



2026 Guidelines for Players Playing Up

NOTE: It is recommended that approval of players playing up be sought through the MWNWA Executive on duty before taking the court

ALL Club Coaches and Managers are to be given a copy of this document.

2026 GRADE	SENIOR DIVISION ELIGIBLE TO PLAY IN	Junior grades eligible to play up									
Division 2	Div 1										
Division 3	Div 2 or higher										
Division 4	Div 3 or higher										
Division 5	Div 4 or higher										
Division 6	Div 5 or higher										
Division 7	Div 6 or higher										
Division 8	Div 7 or higher										
Division 9	Div 8 or higher										
Cadets 1	Div 3 or higher										
Cadets 2	Div 4 or higher	Cad 1									
Cadets 3	Div 5 or higher	Cad 2	Cad 1								
Cadets 4	Div 6 or higher	Cad 3	Cad 2	Cad 1							
Cadets 5	Div 8 or higher	Cad 4	Cad 3	Cad 2	Cad 1						
Cadets 6	Div 9 or higher	Cad 5	Cad 4	Cad 3	Cad 2	Cad 1					
15A	Div 3 or higher	Cad 1									
15B	Div 5 or higher	15A	Cad 3	Cad 2	Cad 1						
15C	Div 7 or higher	15B	15A	Cad 5	Cad 4	Cad 3	Cad 2	Cad 1			
15D	Div 9 or higher	15C	15B	15A	All Cadets						
14A	Div 5 or higher	15B	15A	Cad 2	Cad 1						
14B	Div 7 or higher	14A	15C	15B	15A	Cad 4	Cad 3	Cad 2	Cad 1		
14C	Div 8 or higher	14B	14A	15D	15C	15B	15A	All Cadets			
14D	Div 9 or higher	14C	14B	14A	All 15's				All Cadets		
14 E	Div 9 or higher	All 14 & 15 Grades and all cadets									
13A	Div 6 or higher	14B	14A	15C	15B	15A	All Cadet Divisions				
13B	Div 7 or higher	13A	14C	14B	14A	15D	15C	15B	15A	All Cadets	
13C	Div 8 or higher	13B	13A	14D	14C	14B	14A	All 14 & 15 Grades & All Cadets			
13D	Div 9 or higher	13C	13B	13A	All 14 & 15 Grades and All Cadets						
13E	Div 9 or higher	All 13, 14 & 15 Grades and All Cadets									

12 years and under CANNOT play up in any Opens Grade.

14 rep team can borrow from any players in the 14 Development squad - but players need to have their home club confirm they can play that week.

7, 8 & 9 Net Set Go players can only play in grades below :

7 year olds – 7, 7/8 & 8,

8 year olds – 8, 8/9, 9

9 year olds – 8/9, 9

Any 9 year old player may play in the lowest graded 10's team for their club. They can play up a maximum of 3 times. They may NOT play in any final games.

For Junior Grades:

Any A Grade player playing up one (1) age group may only play in A or B Grades

Any A Grade player playing up two (2) or more age groups may only play in A, B or C Grades

Any B Grade player playing up one (1) age group may only play in A, B or C Grades

Any B Grade player playing up two (2) or more age groups may only play in A, B, C or D Grades