

**New York State Girls Basketball Officials Association
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1. A1, while in possession of the ball, begins her try. During A1's try and before the ball is released, B2 illegally pushes through A2's screen to defend A1 and is whistled for a foul. A1 continues her try and the ball enters the basket:
 - a) The goal is canceled and A2 is awarded an one-and-one bonus
 - b) The goal is scored and A1 is awarded one free throw
 - c) The goal is scored and A2 is awarded an one-and-one bonus
 - d) The goal is cancelled and A1 is awarded two free throws

2. The shot clock shall be started on a throw-in:
 - a) When the ball is legally touched by a player inbounds
 - b) When a player is legally touched by the ball in bounds
 - c) Only after a player gains possession of the ball
 - d) A and B only

3. All technical fouls apply to the team-foul count
 - a) Correct
 - b) Incorrect

4. One definition of the Bench Area is:
 - a) The outer edge of the sideline to the back of the team bench
 - b) An imaginary line extended from the sideline to the back of the team bench
 - c) The 28 foot line
 - d) All of the above

5. Which of the following are true statements regarding an offensive foul by the ball handler/dribbler?
 - a) The defender must take contact in the middle of the chest
 - b) The offensive player must go through the defender
 - c) The defender must keep her feet still
 - d) None of the above

6. A Resumption of Play warning is to be reported to the official scorer
 - a) Correct
 - b) Incorrect

7. A1 jumps for a try for field goal. B1 jumps to defend against the try and touches the ball such that this touch/capping causes the ball to remain in the player's hand by preventing this airborne player from attempting the try and both players return to the floor with their hands(s) on the ball. The officials shall:
 - a) Call a held ball
 - b) Call a double dribble
 - c) Not call anything
 - d) Call a travel violation

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8. During the opening jump ball, the jumper for A1 tips the tossed ball out of bounds. The following procedure shall be used:
 - a) Award the ball to Team B at mid court and set the alternating possession arrow for Team B when the official hands B1 the ball.
 - b) Award the ball to Team B at a designated spot nearest to the violation occurred and set the alternating possession arrow for Team B when the official hands B1 the ball
 - c) Award the ball to Team B at a designated spot nearest to where the violation occurred and set the alternating possession arrow for Team A when the official hands B1 the ball
 - d) Award the ball to Team B at a designated spot nearest to where the violation occurred and set the alternating possession arrow for Team A when the throw-in ends
 - e) Award the ball to Team B at a designated spot nearest to where the violation occurred and set the alternating possession arrow for Team B when the throw in ends.

9. After a goal by Team B, Team A is awarded the ball for a throw-in along the end line. Before the throw-in ends, A2 fouls B2 at mid court. The officials shall:
 - a) Award the ball to Team B at the location of the original throw-in and allow Team B to run the end line
 - b) Award the ball to Team B for a designated spot throw-in nearest to where the team-control found occurred
 - c) Award the ball to Team B for a designated spot throw-in on the end line
 - d) Award the ball to Team B under the alternating-possession procedure
 - e) None of the above

10. During the opening jump ball, jumper A1 catches the tossed ball
 - a) Violation on A1. Team B gets the ball for a designated spot throw-in at the division line. The arrow will be set towards Team B's basket.
 - b) Violation on A1. Team B gets the ball for a designated spot throw-in at the division line. The arrow will be set towards Team A's basket.
 - c) Re-administer the opening jump
 - d) Legal, play continues.

11. A1's throw-in hits an official who is on the court. After the ball hits the official, A1 enters the court and is the first to touch the ball.
 - a) Legal, play continues
 - b) Throw-in violation on A1
 - c) Technical foul on A1

