

# **GMAYBB Fall League 5on5 Rules**

(3on3 Teams: see 3on3 Rules)  
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The GMAYBB Fall League will use high school basketball rules modified by the following:

**GAME TIME:** Each game will consist of four 6-minute, stop-clock quarters, with the clock stopping on all dead balls. If the score differential is 15 or more points in the last two minutes of the fourth quarter, then the clock will not stop except for injury or time-out.

**HALFTIME:** Halftime will be five minutes.

**TIME-OUTS:** Each team will have two full time-outs per half. Unused time-outs cannot be carried over in the second half or overtime periods.

**OVERTIME:** If a game ends with a tie score, the teams will play a two-minute stop-clock overtime period, with the clock stopping on any dead ball. The overtime period begins with a jump ball at center court. Each team will have one time-out. If the game is still tied at the end of the overtime period, then the game will begin a sudden-death period. The sudden-death period begins with a jump ball at center court. Each team will have one time-out in the sudden death overtime period. The first team to score any combination of two points will be the winner

- ONE FREE-THROW WILL NOT WIN THE GAME IN THE SUDDEN-DEATH OVERTIME PERIOD.
- TWO points must be scored to win in the sudden-death overtime period.
- This is NOT, “win by two,” rather it is “first team to score two points” (or more than two points).

**SCOREKEEPING:** Each team will provide one person to keep either the game clock or the scorebook.

**GAME BALL:** Each team will provide the referee with a game ball; the referee will then decide which ball will be used for the game. Official Size game ball will be used for Boys Teams, Grades 4 and higher; Intermediate Size (Women’s, size 28.5) will be used for all Girls Teams, and Boys Teams, Grades 4 and younger.

**UNIFORMS:** Each team must come with a light and dark jersey. The visiting team (listed 2<sup>nd</sup> on the schedule) should change jerseys if a color conflict exists.

**FACILITIES:** Coaches are responsible to make sure their players, parents, and spectators follow the gym rules and respect the property at all facilities. All players and spectators are to remain in the gyms except when entering, exiting, or using the restrooms.

**SPORTSMANSHIP:** In the interest of the game, the participants, and everyone involved, there will be increased discipline and zero tolerance against game disruption, violence, and verbal abuse – NO ONE WILL BE EXCLUDED FROM THIS POLICY. Violent behavior by player, coach, or spectator is grounds for dismissal from the event.