

Basketball Try-Outs

2023-2024

Middle School 6th,7th & 8th Grade

****Important** You must have passed all your classes at 1Q Report Cards to tryout for any basketball team.**

Boys Coach - Bryan Narvaez

Girls Coach - Byron Gipson

**** Tryout Dates: Start October 30th**

TRYOUTS

- Tryouts will take place over a 2 day period (Boys & Girls)
 - Day 1 / Monday, Oct 30th
 - 4pm - 6pm
 - Tuesday, Oct 31st
 - Off - No tryouts
 - Day 2 / Wednesday, Nov 1st
 - 4pm - 6pm
 - (Must make at least 1 day to be eligible for the final roster)
- Basketball has two teams. An "A" & "B" team for both Boys and Girls.
- 8th Graders can only make the "A" team
- 6th & 7th graders with a high evaluation may be selected over an 8th grader.

The purpose of tryouts is to evaluate all student athletes on their talent, sportsmanship and knowledge of the game. All in attendance (6th, 7th & 8th for both Girls and Boys) will be fairly evaluated by using a rating system that will rank each athlete in several categories that pertain to each sport tryout. The date and number of days the tryout will be conducted will be determined by the published AIAL calendar, Athletic Director and School Principal. Categories will be determined by each coach and approved by the Athletic Director for that sport. Athletes trying out for each sport must attend all posted tryout dates. Failure to do so will disqualify you from making the final roster for that sport.

Each player will be identified on the court prior to conducting each evaluation. This will help coaches to identify and select players in accordance with their abilities. The worksheet is solely a tool to assist the coaching staff with making final team selections. Team selection results are confidential and will only be disclosed to St. Matthew School coaching staff and administration.

Important Information

- All physicals must be on file with the Athletic Department no later than 3pm on Oct 30th
NO EXCEPTIONS You will not be able to try out without this on file.
- Have a current financial account with the school business office
- Meet or exceed the Student – Parent Handbook minimum academic requirement for eligibility
- Try-outs are closed to the public
- Full commitment to the Team
- A student trying out for Basketball are not able to play Soccer
- Leaving early or coming late to practice, missing regular scheduled games or playoff games for an outside commitment will not be allowed and could result in removal from the team.
- If a weekend tournament is missed for any reason, a team penalty will be enforced for that individual missing. (penalty will be communicated)

Sport Fee

- Basketball sports fee of \$175 must be paid by the first game of the season.
- Your School FACTS account must be current for your student to try out.
- Sports Fees are not refundable once paid.