

TALENT IDENTIFICATION



Disregard if they “look” like a player, want productivity, can they produce in high pressure situations. Can they get TCBA to the National Final? Can they produce in the National Final?

Coachability	Love of the game - Gym Rat
If you are a 'COACH' need to have the people skills and be able to find a way to get all different type of personalities on YOUR team.	Those that do all the “one percenters”, those that take every opportunity to improve.
Mental Toughness	Intelligence
Who isn't giving up when the going gets tough, who is standing in battle right next to you in times of need.	Ability to quickly pick up and implement information.
	Demonstrated loyalty
	Has proven track record with TCBA
Basketball IQ	Physical Attributes
Demonstrated through decision making. Low turn-overs on offense. Being able to “create” turn-overs on defence / or get consistent stops. Do they have time and space?	Or the potential to have the physical attributes to play game at high level. Far easier to make a good player fit than a fit player good. BUT why isn't the good player fit? If lacking in a particular physical attribute, do they have a skill set or personality trait to overcome?
Fundamental Skill Set	Versatility
Do they have good skills? Fundamental skill underpins players ability to ball. In consideration of exposure they have received, does fundamental skills match?	Can they play multiple positions, can they play both with and without the ball? Can they adjust quickly to change of game plan? Or do they do the same thing in all occasions?
Best Fit	X-Factor
For both player and TCBA. Example needs court time to develop, so put into “B” Team. Needs discipline or specific skill set worked on put into team with a particular Coach who is skilled in this area.	Other attributes, such as leadership skills, outstanding team member, great shooter, defensive specialist. Nothing worse than looking down the bench to see the same type of player, just with lesser ability.

Defensively minded or shows the potential to be defensively minded
Very limited opportunity for those in the game that don't play defence