



3v3 Basketball Rules – 2/3 Grade Division

Court	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The playing area is a half regulation court (full court style, 2 baskets)
Court Monitor (league staff/volunteer)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 2 referees per court - volunteer
Initial possession	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Initial possession will be to the guests. Alternate possessions at each period change
Scoring	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 2 points for all made baskets (No 3-point line)
Game Duration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Four 8-minute quarters. Sub on the 4's. Clock runs continuously. No timeouts.
Overtime	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● No overtime
Free Throws	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Everyone except the shooter will stand near the half court ● Possession changed after free throw taken <p><i>(Example: Offense shoots free throw then defense gets ball no matter make/miss)</i></p>
<p>Fouls</p> <p>Procedure: If Defensive foul, team foul recorded by monitor and offensive team continues possession.</p> <p>If offensive foul, team foul recorded by monitor and defense gets possession.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Shooting fouls are considered common team fouls ● Shooting fouls result in 2 shots ● Teams will shoot one-and-one free throws after the 7th team foul of the half ● Teams will shoot two free throws after the 10th team foul of the half ● Technical fouls will result in 2 shots, and player will sit for the remainder of the half
Possession following a successful goal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Defensive team must pick up offense at the designated line to allow offense time to set up ● Inbound player cannot dribble and must pass ball in to begin possession
Fast Break and Steal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Steal allowed on the pass, not the dribble. ● Fast break allowed on a steal or loose ball. ● No fast break after a shot attempt.
...following a jump ball situation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Follow the possession arrow
Substitutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Will follow the substitution chart provided ● Four 8-minute quarters. Sub on the 4's
<p>Notes:</p> <p>Teams must always initiate action no matter the score. Teams that attempt to run the clock and hold the ball will be penalized and forced to give up possession of the ball. Players must hustle at all times to provide the maximum amount of playing time for everyone. No double teaming.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Man-to-man defense only, when a screen is set on the defensive player, the defensive team has the option to “switch” or “roll-out” with the offensive player. The defense must switch back. ● Injuries: if a player is injured during play, the player may be substituted for the next player on the rotation.
Basketball Size	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 27.5-inch ball
Basket Height	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 9-ft basket