



# Youth Basketball - Kindergarten



Welcome to the Westport Parks and Recreation Kindergarten Basketball Program. This program is designed to introduce young children to the sport of basketball in a fun and social way. This is a non-competitive program that offers instruction in the skills needed to play basketball. There are no games. At the end of the program, all participants will receive a participation award. This program is held at **Long Lots Elementary School**.

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## **GENERAL PROGRAM INFORMATION**

This basketball program is available to both boys and girls in Kindergarten. This program takes place on Saturdays at **Long Lots Elementary School**. The dates and times are as follows:

**December 7 – February 1**

| <b><u>Program Times</u></b>  | <b><u>Program Code</u></b> |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| • <b>11:00 am – 11:45 am</b> | <b>YBB K1</b>              |
| • <b>12:00 pm – 12:45 pm</b> | <b>YBB K2</b>              |

**Attendance is required at the session you have registered for. There is no switching of times.**

While this is an indoor program, inclement weather could cancel the activity on Saturdays. No make-ups will be offered.

## **CANCELLATION LINE**

To keep up to date on program cancellations due to inclement weather, you can do one of the following:

1. Check the website at [www.westportbasketball.org](http://www.westportbasketball.org)
2. Follow us on Twitter - @westportparkrec
3. Like us on FACEBOOK – Westport Parks and Recreation
4. Call the cancellation line at (203)341-5074

## **EQUIPMENT**

Attire for this program should be a T-shirt, shorts or sweatpants, sneakers with socks. A ball is also needed. Please make sure your name and phone number is on it just in case. **THIS PROGRAM USES A BASKETBALL THAT IS A MINI BALL, 7 INCHES IN DIAMETER.** They are available at ASF and Sports Authority. No jewelry, watches, etc. We are not responsible if you bring them and they are lost.

## **DROP OFF AND PICK UP**

Please make sure you drop off and pick up your child promptly. Consistent lateness in either dropping off or picking up is cause for dismissal from the basketball program. ***If you choose to stay for the program you will either have to sit in the bleachers or if this option is not available due to space restrictions, be asked to stay in the hallway. This gym is very small and safety is our main concern when the children are playing.***

## **GENERAL RULES**

- All participants are expected to respect each other and all staff. Discipline problems will not be tolerated are cause for immediate dismissal from the program with no refund.
- At the end of each class, please be sure to pick up all belongings. There is no lost and found.
- **There is no eating or drinking at any time in the gymnasium.**
- **There are no animals or pets allowed in the gymnasiums.**

The Westport Parks and Recreation Department wants this to be an enjoyable experience for all participants. Please take the time to read this information with your child.