STUDENT RESPONSE PACKET **BASEBALL**

NAME DATE

WHAT TO DO

The following questions will help you to have a greater appreciation and understanding of baseball. Write your answers in the spaces below the questions. If there is not enough room, write on the backs of these sheets. Be neat, spell correctly, and write in complete sentences.

1. Baseball is often identified as the great American sport, yet it didn't begin in America. How and where did this game originate?

2. What are some of the physical benefits to be gained from playing baseball?

3. What are "farm teams" and how are they used?

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4. How many people make up a typical baseball team and what positions do they play?

5. What is a “single”? What is a “double”?

6. When does a “ball” occur?

7. How is a good slide into a base performed?

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8. Why is the pitcher considered the most important defensive player on the team?

9. Name at least four factors involved in performing a good throw.

10. What would be the effects of a baseball strike?

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