

ALL RULES SUBJECT TO CHANGE	Small Ball
Game Length	36 Minutes
Rim Height	6.5'
Ball Size	27.5"
Coaches	Coaches are permitted full access on the court
Jewelry	Not Permitted New Earrings May be Worn with Tape Covering
Periods/Sub Cadence	9 Minute Quarters Running Clock In-Game Clock Stops for 1 Minute During Substitutions Boys: Substitutions Every 3 Minutes Girls: Substitutions Every 4.5 Minutes Coaches Assist with Matchups No Timeouts No Halftime
Playing Time	Playing Time Must be Equally Distributed Participants Must Play 1 Shift Every Quarter General Playing Time will be 12-18 Minutes Per Game
Start of Game	Coin Toss
Shot Clock	No - Intentionally Running Out Clock Not Allowed
Switch Baskets	Yes
Defense	Man to Man - No Double Teaming No Zone Defense
Press	Not Allowed - Half Court Defense Only Defense Must Full Back After Loss of Possession Defense Must Allow Offense to Bring Ball Across Halfcourt
Back Court Violation	NO
3 Second Rule	On Offense - Not Enforced On Defense - Not Enforced if Staying with Man
Blocked Shots	Defenders May Not Block Shots
Stealing	Defenders May Not Steal the Ball from a Dribbling Player Passes or Tipped Balls May Be Intercepted
Tie-Up/Jump Ball	Possession Arrow
Traveling	Traveling and Double Dribbling Loosely Enforced Reminders and Instruction Given
Fouls	Fouls Called for Shooting, Reach-In, Unnecessary Physical Play All Result in New Possession Out of Bounds May Incorporate Free Throws if Teams Abuse the Rule
Out of Bounds	Loosely Enforced
3-Point Shot	NO
Inbound Passes	Defender Must Allow Successful Inbound Pass