



Springfield Basketball Registration Minutemen Boys Travel 2026-2027 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th Grade Teams



Springfield Recreation Department and Springfield Basketball Association (SBA) plan to sponsor Minutemen Travel teams for Springfield residents or boys enrolled in a Springfield school in grades 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, for the 2026-2027 season. *We are currently offering tryouts only. Additional season information will follow shortly thereafter as fees, locations, coaches, etc., are finalized. It is possible that some teams that have existed in the past may not be available this season, and new teams may be added. Online registration and attendance at tryouts are mandatory for your child to be considered for a team.*

Travel basketball requires a very high level of commitment, including multiple weekly practices and/or games. Playing time may be mandated by the league, however if not, playing time is earned by the boys in practice with their attitudes and their abilities. Pre- and post-season clinics and tournaments may be added.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT MINUTEMEN BOYS TRAVEL BASKETBALL

Practices	Number, day, time, and location may vary due to season uncertainties, gym availability, coaches, etc.
Games	Number, day, time, and location may vary due to season uncertainties, gym availability, coaches, tournaments, holidays, weather, etc.
Season	Game season will likely run from December 2026-March 2027. Practices will begin shortly after teams are formed. Details to follow. Pre- and post-season clinics and tournaments may be offered.
Expected Fee Range	\$275-\$350 (due to the Springfield Basketball Association only if your child is accepted on a Travel team) Uniform costs are extra. See below.
	Required: You <u>must</u> register for Travel team try-outs at https://register.communitypass.net/springfield . It is free to try out, but only pre-registered children will be allowed on the court to try out.
	Fees for pre- and post-season clinics, additional leagues, and tournaments are separate.
Refunds	In the event of a season interruption or cancellation, every effort will be made to return uncommitted funds.
Uniforms	Players are required to purchase uniforms. Information will be provided prior to the start of the season.
Tryouts	4th grade: Tuesday 10/6/26 @ 6:00-7:30 pm, FMG Blue/Front Gym 5th grade: Monday 10/5/26 @ 7:30-9:00 pm, FMG Blue/Front Gym 6th grade: Monday 10/5/26 @ 6:00-7:30 pm, FMG Blue/Front Gym 7th grade: Thursday 10/8/26 @ 6:00-7:30 pm, FMG Orange/Back Gym 8th grade: Tuesday 10/6/26 @ 7:30-9:00 pm, FMG Orange/Back Gym
Playing Time	Playing time is based on ability and attitude.
Other Teams	You may play on other teams, but you are expected to be fully committed to Minutemen basketball.

Prospective players must register by Sunday 10/4/26 @ 11:59 pm and attend their scheduled tryout. Late registrants or no-shows at try-outs will need to attend a make-up try-out on Friday 10/9/26 @ 7:30-9:00 pm, FMG Blue/Front Gym.

TO REGISTER FOR TRY-OUTS: Register for free online at <https://register.communitypass.net/springfield>. If your child is planning to register for the Recreation League, you must still register online now in order to attend Travel try-outs.

NO PLAYER IS PERMITTED TO TRY OUT FOR A MINUTEMEN BOYS TRAVEL BASKETBALL TEAM WITHOUT A COMPLETED ONLINE REGISTRATION.

Questions? Contact Samaar Nelson, Recreation Program Coordinator, at samaar.nelson@springfield-nj.us or (973) 912-2227.

Additional information about Travel basketball? Contact SBA at springfieldnjbasketball@gmail.com.