

Saint James School
Basketball Guidelines
2020

Gymnasium

- Signage will be posted outside gym area as well as in strategic locations (Concession Stand Area, Restroom Area and Spectator Areas).
 - Social Distancing Signs
 - Mandatory Mask
 - Wash Hands
- Hand sanitizer stations will be provided in the lobby for spectators as well as around the scorers table for coaches and players.
- Gym Capacity limits of less than 50% will be strictly enforced. Total gym capacity (Non-COVID) is 744. COVID Capacity will be reduced to 300. Approximately 150 per side.
- Every other row will be marked off and off limits for spectator seating.
- Family units are encouraged to sit together in groups.
- It is requested, a minimum of two seats must be vacant between non family units in the bleachers.
- No Mask -No Entry
- Gate workers will be required to wear mask.
- Concessions workers will wear mask and gloves.
- Scorer Table will be limited to essential personnel only.
- Standard PA Announcements made regularly concerning safety guidelines.
- Security will be posted at the gate/lobby area as well as in gym area monitoring guideline compliance.
- The Saint James ATC will be present at all games to assist visiting team if visiting team does not have trainer.

Visiting Team Dressing Rooms

- Dressing rooms for visiting team will be cleaned and sanitized before and after each night used.
- Local teams are asked to consider avoiding use of the dressing rooms by dressing before coming to the game.
- The visiting team's dressing room will be located in the boys PE Locker Room on the left end of the hallway behind the visitors stands..
- The Girls and Boys teams will share the same locker room so we ask that the visiting coaches coordinate the safe use of this limited space.
- The dressing room will be cleaned before the arrival of the first team to use the space.
- If needed, dressing in shifts to maintain social distancing is recommended but left up to the coaches discretion.
- It will be the responsibility of the visiting team coaches and staff to insure their student-athletes are following mandatory safety guidelines.

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Bench Areas

- The Players Bench will be extended on both sides for more social-distancing space for teams.
- Players are asked to wear facial covering / mask while not actively participating in the game.
- (AHSAA GUIDELINES)
- Do not share uniforms, towels, water bottles or any other apparel or equipment.
- Maintain social-distancing within the team box.
- Only essential personnel will be allowed on player benches. No parents, former students/ players, personal photographers or nonessential people will be allowed on team benches.
- No handshakes, high fives, fist bumps etc. before or after the game.
- We ask that you bring your own water bottles; however, we will have a touch-less water-cooler and disposable cups available at each bench for your use.

Concession Stand

- Concession workers will wear mask and gloves at all times while working.
- Both windows will be open with two distinct lines forming at each window.
- One line will be designated for credit card purchases.
- Social-distancing should be maintained while waiting in line.
- Individual packets of condiments will be used instead of bottles to reduce cross contamination.

Cheerleaders

- Due to COVID-19 Guidelines and limited seating capacity, No Visiting Team Varsity Cheerleaders will be allowed to attend games at Saint James School. Our Varsity Cheerleaders will not be traveling to away basketball games.... with the exception of AHSAA playoff games/tournaments.
- Our cheerleaders will be required to wear facial covering / mask while cheering in the stands.
- Masks may be removed while performing on the floor.
- Cheerleaders must sit together in designated area.
- For CCC Middle School and JV games, visiting cheerleaders may be allowed to attend the games but must follow guidelines for seating and masks.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in following these guidelines. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to give me a call / text or email. We look forward to hosting you at our school and wish you the very best.

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