



BASKETBALL NSW YOUTH GRADING SYSTEM



Youth Grade	Entry Level Recommendation	Entry Age	Theory Requirements Recommendations	Equal Senior Standard	Competencies
Youth One <i>Controlled by Association</i>	Under 10 - Under 12 Domestic Comp Primary	12	Simplified Rules Court Coverage Basic Signals Basketball Rules For Beginners	Junior Badge	Partnered with experienced official. Use of basic signals, keep up with the play, call enough fouls and violations
Youth Two <i>Controlled by Association</i>	Under 12 - Under 14 Domestic Comp Under 12 Reps	12 - 16	MUST pass written theory exam to progress	Level O	Call Consistency, Improve Court Mechanics, Develop Signals, Some Voice Skills
Youth Three <i>Controlled by Association</i>	Under 14 - Under 16 Domestic Under 14 Reps	13 - 17	Mechanics area of responsibility Foul sequence Behaviour Control	Prelim- 1C	Areas of responsibility Ability to look off ball Signal Sequence, Start Mechanics for special situations Improve consistency
Youth Four <i>Controlled by Association</i>	Under 16 Domestic Under 18 with Senior Partner Under 16 Reps	14 - 17	Referee Philosophy Contact Principals Technical Terms Man Management Fitness Complete Level 1 Theory Exam	1C	Professional Attitude On Court Presence Sound Communication Skills - players, coaches Consistency of Performance Mechanics for special situations.
Youth Five <i>Controlled by Basketball NSW</i>	Under 16 - Under 18 Senior Domestic Under 18 Reps	16 - 17	Elite Youth Official	1B	Advantage / Disadvantage Judgement People Management in tough situations Consistent Performance