-Out
- Line Ball
- Over-the-Line
- Peanut Baseball
- Pepper
- Pingball
- Pitching-In
- Strike Up and Lay Down
- Strike-Out
- Tire-Ball
- Twenty-One
- Wiffleball
- Wireball
- Call Ball
- Catch-Ball
- Hole-Ball
- Kekivar
- King's Play (Cluich an Righ)
- Nations
- Retenido
- Roley Poley
- Sockball
- Wible-Wobble

- Ball Stand
- Base Dodge Ball
- Gi-Gi Ball
- Kuningsapallo
- Mickey
- Norwegian Ball
- Pitkapallo
- Square Ball
- Swede Ball
- Tabeh
- Whoop