



Basketball Goals & Sporting Equipment

Basketball Court Dimensions

NBA

- An NBA court is 94 ft long and 50 ft wide.
- The free throw line is always 15 ft from the line to the backboard.
- The backboard should extend 4 feet out over the baseline.
- The distance from the ground to the rim is 10 ft.
- The 3 point arc in the NBA is 22ft to the center of the rim on the sides (the arc starts 5 ft 3 in from the baseline, being a straight line until that point) then the curved part of the arc is 23ft. 9 in. from the cent of the rim.
- The 3 point arc in college and high school is 19 ft 9 in. (The straight part extends 63 in out from the baseline before the arc begins).

NCAA / High School

- An NCAA College or High School court is 84 ft long and 50 ft wide.
- The key is 12 feet wide (the width of the free throw line). The 12 ft wide free throw line forms the cent of a circle with a 6 ft radius.
- The backboard should extend 4 feet out over the baseline.
- The backboard is 72 inches wide by 42 inches high and has an 18 inch diameter rim.
- The inner square is marked above the rim in a rectangle of 24 inches wide and 18 inches high.
- The picture below is worth a thousand words. It depicts the college and high school court dimensions

Jr. High

- A Junior High court is 74 ft long and 42 ft wide.

