

## ***Dodgeball Rules***

1. Play will be 6 on 6. A minimum of 4 is required to start the game.
2. No substitutions will be allowed once a game has started, except for injuries. Substitutions can be made in between games.
3. Each game has a time limit of 10 minutes. If one team is not eliminated by the end of that time, the team with the most players in at the end of the time will win that round.
4. 8 balls will be lined up on the center court line and once the whistle is blown, teams can run to the center to collect their balls.
5. Players can not throw the ball until they cross the first volleyball line on the court
6. Players must remain within the court at all times, unless collecting dead balls.
7. Players are allowed to leave the court to collect balls but they are not allowed to throw the ball until they are back within the court. If a player leaves the court for any other purpose or they throw a ball from outside the court, they are eliminated.
8. A player is out if:
  - a. Their ball is caught by someone on the opposing team
  - b. They are hit by some someone on the opposing team
  - c. Players are allowed to block with their ball but if the ball comes out of their hand, they are out,
9. A player is not out if:
  - a. They are hit above the shoulders
  - b. Their ball is caught after bouncing off of a wall or ceiling
10. If you catch someone's ball from the opposing team, that player is out and someone from your team is allowed to come back in.