

DODGEBALL

1. Games will be played on a basketball court by teams of 6 players each. Five balls will be used for the game.
2. The format will be best two of three games. A time limit of seven minutes per game. If an equal number of players from each team remain in play after the seven minute time limit, sudden death starts. The first team to lose a player will lose the game.
3. Upon being hit by a ball, the out player must remove their jersey and stand in the designated area until the end of the game. The team with the last player "standing" will be declared the winner and advances to the next round of the tournament.
4. Players can use a ball to defensively deflect an incoming attack.
5. Players can not catch a ball while holding a ball. A player attempting to catch the ball while holding another will be out.
6. If a player catches a ball thrown by a player of the opposing team, the thrower is out.
7. An official can warn players holding the ball for extended periods of time to "get rid of the ball". After that warning, the official will initiate a 10 second count for the player to get rid of the ball. After that 10 second count, if the player does not released the ball they are out.
8. All players will be out if they are hit anywhere on the body by a ball that is legally thrown. (exception will be if they are hit in the head)
9. If a player is hit in the head while trying to avoid a throw, they are out. This call is a judgment call by the official.
10. If the ball comes in contact with the ground, ceiling, wall or another person, before striking a player that player is not out.

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- colored pennies (jerseys), dodgeballs