

# Knowledge Organiser KS1- Basketball



# Key Knowledge

**Passing:** Passing means moving the ball from one person to another in the same team. You can pass the ball in different ways, like a chest pass, bounce pass, or overhead pass. You use both hands, and the ball can go different distances.

**Dribbling:** Dribbling means moving with the ball while keeping control of it. You use one hand to dribble, but you can pass it to someone else if needed.

Defending: Defending means stopping the other team from scoring. You can get the ball back or make the

from scoring. You can get the ball back or make the other team go further away from the basket to make it harder for them to score.

**Shooting:** Shooting means throwing the ball towards the basket to try and score. You need to be careful not to throw it too hard or it might bounce off the backboard.

**Positions:** Only five players can play at one time, and they each have a different position: Centre, Power Forward, Small Forward, Point Guard, and Shooting Guard.

# **Key Vocabulary**

### **Passing**



The moving of the ball from one player to another.

## **Dribbling**



Travelling around the court, bouncing the ball but keeping control of it.

#### Attacking



Keeping possession of the ball, reducing the distance between the ball and the opposition's basket, with the main aim of scoring.

## **Defending**



Reducing the opposition's chance of scoring by intercepting the ball and creating distance between the ball & your own basket.

## Shooting



The throwing of the ball towards the basket, with the main aim of scoring.

#### **Basket**



The ring with the net hanging from it, used as the only way to score points. The ball must drop through the net to receive points.

# Focus Player's

#### Michael Jordan

Widely regarded as one of the best to ever play the game, Michael Jordan won six NBA championships with the Chicago Bulls, and now owns the Charlotte Hornets.



#### **Kobe Bryant**

Also widely regarded as one of the best, Kobe Bryant won five NBA championships with the LA Lakers, before tragically dying in 2020.



#### OG Anunoby

OG is a current NBA player for the Toronto Raptors. Although he was brought up in Missouri, he was born, and lived in London till he was 4.



# What should I already know? KS1

## Year 1

- How to collect and control a ball with two hands.
- How to travel around an area.
- How to make simple decisions in response to a situation.

# Year 2

- How to drop and catch a ball after one bounce on the move.
- Run, stop and change direction with some balance and control.
- Recognise space in relation to others.
- Simple tactics with guidance.

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