

Long Lead Steal Defense – Situation where runner at 1st base has long lead with runner at 3rd

1. Pitcher comes set
 2. Runner at 1st has a huge lead (Call Too Far!)
 3. Pitcher steps off and checks runner at 3rd base.
 4. Stop runner at 3rd, a RHP turns to his right and throws to 2B who walks into baseline from position.
 5. 2B jogs runner back to 1st base while looking at runner at 3rd base.
 6. Pitcher backs up home on the 1b side
- *If the pitcher catches the runner too far off 3rd base but less than half way, he can jog towards the runner holding the ball up forcing the runner back to 3rd.*
 - *If the runner is breaking hard to home 3rd baseman should yell “four, four, four!”.*