

## San Ramon Valley Little League

## **Learning Objectives - FARM**

- Learn the fundamentals of how to hold, aim and throw a ball
  - 4 Seam Grip
  - Glove to the target
  - Shoulders in-line with the target
  - Throwing elbow up
  - Follow through!
- Learn the fundamentals of fielding ground balls with emphasis on proper stance and glove position
  - Athletic stance, getting low with posterior back
  - Triangle position
  - Glove out
- Learn the fundamentals of catching fly balls with emphasis on moving to the ball location and proper glove and hand position
  - $\circ~$  Holds glove out in front, hands make an "L", fingers to the sky
  - No basket catches
- Learn the fundamentals of hitting stance and swing
  - Athletic stance, keep the weight back
  - Eyes on the ball
  - Swing using the trunk, not just hands
- Learn the fundamentals of base running
  - Stopping at the base vs all the way through (1B/Home, 2B/3B)
  - $\circ~$  Eyes on the play learn when to hold