

FRESHMEN FALL CHAMPIONSHIP: RULES

October 10, 2026 @ Atascocita High School

***ALL SPECTATORS FREE ADMISSION w/ (1) pair of new socks (to be distributed during the upcoming holidays)**

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EACH TEAM MUST SUPPLY: 1 clock keeper (or) 1 score sheet person for each game!

Teams must supply their own balls and towels. NO DUNKING in WARM-UPS

Team listed on LEFT / TOP = HOME and must wear LIGHT TOPS.

(2) 14:00 minute halves. Half Time = 2:00

Clock will run (except for time-outs or injuries)

UNDER 1:00 LEFT IN THE GAME clock will stop on ALL DEADBALLS (unless margin is 10+ pts)

(2) TIME-OUTS per game - 1 full + 1 half (Do carry into Overtime)

OVERTIME is decided by first team to score 4 points

FOULS

6 fouls per player. **10 team fouls = bonus** (1 ft situation only – see below)

If fouled during made basket, 1 point is to be added to the scored field goal.

Ejection for fighting disqualifies the player for the rest of the tournament.

FREE-THROWS

1 attempt per trip. If made, team is granted 2pts (or 3pts if he was fouled while attempting a shot behind the arc).

UNDER 1:00 LEFT IN THE GAME all free throw attempts will be under the normal HS Federation rules (2 attempts or 3 attempts) each made FT = 1pt.

SPEED-UP / "MERCY" RULE

If a team is NOT present at the scheduled game time, **a 10:00 grace period is granted.** Once the grace period ends, 14:00 will be placed on the clock. The present team will be awarded 2pts after each 1:00 which expires on the clock.

If the absent team arrives, they are charged 1 time-out while players prepare to play. The score and time will resume from that moment. If the absent team does not show up by the time the clock reaches 00:00, a FORFEIT is granted to the present team.

GAME WILL CEASE / END, if a team is ahead by...

If team is ahead by (30+) points with 3:00 left in regulation or (20+) points with 2:00 left.