# BILL GRIER LEAGUE- RULES
# BOYS AND GIRLS- GRADES 3-4

## GENERAL

(1) All players must play an equal amount of minutes. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
No overtimes will be played.

(2) Each game will consist of four 8-minute quarters with 2-5 minutes between halves.
The clock will only stop on: Foul shots
Last minute of the 4th quarter

(3) Coaches, parents and players must be considerate of the referees. Technicals will be called and players and/or coaches will be penalized.

(4) Coaches are asked to avoid excessive yelling at players. This is an instructional league and the players are still learning the game.

(5) One full time out is allowed. **(during the second half only)**

## OFFENSE

(1) Fastbreaks are allowed.

(2) No three-point baskets are allowed.

(3) Violations such as double dribbles, traveling and three seconds will be called.
*(Referee Discretion at start of season)*

(4) Free throws (2) will be attempted after a shooting foul. No other free throws will be attempted.

## DEFENSE

(1) No stealing in the backourt is allowed. Offense will be picked up by the defense at the **3-point line for Boys 3-4** and **Girls 3-4**.

(2) No pressing is allowed, except:
Full-court pressing **IS** allowed during the last **two** minutes of the game for **BOTH** teams, except by any team with a ten-point lead. ***NO PRESSING FOR GIRLS 3-4***

(3) Teams with a ten-point lead will play defense at the 3-point circle **(not extended)**.

(4) Aggressive fouling will not be tolerated.
A flagrant foul will result in the player sitting for five minutes.
A second flagrant foul will result in a game disqualification.
Two game disqualifications will result in permanent expulsion from the league.

## BASKET HEIGHT

Boys 3-4 - height is 9 feet, 6 inches.
Girls 3-4 - height is 9 feet even (height may be adjusted as the season progresses)

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