



2024 Rule Change Summary

Basketball 3x3

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| Old Formatting | See date change at footer to reflect September 2024 |
| <p>3.3.4 Undershirts, if worn, must match the color of the body of the uniform and must be identical in color, or white. Undershirts may be worn by some or all of the players, and may be short sleeve or tank top. (No cut or ragged edges are allowed) All numbers are to be per NGB specifications.</p> | <p>CHANGE/ADD:</p> <p>3.4.3 Undershirts, if worn, must match the color of the body of the uniform and must be identical in color, or white. Undershirts may be worn by some or all of the players, and may be short sleeve or tank top (no cut or ragged edges are allowed). All numbers are to be per NGB specifications.</p> <p>3.4.4 Head Coverings: Head coverings are permitted but should adhere to the FIBA rules.</p> <p>3.4.4.1 It shall meet the same safety standards as for a medical head covering. Head coverings must be of a single, solid color unadorned.</p> <p>3.4.5 Individuals who do not adhere to uniform regulations will not be allowed to enter a game.</p> |
| <p>3.5.2 There will be a running clock applied until the final minute of regulation play. During this time, the clock will stop for all dead ball situations (e.g., fouls, violations, field goals with fouls, and timeouts).</p> | <p>CHANGE:</p> <p>3.5.2 There will be a stop clock applied. The clock will stop for all dead ball situations (e.g., fouls, violations, field goals with fouls, and timeouts).</p> |
| <p>3.5.7 The game will start with a flip of a coin for possession. The team that wins the coin flip decides whether it takes the ball or leave it, in order to get in potential overtime.</p> <p>There is no jump ball. All jump balls situations, the ball shall be awarded to the defensive team.</p> | <p>CHANGE:</p> <p>3.5.7 The game will start with a flip of a coin for possession. The team that wins the coin flip decides whether it takes the ball or leave it, in order to get in potential overtime. There is no jump ball.</p> |



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| <p>All jump balls will be administered by alternate possession, starting with the team that wins the flip of the coin.</p> | |
| | <p>DELETE:</p> <p>3.6.6 If a player is fouled in the act of shooting and makes the basket, the field goal is credited and the offended against team also retains possession of the ball.</p> |
| <p>3.6.7 A violation has occurred when the defense who has just gained possession of the ball attempts a field goal without taking it back behind the foul line extended. If a shot is attempted by the defense after a gained possession without taking it back to the arc, the possession returns to the offense as a dead ball and will need to be inbounded from the behind of the arc / top of the key.</p> | <p>CHANGE:</p> <p>3.6.6 A violation has occurred when the defense who has just gained possession of the ball attempts a field goal without taking it back behind the arc. If a shot is attempted by the defense after a gained possession without taking it back to the arc, the possession returns to the offense as a dead ball and will need to be checked from beyond the arc at the marked 'X' for checked ball restart.</p> <p>*Added Check Ball Restart Diagram*</p> |
| | <p>ADD:</p> <p>3.6.10 No coaching to players on the court. Coaching is allowed to all players on the bench, during timeouts, to substitutions, and player's sitting on the bench.</p> |
| | <p>ADD:</p> <p>3.9.2 It is required that athletes and Unified partners are of similar age and similar ability. For more information on similar age and ability, please see Sport Rules Article 1 Section 14.1.2</p> |
| <p>4.2.3 A shorter basket which has its ring 2.44 meters (8 ft) above the floor may be used for junior division competition.</p> | <p>CHANGE: 4.2.3 A shorter basket which has its ring 2.60 meters (8.5 ft) above the floor may be used for junior division competition.</p> |



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