

Basketball Rules Worksheet – Blizzard Bag – Day 3
Ms. Leach – Middle School PE (answer using information sheet)

Name _____

Date _____ Period _____

1. Name the three basic types of playing positions used in a basketball game.

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____

2. What is (a) the purpose of a “Jump Ball” and (b) how is a jump ball executed?

(a) _____

(b) _____

3. How many points is a regular field goal worth? _____ a free throw? _____
a shot from outside the arc? _____

4. Name the five violations given on your rules sheet that result in the ball being awarded to the opponents outside the sideline.

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____
- e. _____

5. Describe a “personal foul” using a complete sentence.

6. How many personal fouls has a player received when they have **fouled out** of a game? _____

7. Where and by whom was the game of basketball invented?

a. where _____

b. by whom _____

8. In what year was the game of basketball invented? _____

9. What are the outside dimensions of a basketball court? _____ by _____

10. **Draw** a diagram (on the back side of this paper) of a basketball court and shade in or color in the area known as the “three-second” lane, also known as the “keyhole.”

Label the lines of the court on your drawing (sideline, end line, free throw line, center line, 3-pt. line) Please be neat with your drawing (use a ruler!).