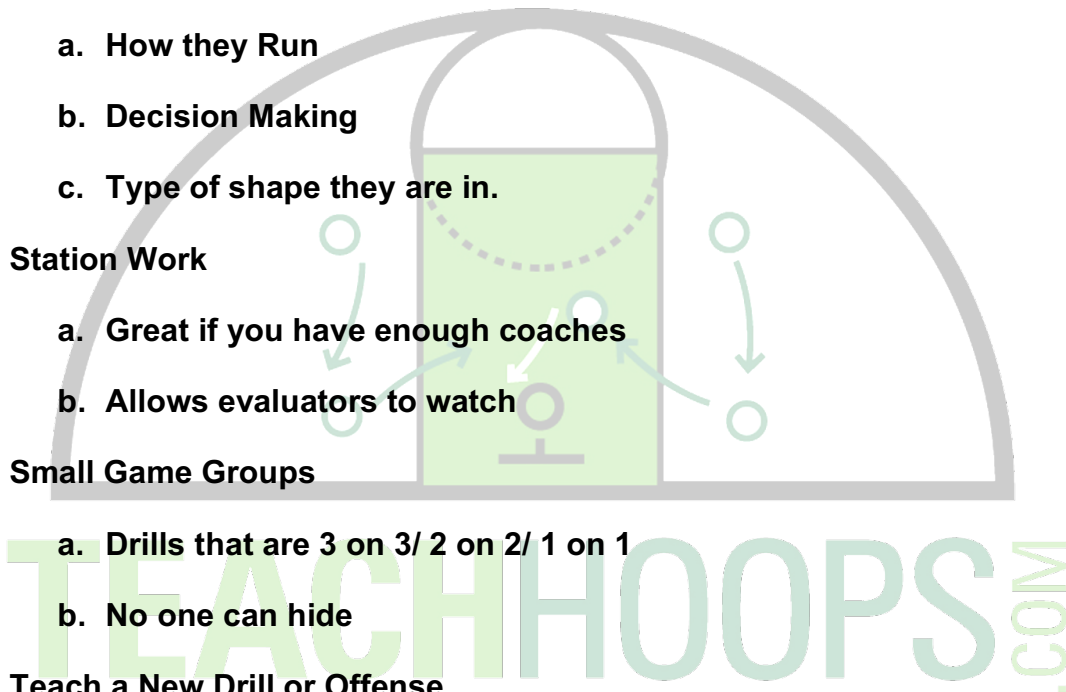


## How to Conduct an effective basketball tryout

### Why will tryouts be the hardest day of the year?

The only decision more difficult than determining which players get to play in games are which players make your team. This is probably the hardest and MOST important day of the year. The team you pick will affect you and your team for the rest of the season

1. **What Type of Team will you have? ( This will have an influence on the types of drills**
2. **Transition Drills**
  - a. **How they Run**
  - b. **Decision Making**
  - c. **Type of shape they are in.**
3. **Station Work**
  - a. **Great if you have enough coaches**
  - b. **Allows evaluators to watch**
4. **Small Game Groups**
  - a. **Drills that are 3 on 3/ 2 on 2/ 1 on 1**
  - b. **No one can hide**
5. **Teach a New Drill or Offense**
  - a. **Forces them to pay attention and listen**
  - b. **Find out engaged athletes**
  - c. **Coachable players**
6. **Communication and Team work Drills**
  - a. **Special players stand out**
7. **Play?**

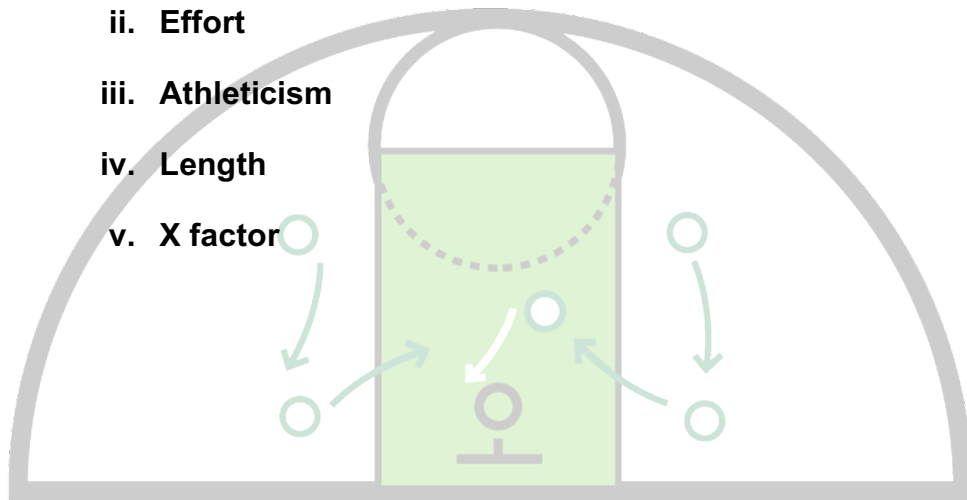


## What to Look For In Players for your team

1. Players that fill a role
2. Players who make the team better
3. Who will fit with the team community
4. Players or Positions

### a. What I look for in a basketball players

- i. Attitude
- ii. Effort
- iii. Athleticism
- iv. Length
- v. X factor



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