

1st and 2nd Grade Basketball Rules

- All players must reside in P.G. or Red Lick School District, or player must attend the aforementioned schools and be a member of PGYA.
- Coaches must have in their possession, signed medical releases for each player at all practices and games. Registration fees are required on the day of registration. All players must have medical insurance.
- Practices, a maximum of one hour each, will be in the elementary gym. A signup sheet will be posted in the gym and practices will be on a first come first serve basis.
- Games will consist of four six minute quarters. There will be one minute between quarters and five minutes between halves.
- Each team will be allowed one timeout per quarter.
- The clock will be stopped only for time outs, free throws, injuries, official's time outs and ball lost out of bounds.
- All players will be given equal playing time. Players must play in each half. If unequal playing time, the game may continue but will be counted as a forfeit.
- If a player becomes injured at any point during the game he/she may be replaced by any player. If a player fouls out, he/she must be replaced by a player who has the least amount of time.
- All players must have at least one scoring opportunity per half. The same person cannot start with the ball at every possession.
- Coaches, parents, spectators or players who display actions or attitudes which disrupt the smooth and orderly running of the game will be removed from the gym. A PGYA board member or referee has the right to remove fans or coaches. Game may be forfeited by action of the PGYA board (1st-warning, 2nd-Technical, 3rd-Removal).
- Players will be allowed to shoot free throws from a distance of 11' as marked on the floor.
- Offensive teams are set up at half court. Defensive players must stay behind the white line until the ball has crossed the mid court line.
- One on one bonus will be shot on the sixth team foul.
- Intentional fouls will result in two free throws and possession of the ball.
- Home team will provide one bookkeeper for the game in which they are playing.
- The National Federation of High School Basketball Rules Book will outline any rules not covered herein.
- Each player will shoot 2 free throws during half time. If one team has fewer players present, then that team will be given additional free throws equal to the number of free throws taken by the team with more players. The additional free throws are to be taken by the players who have scored the least points in the first half of the game.
- No body part over the line until the ball hits the rim.
- Two coaches are allowed on the bench with the players.
- Strictly man-to-man defense (no zone). At the start of each period, coaches will assign players to guard other players. These players must stay with their assigned players.

- Defensive players cannot stray more than six feet (continuously) from their assigned player to gain a defensive advantage (sagging rule).
- Picks can be set with one person. Picks must be at least six feet apart. No double picks (side by side).

Draft Rules:

Each team will have a head coach with his/her child or relative (i.e. sister, brother, niece, nephew, grandson, granddaughter, etc.) as their automatic. Numbers will be drawn at the beginning of each draft to assign the order in which the teams will be drafted. All teams will be allowed a first round draft pick. Coaches having more than one child are allowed a first round draft pick and the second child will be counted as their second pick. The draft will be an “S” (snake) draft.

	Coach A	Coach B	Coach C	Coach D
	Child	Child 1	Child	Child
1	→	→	→	→
2	←	← Child 2 (no pick this round)	←	←
3	→	→	→	→
4	←	←	←	←