JSSATIS Basketball Regulations 2020

BASKETBALL RULES- Year 3/4 Basketball Competition

- A. Size 5 basketball shall be used.
- B. The height of the basketball ring will be the normal height of the ring in gym used.
- C. The penalty free throw line shall be from the stadium's designated line. If students are struggling to make the distance the referee can move them forward to a closer line.
- D. Match consists of 2 x 20-minute halves and a 2-minute half-time break.
- E. The time clock will not stop for the duration of game time.
- F. Only one time-out per half is allowed 1 minute for time outs and the clock does not stop. No timeout allowed in the last 3 minutes of either half.
- G. It is encouraged that all players shall receive equal court time.
- H. Any team leading by 10 points or more must withdraw their defence behind the halfway line.
- I. Any team leading by 20 points or more must withdraw their defence behind the three point line.
- J. The three second violation in the key shall be extended to 5 seconds (only applies while the player's team has possession). Educate the players on this if you must call this.
- K. Back court will not be enforced for these age groups.
- L. No finals series for these competitions.
- M. Three pointers will *not* apply to these age groups.
- N. Scores are not kept on the scoreboard and should be kept by each team. If a school wishes to keep score on the scoreboard then both sides must agree to this before the start of the game.
- O. Umpires in this competition are "facilitators" and should aim to educate the players on the rules/skills of the game of basketball. Using common sense, consistency and referee's discretion is important in the JSSATIS Basketball roster.

BASKETBALL RULES- Year 5/6 Basketball Competition

- A. A size 6 basketball shall be used.
- B. The height of the basketball ring will be the normal height of the ring in the gym used.
- C. The penalty free throw line shall be from the stadium's designated line.
- D. Match consists of 2 x 20-minute halves and a 2-minute half-time break.
- E. The time clock will not stop for the duration of game time. (There will be a 2-minute half-time break)
- F. Only one time-out per half is allowed 1 minute for time outs and the clock does not stop. No timeout allowed in the last 3 minutes of either half.
- G. It is encouraged that all players shall receive equal court time.
- H. Any team leading by 10 points or more must withdraw their defence behind the halfway line.
- I. Any team leading by 20 points or more must withdraw their defence behind the three point line.
- J. The three second violation in the key shall be extended to 5 seconds (only applies while the player's team has possession). Educate the players on this if you must call this.
- K. Back court will be enforced for these age groups. Educate the players on this if you must call this.
- L. No finals series for these competitions.
- M. Three pointers WILL apply to these age groups.
- N. Scores are not kept on the scoreboard and should be kept by each team. If a school wishes to keep score on the scoreboard then both sides must agree to this before the start of the game.
- O. Umpires in this competition are "facilitators" and should aim to educate the players on the rules/skills of the game of basketball. Using common sense, consistency and referee's discretion is important in the JSSATIS Basketball roster.

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