

negan Mitchell FIRST GRADE ROARS



We will be having a special basketball day at school. We will be working on all things academic while they are themed around this fun sport. We would love your help. We would like to have a little half-time snack. If are willing to donate your favorite basketball snack, please send them in on Please make sure any item you send in is peanut



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WHAT IS BAS BASKETBALL C

Before reading I will share 🛛

Basketball was invented i It is a popular team spo over the world. The NBA Basketball Association is most-watched profession In 1996 a Women's Natio Association (WNBA) was

Basketball is played on a court. A court is a rectangle shape that is wide. At the end of each short si basketball hoop that is 10 ft high. attached to a square backboard. is used to help make a shot in the also used to help keep the ball on allowing it to bounce back into the



at one time. The team that has ball is on offense. They are try get the ball in the basket to sc points. The team that doesn't ball is on defense. They are trying to stop the players from scoring points. They put their

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hands up and follow the player with the ball. They try to take

OFFENSE & DEFE

Each team has 5 players on the The game begins with a jump ball. On player from each team stands in the middle of the court. An official, or refe throw the ball up in the air. The two players jump up and try to hit the ball teammate so they can be on offense. game begins, and the players run dow the court.

JUMP BALL

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DRIBBLE, PASS, OR SHOOT The ball is the star of the game, but there are

rules you must follow when you have the ball. You must dribble or bounce the basketball when you are running down the court or moving with the ball. You can not carry the ball. If you stop dribbling, you must pass the ball to a teammate, or try to shoot the ball into the net. If you catch the ball after it hits the backboard or rim, it is called a rebound.



G backboard-A large flat panel behind the defense-The team that doesn't have the ball. They wear sleeveless shirts an dribble-When players move from place to place while bouncing ball with one hand the whole time. players wear special sneakers free throw line-A line painted on the court to stand behind when shooting free throws. high-tops. They are made to free throws-Shooting baskets due to being fouled while everyone else stands still players from getting hurt. The jump ball-When the ball is tossed in the air at the beginning of the protect the ankle better. They game and the players try to get it to begin playing. layup-Shooting the basketball on the run right near the net. have bottoms that keep them net-The looped open fabric that the team tries to shoot the basketball into. pass-When one player throws or bounces the ball to another play auarters- Four timed sessions in a game rebound- Catching the ball after it bounces off the backboard a referee-The person who makes sure all the players are following the rules.

rim- The ring around the net that holds it open steal-When a player takes the ball away from the other team.

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FOUL & FREE THR QUARTERS or HAI LET'S SCO During a game, there are refere

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SCHEMA

The object of the game is the most points at the en game. When players show basketball through the ne two points. If they shoot beyond the three-point li three points.

make sure players are following They have a whistle and stop th when a rule is broken. This is cal Sometimes after a foul, a team make a free throw. A free throw at the free throw line. Each shot one point. All the players stand the shot is taken. On the last sho try to get the ball.

Basketball games are split into fo guarters or two halves. Youth, hig and professional basketball game timed quarters with a half-time b the middle. College basketball ha halves with a half-time break in b each half. During half-time, coac with the players about their play.



Basketball players do a lot of so they wear a lose fitting uni bounce balls off it and into the net. shorts with their team colors. foul-When you break a rule in basketball. skidding while running on the offense-The team that has the ball.



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