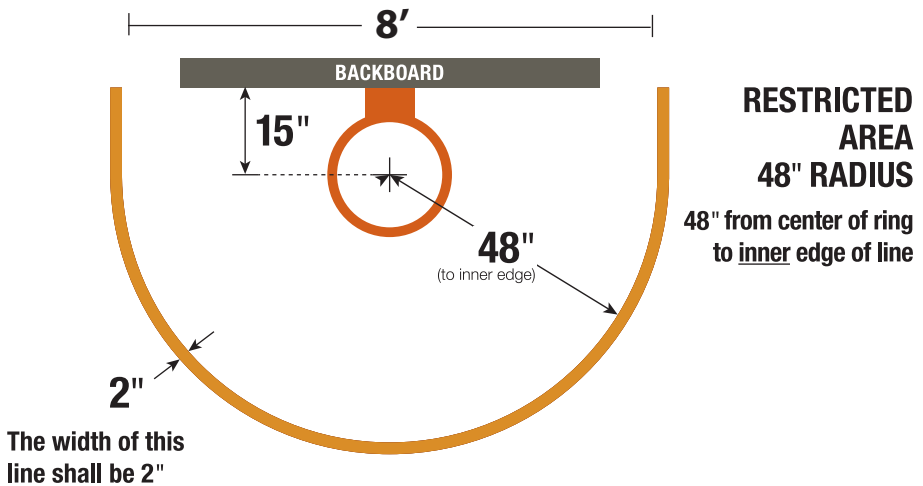


NDHSAA Basketball

Restricted Area Arc: 4'

Note: Class A schools will continue to use the 3' arc for the 2015-16 season. In 2016-17 both Class A and Class B will implement the 4' arc.



INSTRUCTIONS

1. To place the arc on the floor, mark a spot on the floor directly under the center of the basket.
2. Using a measuring device, create a semicircle that extends four feet from the center of the basket.
3. Measure several points from the center of the basket, including two points along a plane parallel to the backboard.
4. The restricted area arc shall be drawn as a two-inch line with the:
 - a. **inner** edge of the line measuring **four feet** from the center of the basket.
5. At the diameter points of the semicircle (the plane parallel to the backboard), the line straightens, similar to the three-point line.
6. The arc's straight lines shall end at the front edge of the backboard.
7. The lines must be clear and discernible from the surrounding area.