

BASKETBALL EXAM

Name: _____ Class Period: _____

Directions: Fill in the letter matching the most appropriate response on your answer sheet. True = A; False = B

True/False

1. There are 7 players plus substitutes on an official basketball team.
2. A field goal is worth 2 points.
3. A free throw is worth 2 points.
4. After making a field goal, the team that made the goal takes the ball out at the end line.
5. Blocking is stopping the progress of a person with or without the ball.
6. Faking or feinting is a defensive technique.
7. A bounce pass is rarely effective near the goal.
8. A player should use the dribble to cover the ground.
9. Man-to-man defense means that the guards move with the ball.
10. It is legal to hand the ball to another player.
11. On a jump ball, a player may not tap the ball until it reaches its highest point.
12. A jump ball is taken in the center-restraining circle only at the beginning of each quarter.

Multiple Choice

13. _____ is called by the referee if while dribbling you drop the ball, stop and pick it up, and then begin dribbling again.
 - a. traveling
 - b. double dribbling
 - c. free throw
 - d. a & b
 - e. all of the above
14. How long may a player of the offensive team stand in the free throw lane?
 - f. indefinitely
 - g. 5 seconds
 - h. 3 seconds
 - i. 10 seconds
15. The penalty for two players on opposite teams holding the ball at the same time is
 - j. a free throw for the first player that got the ball
 - k. a jump ball for the two players involved in the tie ball
 - l. the ball is taken out of bounds at the sideline
 - m. all of the above
16. After 5 team fouls, the penalty for unnecessary roughness or over guarding is
 - n. ball taken out of bounds at the sidelines by the team that was fouled
 - o. free throw for the team making the foul
 - p. free throw for the team that was the victim of a foul
 - q. all of the above
17. Which of the following is the easiest to intercept?
 - a. long pass
 - b. low bounce
 - c. dribble
 - d. any of the above
18. How long may a player in bounds hold the ball when not being closely guarded?
 - a. 3 seconds
 - b. 5 seconds
 - c. indefinitely
 - d. 10 seconds
19. Which of the following is illegal?
 - a. striking the ball with the fists
 - b. holding the ball for six seconds when closely guarded
 - c. using both hands on the first dribble
 - d. all of the above
20. How long may a player stand in the free throw lane if her team does not have possession of the ball?
 - a. 3 seconds
 - b. 5 seconds
 - c. 10 seconds
 - d. indefinitely