

Volleyball Classification Levels

This handout provides the classification levels for Volleyball.

Elite

- Top Competition level
- Skilled volleyball players.
- Possess advanced skills:
 - Serving,
 - Spiking,
 - Blocking,
 - Setting.
- Show exceptional teamwork and strategy.

Advanced Plus

- Exceptionally high success rate in achieving the ideal set situation
- Elevated attacking success rate.
- Strong capabilities as both a blocker and defender.

Advanced

- Exceptional ball control.
- Effective even in unpredictable situations.
- Remarkably strong blocking and attacking abilities.
- Can partially compensate for ball control.
- High success rate in attacking, particularly in ideal set situations.

Intermediate Plus

- The majority of the team is at an average or slightly above skill level.
- Most players possess a solid understanding of the game.
- Demonstrate good skills, may not have capabilities to reach Advanced level.

Intermediate

- Skills include reliable serves and fundamental hits

- Awareness of basic court movement patterns.
- Basic comprehension of rules, including hand setting and understanding attacking faults.
- Demonstrates relatively effective attack when the set is executed perfectly.

Recreational Plus

- Participants understand the game but lack consistency in their skills.
- Occasionally commit scooping or throwing violations yet are aware of the mistakes.

Recreational

- Players have a good grasp of fundamental skills.
- Demonstrate basic hand-eye coordination and ability to hit the ball over the net.
- Basic understanding of the rules of the game.

Social

- New to volleyball or limited experience in sport.
- Focus on developing fundamental motor skills and mastering basics.