

State Tech Basketball Rules

(Kindergarten & First Grade)

1. Jerseys must be purchased at the Activity Front Desk. Cost is \$10. If a family purchased one for previous seasons it will be the same jersey.
2. All games are played 3 versus 3, Half Court.
3. Eight Foot Goals are used.
4. Ball Size - Either a Youth or Women's (28.5) size ball will be used.
5. Game consists of four - eight minute quarters. Coaches will keep game time. The clock runs continuously, unless there is a player injury, at which time the clock may stop at the coaches discretion.
6. *Coaches are on the court and will officiate the game.*
7. Score is not kept.
8. A player cannot foul out, however rough play is not allowed.
9. Man to Man defense only! No double teaming!
10. There are no team time outs.
11. Three seconds in the lane is not enforced.
12. Games start with a jump ball at the free throw lane.
13. When a change of possession occurs the team gaining possession must dribble or pass the ball (without pressure) past the three point line and checked with the opposing team before play will begin.
14. After checking the ball, the player with the ball must pass to a team mate. A player cannot dribble or shoot to start play. As **previously mentioned play cannot start without the team with possession "checking" the ball in first.**
15. The defense must allow the first pass to be made as long as it is outside the lane. Any first pass made in the lane may result in a turnover.
16. Colored Wristbands will be given to teams to prior to each game. Coaches will use these during the game. All players on the court must have a wristband on to help identify who players are to defend while playing since numbers are not on back on the uniforms. Coaches please turn in the wristband immediately following your game to the gym supervisor (Bryn Boeckman).
17. Jewelry may not be worn during the game.
18. Each player must play equal time (at least two quarters per game).
19. No games will be rescheduled unless the cancellation is due to the weather.