



LKY SAINTS BASKETBALL

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Boys High School (9th-12th) 2026/27 Basketball Season

Program Philosophy: LKY exists to provide competitive, Christian athletic opportunities for homeschool students.

LKY seeks to partner with parents to cultivate a biblical worldview of competition and sport as we emphasize how the gospel cultivates Christlike character specifically in the field of competition. As a competitive league, we do not offer a recreational program that provides equal game opportunities for all athletes. There is no guaranteed playing time, as the coaches will substitute according to ability and strategy to win games. However, every child will have equal attention and opportunity in practices to develop, be coached, and grow in basketball fundamentals.

Teams: LKY will offer one varsity boys team, one junior varsity boys team and one freshman boys team for the 26-27 season for 9th through 12th grade athletes. 7th-8th grade athletes may play up to high school at the invitation of the Program Director. Though the season schedule is not completed, in general the varsity boys will play 30+ games, the JV will play 20+ games and the freshman will play 15+ games.

Tryouts: Tryouts/evaluations will take place the week of August 24th. All athletes must sign up to attend tryouts at lksaintsbbs.leagueapps.com or through the link at lkysaints.com. There is a \$10 nonrefundable tryout fee to help cover the cost of the tryout. *Note: Tryout fee is nonrefundable regardless of if your child makes a team.*

Practices: Practices will typically be three times a week until games start and then move to once or twice a week pending our game schedule. Practices begin the first week of October.

Games: LKY will mostly compete against Louisville area schools and homeschool programs that are in our conference. Games are on week nights or Saturdays, but never on Wednesdays or Sundays. Typically there are two to three games per week. When possible, both boys and girls varsity and/or JV teams will play back to back games at the same location. Other nights we will play freshman/JV boys double headers. There will be beginning and end of season out of town travel to play other homeschool basketball organizations. Games begin in early November and go through the end of February for freshman and JV. The varsity will attend the national tournament, March 15-19, 2027 in Springfield, MO to conclude our season.

Cost: The cost for the season will be \$495 per varsity athlete, \$450 per JV athlete and \$400 for 14U/freshman athlete. This includes all practices, games, instruction, tournament fees, game uniform, team equipment, administrative costs, insurance and organizational fees. This does not include any hotel costs for out of town tournaments. If you have financial questions or concerns, please email lkyboysbasketball@gmail.com and someone will reach out.

Practice Jersey: LKY will provide game uniforms, however each athlete in 7th-12th grade must purchase their own practice uniform. The cost is between \$50-\$75. This is kept by each athlete.