

3v3 League Frequently Asked Questions

QUESTION **How do I run a Jr. NBA 3v3 League?**

ANSWER

This year, the Jr. NBA is running its 3v3 Leagues in 10 markets. In future years, other markets will be considered. Please go to jr.nba.com/jr-nba-3v3-league-operatorapplication to fill out an application for consideration.

QUESTION **Where can I find a Jr. NBA 3v3 League in my area?**

ANSWER

Leagues are provided in 10 markets throughout the U.S. this year: Atlanta, Georgia; Aurora, Illinois; Charlotte, North Carolina; Edmond, Oklahoma; Salt Lake City, Utah; Vancouver, Washington; Walnut Creek, California; Westfield, Indiana; West Hempstead, New York; and Whippany, New Jersey.

QUESTION **What is the cost to participate?**

ANSWER

Costs will vary depending on the market. Please visit your market's webpage for more information about pricing.

QUESTION **How long is the Jr. NBA 3v3 League?**

ANSWER

The duration of the leagues will vary depending on the market, but in general, leagues will be 6 weeks long. Each team will play a minimum of 10 games in league play. The final week will be a single elimination tournament to qualify for the National Tournament.

QUESTION **Who can play in the Jr. NBA 3v3 League?**

ANSWER

Each league will offer divisions for boys and girls at the 10U, 11U, 12U and 13U ages. Please go to each market's page to get specific details.

QUESTION

What are the cut-off dates for the age groups?

ANSWER

The Jr. NBA 3v3 Leagues follow the player segmentation model outlined in the NBA and USAB Youth Basketball Guidelines. Please see the answer below and refer to youthguidelines.nba.com if needed. For purposes of eligibility, a “Playing Year” is defined as Sept. 1-Aug. 31. Date of birth relative to the Playing Year is the final determinant of eligibility. For age segments, each age designation reflects the maximum age of a player during the Playing Year.

For example, using the 2016-17 Playing Year, the 12U segment is for players who are 12 years of age and under as of Aug. 31, 2017. Should a player turn 13 on Aug. 31 or earlier, the player would be ineligible for the 12U segment and would be considered a 13U player.

QUESTION

How many players can I have on my roster?

ANSWER

Teams may have a minimum of 4 players on a team and a maximum of 5 players.

QUESTION

Can a girl play on a boys’ team?

ANSWER

A girl can play on a boys’ team. A boys’ team must have a minimum of 3 boys on the roster.

QUESTION

How many games can my child miss and still be able to play in the local or National Championship?

ANSWER

Players must play in at least 3 games to be eligible to play in either the Local or National Championship.

QUESTION

If I don’t have a team, can I enter as an individual or “free agent”?

ANSWER

This will vary from market to market.
Please contact your local league operator.