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12. A1 is lying on the floor trying to secure a loose ball when she gathers the ball between her feet and squeezes it up toward her hands to gain control. Right after A1 secures control, B1 ties up the ball.
- Kicking violation on A1
 - Traveling violation on A1
 - Held ball; use the alternating possession arrow to resume play
 - Legal, play continues
13. A double personal foul occurs in the lane while A1's unsuccessful try is in flight. The try does not hit the rim.
- Award the ball to Team A with the un-expired time on the shot clock
 - Award the ball to the team entitled to the alternating possession arrow. If the arrow favors Team A, the shot clock remains with the un-expired time.
 - Award the ball to the team entitled to the alternating possession arrow, with a reset of the shot clock.
 - Award the ball to Team B with a new 30 second shot clock.
14. Which of the following statements are NOT true regarding bench personnel being beckoned on to the floor to attend to an injured player?
- The player may remain in the game if she is ready to play within 20 seconds.
 - The player may remain in the game if she is ready to play by the end of a timeout requested by her team.
 - The player may be replaced with a substitute.
 - If a substitute is not provided by the end of the 20-second replacement interval, a direct technical foul is assessed to the head coach
 - None of the above; all statements are true.
15. The 3rd quarter ends the official timer will start to time the intermission. After the warning horn sounds, the assistant coach informs the scorer of two substitutes.
- The official shall not allow the substitutes because the assistant coach cannot make the substitutions.
 - The official shall not allow the substitutions because it is after the warning horn
 - The official shall allow the substitutions.
16. The timer shall:
- At the end of the 1st and 3rd quarters, set the clock for 1-minute. Then sound the warning horn with 15 seconds remaining. Then sound the final horn at the end of the 1-minute.
 - At the end of the 2nd quarter, set the clock for 10 minutes. Then sound the warning horn with 15 seconds remaining. Then the final horn at the end of the 10 minutes.
 - At the end of the 4th quarter and the score is tied; the timer shall put 1 minute on the clock and sound the warning horn with 15 seconds left and the final horn at the end of the 1 minute
 - All of the above

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17. To establish an initial legal guarding position on the player with the ball:
- a) The guard must have at least one foot on the playing court.
 - b) The guard must have two feet on the playing court.
 - c) The guard's torso does not have to face her opponent.
 - d) All of the above
18. A1 throws the ball inbounds, B1 who is on the playing court, hits the ball back to A1 who is still out of bounds. A1 catches the ball.
- a) The ball is out of bounds on A1; therefore, Team B will get the ball for a throw-in.
 - b) Since A1 was never on the court, B1 caused the ball to go out of bounds and Team A will get the ball for a throw-in.
 - c) Both A1 and B1 were responsible for the ball being out of bounds. Therefore, the alternate possession arrow will be used.
19. Illegal activity on the ball handler/dribbler is when:
- a) A defender places a hand on the ball handler/dribbler and keeps it on
 - b) The defender contacts the ball handler/dribbler with an arm bar
 - c) The defender contacts the ball handler/dribbler with one hand and immediately removes that hand and puts the other hand in contact.
 - d) All of the above
20. Which of these combinations result in the disqualification or ejection of a player:
- a) Four personal fouls and a player technical foul.
 - b) Four personal fouls and an administrative technical foul
 - c) A flagrant 1 foul
 - d) All of the above
21. On a throw in in the backcourt, A1 catches the ball with one foot in the frontcourt and the second in the backcourt. The official shall:
- a) Let play continue
 - b) Backcourt violation on A1
 - c) Stop the clock and issue a warning
22. On a jump ball to start the game, jumper's A1 and B1 tap the ball. The ball then hits the floor where B1 was the first to grab the ball:
- a) Violation on B1, someone other than a jumper must touch the ball first.
 - b) Use the alternate-possession arrow to determine which team gets the ball
 - c) Re-jump, since there was no possession
 - d) None of the above

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23. During a 30-second timeout:
- a) Both officials will be standing at mid-court
 - b) One official will be at mid-court and the other will have the ball and be standing where the ball will be taken out.
 - c) Each official will be standing at the top of the key
 - d) Each official will be standing on the blocks.
24. Which is an overtime procedure:
- a) There will be a 3-minute intermission before starting the overtime period.
 - b) Each team will be entitled to 1 additional 30-second time out
 - c) The length of the overtime period shall be 4 minutes
 - d) The teams will change baskets
25. How many free throws are awarded for a flagrant 1 foul?
- a) Two free throws if committed on an unsuccessful two-point try
 - b) Two free throws if committed on a successful two-point try
 - c) Two free throws if committed on a successful three-point try
 - d) All of the above
26. After A1's successful goal falls through the net, but prior to team B retrieving the ball for the throw-in, A2 intentionally bats the ball away from Team B. This is the first time such an action has occurred. What is the result?
- a) A technical foul is assessed to A2
 - b) A technical foul is assessed to Team A
 - c) A delay of game warning is issued to A2
 - d) A delay of game warning is issued to Team A
27. A1 has the ball beyond the three-point line. She throws a pass to A2, who is also beyond the three-point line. B2 tops the pass away and the ball enters team A's basket.
- a) Team A will get three points for the basket.
 - b) Team A will get two points for the basket.
 - c) No points will count since team B put the ball in the wrong basket.
28. A1 shoots at A's basket to attempt a three point field goal. B3 boxes out A3, displacing her. The basket is successful.
- a) Award Team A with three points and charge B3 with a foul
 - b) Award Team A with three points and the foul by B3 is ignored.
 - c) Award Team A with two points and charge B3 with a foul.

