

NJB Player Advantage Rule Matrix (Division only)							12/3/2010	rev b.1
<b>BOYS</b>								
<b>Points are awarded at start of game to team with more players</b>							Number of players Team A Coach can select to sit from team B	
<b>No. of players</b>		<b>Team A (more players)</b>						
<b>Team B</b>		10	9	8	7	6	5	
10	x							None
9	3	x						None
8	5	3	x					None
7	6	5	3	x				None
6	6	6	5	3	x			1 Player, 1st period only
5*	5/4	5/4	5/4	5/4	5/4	5/4	x	NA
Mercy rule								3 players, 5th period only
* for 5 player rule ONLY, Points shown are awarded at tip-off and AGAIN at the start of the second half, if advantage still exists.								
Five Player Rule	Boys Div 1 and 2, 5 points, Div 3, 4 pts							
Six Player Rule	Coach with more than 6 will pick the player to sit the 1st period. Only one player can play the entire game. (different player must sit entirety of each period, including 5th) No free substitution in 5th period. If team with 6 players has someone foul out, the player sitting out must continue to sit out the rest of period. Coach of team that is down can name 3 players to sit 5th period, provided there are at least 5 other players to play.							
Mercy Rule (20 point lead)	If lead becomes 15 points or less, leading team coach is free to sub back in these players until lead is back to 20 pts or more.							
<b>GIRLS</b>								
<b>Points are awarded at start of game to team with more players</b>							Number of players Team A Coach can select to sit from team B	
<b>No. of players</b>		<b>Team A (more players)</b>						
<b>Team B</b>		10	9	8	7	6	5	
10	x							None
9	2	x						None
8	3	2	x					None
7	4	3	2	x				None
6	4	4	3	2	x			1 Player, 1st period only
5*	3/2	3/2	3/2	3/2	3/2	3/2	x	NA
Mercy rule								3 players, 5th period only
* for 5 player rule ONLY, Points shown are awarded at tip-off and AGAIN at the start of the second half, if advantage still exists.								
Five Player Rule	Girls Div 1, 3 pts, Div 2 & 3 2pts							
Six Player Rule	see above							
Mercy Rule	see above							