

RAYBA Overview – 2008-2009

	1 & 2	3 & 4	5 & 6	7, 8 & 9
Basket height (feet)	8	9	10	10
# of players	4	5	5	5
Length of game	(8) 5 minute periods	(8) 5 minute periods	(8) 5 minute periods	(4) 7 minute quarters
Free throw distance	12 ft (none at game)	14 ft (Line violation)	15 ft (Line violation)	15 ft (Line violation)
3 pt line	none	19 ft 9 in.	19 ft 9 in.	19 ft 9 in.
Defense	man to man on entire court	Man to man outside 3-pt line	Man to man outside 3-pt line	All Defenses Allowed
Offense	No formal offense	No spread	No spread	All Offenses Allowed
Press	None	None	Girls: Full court press in periods 7 & 8 only Boys: Full court press full game (except 10pt lead.)	Full court press full game (except 10pt lead.)
Playing Time	Even	Even	Even	Even

- Injury or potentially ill player – Prior to game (if possible) – Game time credited to player with most playing time for that period. **Must** put in player with least playing time if replacing player due to injury or illness.
- Player not showing for practice or discipline problem. Must tell other coach and referee prior to game that player will have less playing time and all three will confirm this by talking with the player.
- Man to Man defense is defense within **one and a half** steps from person he is guarding (with some reasonably further distance if person being guarded is near mid-court or side lines). At the discretion of the referee.
- Spread offense – Tough to define. However, if the offense play allows unusual advantage for particularly good ball handlers this may be considered a spread offense (minimum 3 players inside the 3pt line). At the discretion of the referee. Defense is allowed to “sag” more on a wider spread offense.
- Problems: Both coaches talk to the referee.

NO “WORKING” OF THE REFEREE BY PLAYERS or PARNETS or COACHES