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## HOOPER GOES TO CAMP

A great reading book for young ball players that tells the story of Hooper's first HOOPZONE Basketball camp experience.

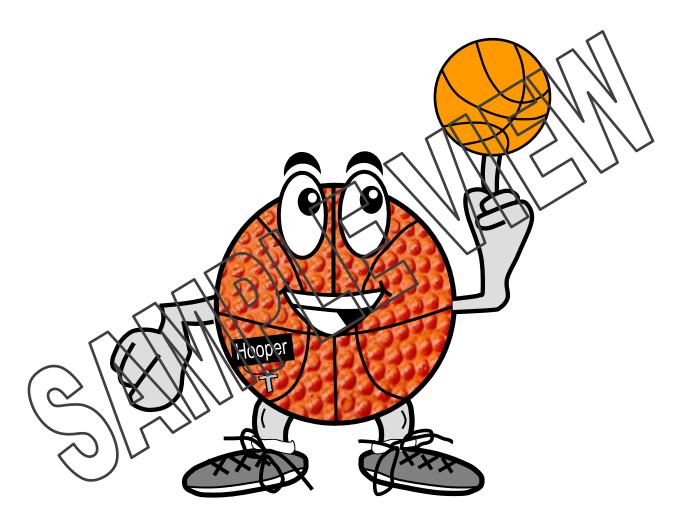
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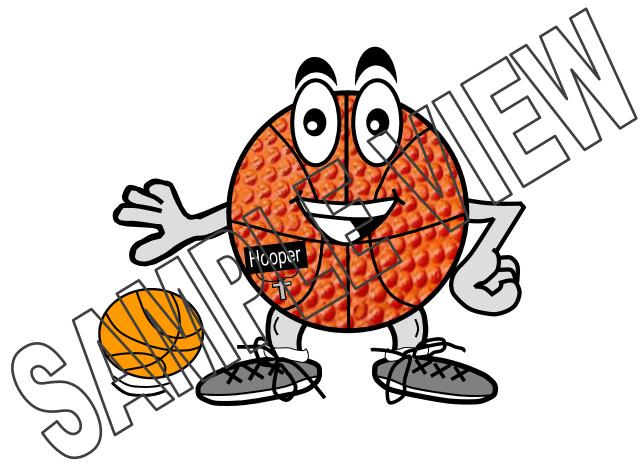
I can't wait to start playing, I love basketball and some of my friends will be there too.



Hooper gets his basketball out and starts to think about going to camp.

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As soon as Hooper arrives at camp he picks up a ball and starts to dribble it.



"There are a lot of kids at camp, I am so excited," he thinks to himself.

Everyone does ball handling drills to help their hands feel the basketball.

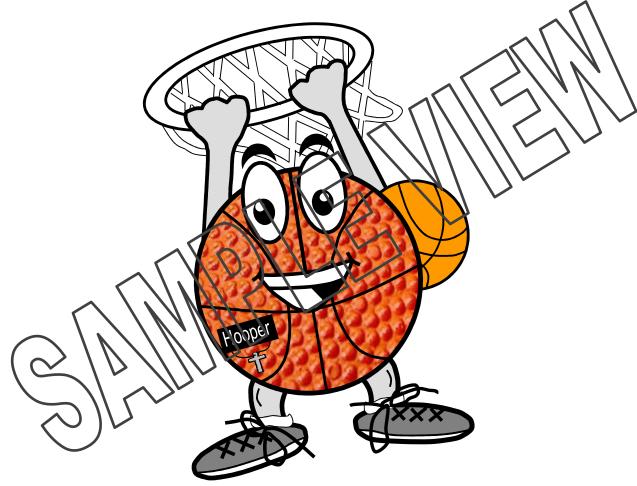


We slap the ball, tip the ball and toss the ball up in the air. Next they work on passing the ball to each other. It is hard to learn to catch and pass but they must do it to get better.



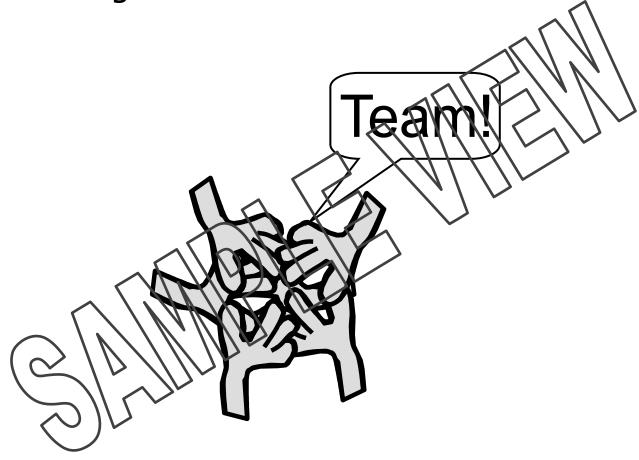
Always keep your hands up when catching the ball.

Hooper says "Shooting is my favorite part of basketball, and I can even make it on these little baskets."



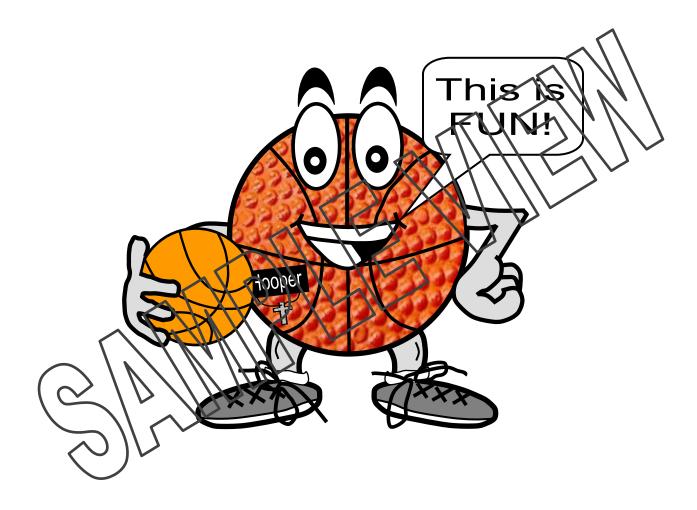
Coach O says, "When shooting you must only use the B.E.E.F. way."

"We all come together at the end of camp and huddle up," says Hooper smiling.



"We stick our hands together and say **TEAM!**"

"I really love going to HOOPZONE Basketball," Hooper says smiling.



I hope you can join us at the next HOOPZONE Basketball camp!