

# St. Joseph School COVID-19 Safety Policies and Procedures for Indoor Sports

**\*policy subject to change\*** edited 11/3/2021



- Only named players and coaches are allowed on the court and in the designated bench areas.
- There will be only 1 scorekeeper and 1 scoreboard operator.
- Game day players and coaches should not arrive more than 30 minutes before game time. Players should come dressed and ready for the game.
- **All spectators and visitors to the building must wear a mask while in the building and adhere to current social distancing guidelines.** There will be no spectators at practice. Spectators must remain in the spectator viewing area.
- **Masks are optional for players and referees.** Coaches will wear masks.
- Players, coaches, and spectators must monitor themselves for any symptoms related to COVID-19 as outlined by the Minnesota Department of Health. Any player or coach with a fever or generally not feeling well is not allowed to participate in practices or games.
- All players and coaches must adhere to any CAA policies implemented.
- Pre and post-game handshakes and other physical contact is not allowed
- To reduce transmission risk, all spectators, players, and coaches are asked to follow social distancing guidelines.
- Each team will have a designated coach responsible for disinfecting equipment and bench areas.
- The game ball will be sanitized before and after the completion of each game.
- Bench areas will be sanitized prior to and after use.
- Athletes must use hand sanitizer prior to their competitions and prior to re-entry into a game.
- There will be no shared individual equipment. Shared equipment must be disinfected prior to wearing or using.
- Each player must have their own individual water bottle clearly labeled with their name.
- Each team is responsible for bringing hand sanitizing products.
- No spitting, chewing gum, or sunflower seeds are allowed.
- Team treats, snacks, drinks are not allowed.
- All athletes must leave the facility immediately after the competition.
- Spectators may connect with participants outside following the completion of the event.