



Tryout Evaluation – Basketball Skill Criteria

Scoring Scale:

4 =Performs Skill at an above average level

3 =Performs Skill at an average level

2 =Performs Skill at a below average level

1 = Not able to perform the skill at the time of tryouts

Teammate/Work Ethic

Always Hustling?

Positive talk to teammates and listening to coach's feedback?

Team player?

Always working hard? Willing to dive on the floor?

Push teammates to get better?

Get teammates involved?

Offensive Skills

Shooting capabilities/effectiveness?

Understand and retain offensive concepts?

Finish shots/lay-ups?

Move well without the ball?

Know how to use and set a screen?

Have moves to get to the basket?

Ability to set up others to score?

Defensive Skills

Understand defensive concepts? (Shell principles, ball pressure, rotations, closeouts, etc...)

Defensive stance?

Play defense with your feet and active hands?

Anticipate and help your teammates on defense?

See man and ball?

Communicate on defense?

Defend screens on and off the ball?

Defensive quickness?

Ball Handling

Efficient ball handler?

Left and right hands?

Head up – Always seeing the court?

See the floor and pass to open teammates on time and on target?

Dribble the ball under pressure?

Mastered basic ball handling moves? (Cross-over, behind the back, spin, between legs, etc)

Can get the ball to certain strategic areas under pressure?

Passing

Willing to make the extra pass?

Proper footwork before and during the pass?

Use the appropriate pass at the right time? (Post passes, skip passes, bounce passes, etc.)

Effectively deliver the ball under pressure and limit turnovers?

Rebounding

Willing to crash the boards on offense and defense?

Rebound with a presence?

Go up and get the ball with two hands?

Box out every time a shot is taken?

Correct decision made after rebound?

Physical Condition

Basketball Shape?

Come to tryouts in good physical condition?

Physical ability to compete at certain high school levels?

- Speed
- Quickness
- Reaction
- Strength

Overall basketball athleticism?