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# Basketball Evaluation Process

## Upon Arrival

1. Players will report to the check in table to confirm contact information.
2. Players will be given their player card and have their picture taken.
3. Parents will be given information about upcoming player draft process.
4. Players will head into the gym to wait for their turn to be evaluated.

## Screening by YMCA Staff

The Y staff will pull groups of 8-10 kids to evaluate. Kids will potentially start with a quick warm up where they are stretched and ran. If evaluation groups for certain sessions are smaller in number, this step may be shortened or skipped for the sake of time. This group will then proceed to go through the NBA Jr. Skills Challenge.

Following the Skills Challenge, this group will then be transferred to the specified court and will be split into two teams and play a short scrimmage (8-10 minutes). Coaches will be on hand to evaluate the players in four categories specific to basketball.

Once the first group has completed the evaluation process, the second group, which would currently be warming up, will be pulled to the court and evaluated. Once a group is done with the evaluation segment, those participants are cleared to leave. Groups may go in reverse order for the sake of time.

The Sports Department staff and Volunteer Coaches will compile totals and averages for each athlete which will be used for the upcoming player drafts.

\* Please note that the evaluation process differs based on sport and the location/facility in which it is held. Some minor discrepancies are possible. Most evaluation sessions last as long as an hour but the time spent at the session depends on the number of kids in attendance among other factors. We appreciate your patience!

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