

2026 Basketball Evaluation Plan

Dates: Wednesday, December 3, 2025 & Thursday, December 4, 2025

Location: El Portal Middle School (Gym)

Address: 805 1st., Escalon, CA 95320

Evaluation Schedule

Division	Check In	Eval Times
JV (7/8)	5:00-5:30 PM	5:30 PM
Starters (9-11)	6:00-6:30 PM	6:30 PM
All- Star (12-14)	7:00-7:30 PM	7:30 PM

Evaluation Rules (For Players)

- **Required Attendance:** All players in **8U and older** divisions **must attend evaluations**, unless they are **frozen** by a head coach, assistant coach, or sponsor.
- **Frozen Players:** Players who are frozen to a team **do not need to be evaluated**.
- **Non-Attendees:** All registered players will be placed on a team whether or not they attend evaluations. However:
 - Those who **do not attend evaluations** will be **randomly assigned to a team by staff**.
 - They will **not be eligible for the draft**.
 - **No exceptions will be made**.

Check-In Stations

Volunteer Assignments at Check-In:

Division	Stations	Volunteers Needed
JV (7/8)	1 Boys & 1 Girls/Coach	2 total (1 per station)
Starters (9-11)	2 Boys & 1 Coach/Girls	3 total (1 per station)
All- Star (12-14)	1 Boys & 1 Girls/Coach	2 total (1 per station)

Check In Volunteers will:

- Ask for the **player's name and age**.
- Locate the player on the **Check-In Draft Sheet**.
- Assign a **large numbered sticker** that matches the player's draft number.

- If it appears players are **siblings**, verify this and ensure it's noted on the draft sheet. If not already labeled, make a note.
- **Confirm uniform size** with the parent. If incorrect, clearly note the updated size on the draft sheet.

Waiting Area & Line Formation

Volunteer Assignments in Waiting Area:

Role	Description	Volunteers Needed
Line Leaders	1 per division (front only)	2 (One for Boys & one for girls)

- Players will line up along the wall on the opposite sides. One for boys and the other for girls.
- **Volunteers needed:** 1 volunteer per division.
- Responsibilities:
 - Keep players in line by **ascending number order**.
 - Maintain order, engage kids calmly, ensure safety.
- **Parents stay in bleacher area** during evaluations.

Evaluation Court Assignments

- **Boys: Left Half Court (Closest to Parking Area)**
- **Girls: Right Half Court**
- **Line Leader 1 (front of line):**
 - Announces: "Player #105 – Testy McTest "
 - Waits until coaches are ready before sending each player in.
- **Line Leader 2 (end of line):**
 - Ensures kids are safe and in order.
 - Escorts finished players out of the evaluation zone back to parents and exit out the side exit by the parking area.