

G-Elite

Rules and Regulations

1. Finances

1.1 Fee Structure

Team Registration Costs

G-Elite Registration Deposit	\$1000
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2. Registration Deadlines

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Date	
August 9, 2024	Application Submission
August 16, 2024	G-Elite Team Selection
August 30, 2024	G-Elite Registration Deposit
September 30, 2024	G-Elite Fee Payment
October 7, 2024	Roster Submission (players, coaches, manager, etc)

Team registrations are not considered complete until all associated payment has been paid to the OBA.

Adding a Player After the Team Registration Deadline

Adding a player past the specified team registration deadline will not be permitted without a player exemption completed and approval from OBA management.

Competition Dates

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Bolded dates are 4 game weekends

Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4	Session 5	Playoffs
Nov 30 – Dec1, 2024	Jan 11-12, 2025	Feb 1-2, 2025*	Mar 1-2, 2025	Mar 29-30, 2025	Apr 26-27, 2025

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Dec14-15, 2024*	Jan 18-19, 2025*	Feb 8-9, 2025*	Mar 8-9, 2025*	Apr 12-13, 2025	May 3-4, 2025

4. Coach/Team Responsibilities

4.1 NCCP Certification Requirements

The intent of mandatory National Coaching Certification Program (NCCP) certification is to ensure that all athletes are being instructed by coaches who are ethical, knowledgeable, and understand age and stage-appropriate training methods. All Ontario Basketball coaches are expected to be “trained” prior to entering a gymnasium and coaching athletes. While Ontario Basketball understands that the timing of clinics in various regions might not always allow for this, the expectation is that coaches will attend the required clinic(s) as soon as possible so that they can implement the techniques that they learn during their NCCP experience, thereby providing their athletes with the opportunity to get the most out of their training. After completing the in-person course, and thereby becoming “trained”, coaches must complete their evaluations and the Make Ethical Decisions online module through CAC (Coaches Association of Canada) to become a “certified coach”.

Required Coaching Certification

Level	Head Coach	Assistant Coach	Manager
G-Elite	Certified Train to Train	Certified Learn to Train	Certified Learn to Train OR First Aid OR High Five OR Athletic Trainer certification

Coaching Certification Checks

A coach must have the appropriate level of certification to be registered and actively coaching with any OBA team. During the registration period at the beginning of the season, OBA will check NCCP Numbers to confirm that coaches are appropriately certified.

Coaches trying to register without the appropriate certification will be contacted and given instructions on what they must complete to be registered. Coaches that do not attend a clinic and/or complete their evaluation as requested will not be permitted to register and coach.

Coaching Certification Contact

Contact Tristan Cave (tcave@basketball.on.ca) with questions regarding certification and NCCP clinics.

Certification for Managers

Managers who do not have Learn to Train certification must e-mail their first aid OR High Five OR athletic trainer certificate to bdickinson@basketball.on.ca in order to be registered with a team.

4.2 Video Recording

It is recommended that teams (coaches, managers, or club administrators) record a copy of their games. While OBA staff will do everything in their power to ensure games are recorded, in the case of malfunction or technical error having a backup is ideal.

4.3 Team Participation Requirements

All rostered players must dress for a minimum of 50% of G-Elite season games to qualify for participation in G-Elite Playoffs.

All Ontario Scholastic Basketball Association (OSBA) players on a club's roster must be disclosed to Ontario Basketball.

A G-Elite Roster should **NOT** consist of more than 33% OSBA players.

Failure to disclose OSBA players on your roster can result in the ineligibility of the OSBA player(s) on the club team.

OSBA

Ontario Scholastic Basketball Association (OSBA) schools are not categorized as an Ontario Basketball rep club. Therefore, athletes can play for an OSBA and an Ontario Basketball club team.

5. Athlete Responsibilities

5.1 2024 - 2025 Age Categories

Category	Age	Year of Birth
G-Elite Jr (U15 & U16)	Under 16 as of January 1, 2025	2009 or later
G-Elite Sr (U17 & U19)	Under 19 as of January 1, 2025	2006 or later

5.2 Temporary Call-Up

There will be no temporary call ups permitted.
Contact k.shipley@basketball.on.ca for questions.

6. Game Play

6.1 Overview

All sanctioned OBA games will be governed by FIBA (International Basketball Federation), whose rule books are adopted for use at all OBA-sanctioned games and events.

The season will consist of 18 regular season games and 1 guaranteed playoff game.

Games will be played with 4 x 10-minute quarters.

An athletic therapist will be present for all games.

6.2 Officials

Every Ontario Basketball game must be refereed by two OABO officials assigned through the local officials' board.

6.3 Game Forfeiture

A 15-minute grace period from the scheduled start of the game will be granted for a late team. At sanctioned events, the convener shall decide if a forfeit is to be called after the 15-minute grace period has expired.

Teams arriving in the 15-minute period will be permitted a five-minute warm-up to prevent injury.

6.3.1 Pre-Game Forfeiture

- A 15-minute grace period from the scheduled start of the game will be granted for a late team
- Teams arriving within the 15-minute period will be permitted a five-minute warm-up to prevent injury
- A game may also be forfeited due to:

- Not having enough players to start a game

→Must have 5 players to start a game

- If a game is not started and forfeited, the score shall be recorded as 2-0 in favor of the team that is present and ready to play.
- If both teams forfeit (due to insufficient players), the score shall be recorded as 0-0

6.3.2 Game Forfeiture due to Team Behavior (Players, Coaches, Parents)

- Game officials may forfeit a game at any time during gameplay if the actions by a team, player, coach or parent prevent the game from being played (eg. Ejected player, coach or parent refusing to leave the gym)
- Game officials may forfeit a game at any time during gameplay if a team refuses to play after being instructed to do so by the crew chief.

6.4 TIMEOUTS

During a game, each team receives:

- Two 60-second timeouts in the first half.
- Three 60-second timeouts in the second half. Note: *Only two timeouts will be granted in the last two minutes of a game. Coaches must therefore use one timeout before the last two minutes of the game; otherwise, they effectively “lose” that timeout.*

Any unused timeouts do not carry over into overtime periods. One timeout per overtime period is granted.

6.5 TEAM JERSEYS

Teams must wear a jersey corresponding to the affiliated member club they are associated with. Sanctions for both the team and club will occur if reported to the Fair Play Committee. Sanctions can result in a forfeit of the game played.

Players must wear the same Jersey number throughout the season.

FEE DETAILS

Description	Amount
Officials <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cost of officials per game @ \$75 per official x 2 officials • Cost of minor officials per game @ \$25 per minor official x 3 	\$2025

<p>Game Film - Platform Access to Synergy & Veo Camera</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fee is per team based on agreement with Synergy Sports @ \$1250 per team/season • Veo (or comparable brand) subscription for the length of the season @ \$4500 	<p>\$1475*</p>
<p>Athletic Therapist</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cost of ATs per game @ \$45+fees/hour 	<p>\$810*</p>
<p>Facilities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cost of gym space @ \$90/hour (approx.) 	<p>\$1620*</p>
<p>Other League Expenses</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cost of playoff weekend (i.e., officials, minor officials, facility rentals, athletic therapist, awards, etc.) • Media (photos and video on Instagram) • Photographer • Videographer • Graphic Design <p>Day-to-day administration</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scheduling • General Customer Service (Emails, phone calls) • Scoresheet collection • Award procurement • Synergy follow-up • Verification of Official assignments • Drafting of Operations Manual • Statistics loggings • Equipment Costs • Laptops • Video Camera • YouTube Premium Subscription • MS Office 	<p>\$1320*</p>
	<p>\$7250</p>