



2021-22 KARRATHA BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION - MODIFIED RULES

	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16/18
Philosophy	Having fun Skill development Learning rules Team work	Having fun Skill development Learning rules Team work	Having fun Skill development Learning Rules Team work Competition	Having fun Skill development Learning Rules Team work Competition	Having fun Skill development Learning Rules Team work Competition
Coaching	Coaches allowed on court to provide direction and coaching but MUST not interfere with games in any way	Coaches to remain on the sideline but can move up and down court to provide direction and coaching	Coaches to remain on the sideline and to remain in designated coaching area	Coaches to remain on the sideline and to remain in designated coaching area	Coaches to remain on the sideline and to remain in designated coaching area
Game Duration and scoring	2 x 15 minute games running clock Each team to provide a parent/coach/referee before game can commence No scoring to be recorded / No Finals	2x20 minute halves running clock Each team to provide a scorer before game can commence 3 minute half-time No player statistics will be displayed on Game Day App	2x20 minute halves running clock Each team to provide a scorer before game can commence 3 minute half-time	2x20 minute halves running clock Each team to provide a scorer before game can commence 3 minute half-time	2x20 minute halves running clock Each team to provide a scorer before game can commence 3 minute half-time
Ball Size	Girls & Boys Size 4	Girls & Boys Size 5	Girls & Boys Size 5	Girls & Boys Size 6	Girls Size 6 & Boys Size 7
Ring Height	2.6M (lowered)	2.6M (lowered)	3.05M FIBA Height	3.05M FIBA Height	3.05M FIBA Height
Free Throws	Free throw from dotted line	Free throw from dotted line	Free throw line	Free throw line	Free throw line
Defence	One on one - NO ZONE / No double teaming Can NOT form a 'wall' at half court No stealing ball when in offensive players hands Defence to commence from half court	One on one - NO ZONE No double teaming Can NOT form a 'wall' at half court Players can steal	One on one - NO ZONE Double teaming allowed Players can steal	One on one - NO ZONE Double teaming allowed Players can steal	FIBA Rules Zone permissible
Mercy Rule	N/A Retreat to 3 point line in defence if opposing team is struggling	20 points Score table to communicate to referee Winning team to retreat to 3pt line in defence - NO steals	20 points Score table to communicate to referee Winning team to retreat to half court line in defence	20 points Score table to communicate to referee Winning team to retreat to half court line in defence	N/A
Support by Officials	Talk and guide players to help them avoid an illegal action Explain calls	Talk and guide players to help them avoid an illegal action Explain calls	Talk and guide players to help them avoid an illegal action Communicate as needed	Talk and guide players to help them avoid an illegal action Communicate as needed	Talk and guide players to help them avoid an illegal action Communicate as needed
Travel Calls	Give latitude to players Allow some steps when coming to a stop	FIBA Rules	FIBA Rules	FIBA Rules	FIBA Rules
Substitution/ Time-outs	FIBA Rules Ability for rolling substitutions	FIBA Rules No time out in last 3 minutes of 2nd half 2 time-outs per half	FIBA Rules No time out in last 3 minutes of 2nd half 2 time-outs per half	FIBA Rules No time out in last 3 minutes of 2nd half 2 time-outs per half	FIBA Rules No time out in last 3 minutes of 2nd half 2 time-outs per half
3 Second Rule	5 seconds in keyway	5 seconds in keyway	FIBA Rules	FIBA Rules	FIBA Rules
Fouls	No personal fouls counted Official to explain the call. If shooting will be awarded 2 free throws	FIBA Rules In any half, penalty of 2 free throws applies for the 8th and subsequent fouls	FIBA Rules In any half, penalty of 2 free throws applies for the 8th and subsequent fouls	FIBA Rules In any half, penalty of 2 free throws applies for the 8th and subsequent fouls	FIBA Rules In any half, penalty of 2 free throws applies for the 8th and subsequent fouls
Late Start Penalty	None	2 point per whole minute late Forfeit at 10 minutes	2 point per whole minute late Forfeit at 10 minutes	2 point per whole minute late Forfeit at 10 minutes	2 point per whole minute late Forfeit at 10 minutes
Offence	Max 5 bounces when dribbling - must then pass/shoot	No screening allowed	FIBA Rules	FIBA Rules	FIBA Rules
Player Participation	Only registered members can participate 4 eligible players required to start game Players MUST be in correct age group, unless approved by KBA Committee	Registered players must be listed in the iPad Courtside to participate. All players must be on the electronic scoresheet before taking the court. An eligible player from the same club may fill in for a higher competition or division. No player can enter the game after half time, unless they have been present in the team bench area. 4 eligible players required to start general round game Players are ONLY allowed to play up to make a maximum of 7 players in line with heat policy; Maximum of 3 games playing up; Teams to request from Division 2 teams in same Grade before going to Lower Grade Div 1; Only eligible to play FINALS in 1 division unless dispensation is sought and approved. Players MUST be in correct age group, unless approved by KBA Committee * Refer to By-Laws for further information			

Karratha Basketball Association have a ZERO Tolerance Policy on abusive behaviour from any player, official or spectator.