

# ROUNDERS/SOFTBALL

AVERAGE GRADE YOU SHOULD BE AIMING FOR EACH YEAR GROUP

		Y7	Y8	Y9	Y10	Y11
<b>8-10 Top GCSE student</b>	Can perform and replicate techniques to a high level showing control, accuracy and timing. Has the ability to be an influence within a game and can respond to change effectively. Will outwit opposition with ease. Understands and evaluates performance and can see how skill, tactics, strategies and fitness affect overall team effectiveness.					
<b>7</b>	Can use and replicate an excellent range of skills to outwit an opponent. An advanced level of skill and consistent technique when batting and accuracy & timing when bowling. Can analyse their own opponent's skills using sound technical knowledge, and plan ways to improve team and individual performance.					✓
<b>6</b>	Very good skill replication and shows control and timing in batting & bowling execution. Bowling is consistently accurate. Ground fielding is good and throws are precise. Becoming more influential in a game consistently outwit opponents. Evaluate performance of self and others using correct terminology.				✓	
<b>5</b>	Can select and accurately replicate a very good range of skills to outwit an opponent (bat, bowl and field displaying reasonable control and accuracy). Can vary bowling technique to outwit batter. Can place the ball when batting through anticipation and adjustment of position. Can analyse and make suggestions, which will improve individual play.			✓		
<b>4</b>	Can accurately and consistently replicate batting and bowling technique. Can vary these skills even under pressure and outwit opponents well. Can suggest some ways of improving their own performance. Can explain in simple terms the physical effects of exercise on their body and safe way of preparing for exercise.		✓			
<b>3</b>	Can replicate skills on most occasions with some control with direction. Technique often lacks consistency. Bowls with some control. Catches with varying success and can throw ball back with moderate aim. Is able to try tactics and think of ways to improve performance.	✓				
<b>2</b>	Technique regularly lacks consistency. Can perform simple under arm throws but tend to be inaccurate and weak. Struggles performing over arm throws. Batting technique is accurate but rarely makes contact with the ball. Can explain one or two rules.					
<b>1</b>	They have little understanding of how the game is played and as a result don't contribute in game situations. Technique is poor.					