

## **PLAYING REGULATION 3.1 - BASKETBALL - BANTAM (BOYS)**

1. **SAFETY GUIDELINES:** Each HSSAA Member School shall ensure that the current Physical Education Safety Guidelines - Secondary Inter School Module, outlined according to the following critical components: EQUIPMENT, CLOTHING / FOOTWEAR, FACILITIES, SPECIAL RULES / INSTRUCTION and SUPERVISION, be adhered to at all times. Specific details on the Critical Components will be provided at the Pre-Season Coaches Meeting.
2. **AGES:** All competitors shall meet the age requirements as per [Article VI, Section III](#) of the Constitution.
3. **EVENTS:** There will be competition for Bantam Champions in the respective league alignment divisions. All levels of competition will consist of games played in (4) eight minute quarters.
4. **ELIGIBILITY:** As governed by HSSAA Constitution [Article VI](#).
5. **ENTRIES:** Each of the HSSAA Member Schools may enter one Bantam Boys team. No limit to the number of players dressed for the game.
6. **RULE BOOK:** The F.I.B.A Rule Book will apply with HSSAA/OFSAA Exceptions
7. **OFFICIALS:** The officials will be of the highest caliber (Inter-Collegiate). Two officials will be used for all HSSAA league and Playoff games
8. **UNIFORMS:** As per the F.I.B.A Rule Book
9. **STARTING TIME:** To be set by the Athletic Convenor prior to the preseason coaches meeting.
10. **AWARDS:** For each division, there will be:
  - A) A Trophy - for the winning team.
  - B) Medallions - for each member of the winning team. (16 max)
  - C) Medallions - for each member of the finalist team. (16 max)
11. **GHAC REPRESENTATION:** Not Applicable
12. **GENERAL REGULATIONS:**
  - A) The host school will be responsible for having available all the necessary equipment:
    1. A game ball
    2. A time clock and stopwatch.
    3. HSSAA approved Score Sheets
    4. Practice balls.
  - B) **TIE BREAKING PROCEDURES** Refer to [Article XVI, Section III](#) – Application of Sports Specific Tiebreakers
  - C) A player or coach ejected from a league or playoff game will be automatically prohibited from dressing for and participating in the next scheduled game. This does not include disqualification by personal fouls
  - D) Federation lines will be used, even where FIBA lines are available.
  - E) Full court zone defence is permitted, however zone defences are not permitted in the quarter court.
  - F) Shot clocks will not be used.

