

AYSO Region 528 Player Evaluation



Team Name:

Coach:

Coach Phone:

Please list each child on your roster in the chart below. Determine a rating for each area indicated based on each player's ability WITHIN THEIR DIVISION. Please do not base any rating on a player's ability within your own team. Keep in mind that it is unlikely that ALL of your players will be rated the same. Please keep in mind as well, that while you might really like a player, you need to be objective about his/her skills. Rating them higher or lower than their actual skills, will not help them grow as a player.

Your evaluations are VERY IMPORTANT! They help the Region to keep teams balanced!!

Please use the following rating guide:

5 ~ OUTSTANDING – Player ability ranks at the top 10% of their division.

4 ~ STRONG - Player has above average soccer skills.

3 ~ AVERAGE - Player has adequate skills and displays good effort.

- 2 ~ FAIR Player exhibits below average soccer skills.
- 1 ~ **POOR** There is significant room for improvement. Player skills are below average.

A ~ Participation Level – Player is an active participant at both practices and games.

B ~ **Cooperation / "Coachability"** – Player is willing to learn, pays attention during games and practices and applies coach instructions during games and practices. Also, consider the player's dependability as to attendance at both practices and games. C ~ **Game Sense / Understanding** – Player has a general understanding of the game. Player recognizes offense versus defense as well as the basic laws of the game.

 $D \sim Dribbling Skills - Player exhibits sound dribbling skills.$ Average players exhibit ability to use instep while dribbling. More advanced players exhibit the ability to use instep, outside and top of foot while dribbling.

 $E \sim Kicking Skills - Player exhibits the ability to kick the ball in the direction of intent. Player demonstrates the ability to utilize the instep of foot. More advanced players exhibit ability to utilize outside and top of foot as well for passing and shooting.$

F ~ Strength of Kick – Rate the player's velocity of kicks in addition to the ability to control the direction of kick.

 $G \sim Ball Trapping Skills -$ Player exhibits the ability to trap the ball during practices and games. Basic skill represents the ability to use the instep to bring ball under control. More advanced players exhibit the ability to use other parts of the foot as well as potentially the thigh.

H ~ **Teamwork & Sportsmanship** – Player demonstrates teamwork during both practices and games. Player exhibits good sportsmanship to players, coaches, referees and parents during practices and matches. Player demonstrates respect for the game.

 $I \sim Field$ Awareness – Player demonstrates general understanding of positions as well as his/her responsibility at a particular position. Player differentiates between an offensive attack versus defensive positioning when possession is lost. Also, consider the player's aggressiveness both offensively and defensively.

J ~ Aggressiveness – Player is aggressive both offensively as well as defensively. Player is willing to attack the ball during match play and practices versus waiting for the game to come to him/her.

Player Name	A	В	С	D	E	F	G	н	I	J	Total