

LECOM DODGEBALL TOURNAMENT  
Rules and Regulations  
Double Elimination

1. Each game will last a maximum of 10 minutes.
2. Winner is the team with the most players left at the end of the time period. If same number remaining on each team, an overtime period will take place.
3. A win can also occur when the opposite team has no players left.
4. In the event of a tie, a 2-minute overtime period will be played with those players remaining on the court at the end of regulation play. Only those players actually remaining at the end of regulation can play in overtime – no substitutions.
5. Players are to begin the game with one hand or foot touching their designated end of the court. At the refs whistle, players may then race to the center line to grab a ball. Once player picks up the ball from center court, the player must once again touch the line at their designated end. The player can then throw the ball at the opposing team, and the ball is now considered live.
6. If a player catches a ball thrown from an opposing player, the opposing player who threw the ball is out of the game and the player who caught the ball can bring a member of their choice back into play.
7. No intentional head shots (at referee's discretion). Any intentional head shot will result in the elimination of the player throwing the ball. The player hit in the head is not out.
8. Any player crossing the midline is eliminated from play.
9. A player is only eliminated from a direct hit from an opposing player. (If the ball bounces or deflects off another object, it does not count as a hit.)
10. No time-out unless a player is injured, or at the referee's discretion. In the event of a stopped game, game play will return according to game start rules.
11. Teams will consist of 8 players. Any team that is short players can either play with the number of players present or forfeit the game.