

LTYA Volleyball Tournament Rules (5-6 grades)

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1. Volleyball:

- a. 6 players on each side
- b. Max of 3 hits per side
- c. If a ball hits any part of a boundary line it is considered in

2. Match: Best 2 out of 3 sets. 1st two sets play to 25, win by 2 unless tied at 30. If tied at 30, the next point wins. If a 3rd set is needed it will be to 15, win by 2 unless tied at 20. If tied at 20, the next point wins. Teams will not switch sides each set. Teams stay on one side for the entire length of play.

- a. 4 minutes to warm up
- b. Rally scoring will be used for all sets. Every rally is worth a point regardless of which team served.
- c. Each team will have one 45 second timeout per set

3. Rotation/Substitution:

- a. Players will rotate each time they win the serve. Rotate clockwise.
- b. Evenly substitute players into the game to replace the previous server's position. The last server will rotate out of the game. A player will serve on their last rotation, 5 rotations and then serve.

4. Serving: All players will get two attempts to get a serve inbounds on their first serving rotation. On the second rotation the players will have one (standard) attempt to serve the ball inbounds. A server can only serve 5 winners in a row and then must rotate to a new server (no side out). 5th and 6th grade players are encouraged to serve overhand especially on their 1st serve attempt.

- a. 6th grade players must serve from the backline
- b. 5th grade players can serve 6 ft. in front of the backline (serve lines will be taped)