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29. On an alternating possession throw in, A1 throws the ball towards A3. B2 reaches out with her foot and kicks the ball before it gets to A3.
- a) Kicking violation, Team A gets the ball for a throw-in and the arrow stays with Team A.
 - b) Kicking violation, Team A gets the ball for a throw-in and the arrow changes to Team B.
 - c) Legal play
30. No time-outs shall be granted:
- a) To the opponents of the throw-in team before the throw-in starts.
 - b) During a free throw once the official bounces the ball to the free thrower and before she touches it.
 - c) To a player or coach when an airborne player's momentum is carrying her out of bounds or in the backcourt.
 - d) All the above

In 31-50, "C" is for correct and "I" is for incorrect.

31. During an interrupted dribble, there shall be no player control and a timeout may not be granted.
- C
I
32. After coming to a stop and establishing a pivot foot, A1 lifts her pivot foot, does not put it down. The official blows the whistle and calls a traveling violation.
- C
I
33. B1 grabs a rebound, and then she excessively swings her elbows, but does not make contact. This is not a violation or foul.
- C
I
34. The home team shall have the choice of benches.
- C
I
35. Playing time for a JV or Varsity contest shall be (4) 8 minute quarters.
- C
I
36. A1's pass in her front court is deflected by B1. The ball rolls into the backcourt where A3 picks it up. This is not a backcourt violation.
- C
I

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37. Team A is wearing white uniforms. A3 is wearing an undershirt that is blue. The official does not allow A3 to play with that tee shirt.
C
I
38. The length of each extra period shall be (5) five minutes.
C
I
39. On a free throw by A1, B1 who is in a marked lane space, steps into the lane. A1 makes her free throw; B1's violation shall be disregarded.
C
I
40. A1 has the ball for a throw-in. She releases the ball onto the court. After the release, but before the ball is touched on the court. The official reaches the 5 second count. The official blows the whistle and calls a 5 second violation.
C
I
41. B1 has the ball for a throw-in on her baseline (in her front court). B1 throws the ball into her backcourt where B2 gets the ball. This is legal play.
C
I
42. A3 has just committed her 5th personal foul in the game. The coach for Team A will be given 20 seconds to replace her.
C
I
43. A3 shoots the ball. The ball misses the rim/flange and backboard. A3 follows her shot and grabs the ball before it hits the floor. Play is allowed to continue.
C
I
44. A1 has the ball in her backcourt. B1 is guarding A1, when B1 places a hand on A1 and keeps it there. This is illegal contact.
C
I
45. A player in control of the ball anywhere on the playing court while holding or dribbling the ball is closely guarded when her opponent is in a guarding stance at a distance not exceeding 3 feet.
C
I

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46. A1 drives the lane when the trail official (who is the umpire) calls a foul. The lead official (who is the referee) may overrule the trail's call if it was incorrect.
C
I
47. During a jump ball, A2 and A3 have adjacent positions around the center circle. B2 wants one of those positions. The official shall not allow B2 the position since A2 and A3 had them first.
C
I
48. A1 has the ball for a throw-in. The head coach of Team B calls for a time-out. The official grants the time-out.
C
I
49. A1 is entitled to a one and one free throw. Before the ball is bounced to A1, Team A's coach is assessed a direct technical foul. Team B will shoot 2 free throws, and then A1 shall attempt the one and one since that was the point of interruption.
C
I
50. A1 is dribbling the ball when she tries to end her dribble by catching the ball with two hands. She fumbles the ball and it rolls away from her. She runs 3 steps and recovers the ball. This is a legal play.
C
I