- All Games Will be Played National High School Federation Rules.
- Halftime is 4 minutes long
- Warm-ups are 5 minutes long (minimum)
- Each team is given 3 (45 second) timeouts per game.
- No carryover in overtime.
- Each team is allowed 1 timeout per overtime session.
- A Player can only play on one team in the tournament.
- 10 second backcourt rule will be used.
- 5 second closely guarded rule will be in effect.
- Overtime will last 2 minutes
- On foul shots players are allowed in the lane upon release.
- Bonus will begin on the 8th foul: 1 and 1
- Double Bonus will begin at 11 Fouls: 2 shots
- Personal fouls: 6 per player.

Game Lengths: 2028-2026 14 Minute Halves

2025-2023 16 Minute Halves

Clock Stops on all normal whistles

## 2 Team Tie Breaker

- 1. Head to Head
- 2. Point Differential
- 3. Total Points Against
- 4. Total Points Scored
- 5. System Generated Coin Toss

3 way tiebreaker to determine top seed.

- 1. Point Differential (Maximum of 15 per game)
- 2. Total Points Against
- 3. Total Points Scored
- 4. System Generated Coin Toss

Once top team is determined, 2nd and 3rd will be determined by following the 2 Team Tie Breaker Rules above.

Mercy Rule in the last 8 minutes of the 2nd half only, Clock becomes continuous if the one team is ahead by 20 or more points. If score goes below 20 points, clock stops again on all whistles. Boro will provide a clock operator. The official book will be kept by the Home team.

A Coach must sit after his 1st technical Foul

## The Away Team (Black/Dark color uniform) is 1st/Top of the Schedule or Bracket The Home Team (White/Light color uniform) is 2nd/Bottom of the Schedule or Bracket

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The court referee/officials have final say in all player fouls and or misconduct. Once a

personal, intentional or technical foul is issued any further player misconduct could lead to

an ejection and continued physical altercations after the whistle can be viewed as fighting.

If the first action is deemed excessively violent any parties involved may be suspended.

Fighting will be defined as any deliberate action taken by an individual to cause physical

harm to another player, spectator, coach or official.

If a referee witnesses player(s) engaging in a fight, an immediate ejection can/will follow. An ejection carries a penalty of suspension for the players/parents/coaches involved for the remainder of the tournament. The suspended parties then cannot participate in any more games for the remainder of the weekend as a player, coach or spectator. With regards to the suspended individuals if a second instance of player misconduct follows anywhere inside an event facility, the tournament director has the authority to eject the whole team.

