

Millard West Basketball

2023-2024 Tryout Process

The 2023-2024 basketball season begins on November 13, 2023 and runs through February 21, 2024, for all lower levels and March 10, 2023 for the Varsity team.

This year's coaching staff is as follows:

- Bill Morrison Head Varsity
- Dan Hall Assistant Varsity
- Dale Gall Junior Varsity
- Mitch Wendlandt Assistant JV
- Matt Trapp Reserve
- **Assistant Reserve**
- Dan Anderson 9th Grade A
- Chris Tauber 9th Grade B

As a coaching staff, we take team selections very seriously. It is the hardest thing to do as coaches. We will do our best to decipher which players have the best potential to advance within the program. We will talk about each and every player who tries out before selections are completed.

All players will receive **at least 3** practice sessions as a try out for the Millard West basketball team. The 2023-2024 tryout dates are November 13 - 17, 2023.

To participate in the try-out, players must turn in a current physical and pay \$65 to the athletic office. Players also need to fill out an online activity handbook form. If a player misses a practice due to not having completed the above requirements, that practice will count as an unexcused absence and will count as one of the required three tryout practices.

Upperclassmen should wear a white shirt during the tryout process. **Freshmen** are asked to wear a shirt with their last name printed or written on the shirt.

After three practices:

Freshmen: Players will be notified after the 3rd practice as to whether or not they made the 1st cut. Freshmen may request an individual meeting with the coaches later in the week if they wish.

Upperclassmen: We will make an initial cut after our third practice. All upperclassmen will get an individual meeting with a coach from the coaching staff.

A 2nd cut may be made later in the week on all levels.

- Any player cut in the 2nd round will receive a brief individual meeting with the coach.

If a player misses tryouts due to injury or illness, the player can request three practices as a tryout when he is healthy.

A player who misses tryouts for any reason other than injury or illness is not guaranteed a tryout. Each case will be considered on an individual basis.

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Practice Times for 1st Week		JV/V	SOPH	9TH
Monday	November 13 th	3:40-5:40	3:40-5:40	5:40-7:15
Tuesday	November 14 th	6-7:15 AM 3:40-5:10	5:30-7:30	5:40-7:15
Wednesday	November 15 th	5:00-6:30	5:15-6:30	3:30-5:00
Thursday	November 16 th	6-7:15 AM 3:40-5:40	5:30-7:30	5:40-7:10
Friday	November 18 th	3:40-5:40	5:40-7:10	5:30-7:00
Saturday	November 19 th	8-10:00 AM 2 nd practice TBA	8-10:00 AM	8 -10:00 AM

Must be completed to try out for basketball:

Online Activity form Completed: _____

Pay \$65 to Activity Office _____

Current Physical Form to Activity Office _____