



Year 4: Rounders Knowledge Mat

Subject Specific Vocabulary		Rounders	Important knowledge
underarm	A short distance throw where the hand swings down and back, reaching behind the body, step forward with the opposite foot.		<input type="checkbox"/> I can catch a rounders ball using the correct technique.
overarm	A long distance throw where you stand side-on to the target, step forward on opposite foot to throwing arm, and follow through with throwing arm towards target.		<input type="checkbox"/> I can send a rounders ball underarm and overarm with accuracy.
long barrier	To stop a rolling ball, bend both knees and twist sideways so that the knee of your strong leg touches the ground and touches the back of the heel of the other leg, extend arms downwards, spread hands wide with little fingers touching each other.		<input type="checkbox"/> I can strike a ball using the correct batting technique.
first base	The first of four places you must run to after hitting the ball and before scoring a point, or the position of a player defending this place.		<input type="checkbox"/> I can strike a ball to a chosen location by changing my body position.
backstop	A fielding position who stands in-line with the bowler but behind the batter to retrieve the ball if it is missed.		<input type="checkbox"/> I can use a long barrier to stop a rolling ball.
deep fielder	A fielding position who stands a distance behind the posts and has to catch or gather the ball to the nearest post.		<input type="checkbox"/> I know where I need to throw the ball to when fielding.
stump out	A fielder touches a base with the ball.		<input type="checkbox"/> I can read where the batter is running to and know the best way to get them out.
strike	Hitting a small, hard, leather-cased ball with a rounded end wooden bat.		<input type="checkbox"/> I know the correct pass to perform as a fielder.
second base	The base directly behind the bowler. A batter scores ½ a rounder if they strike the ball and run to this post.		<input type="checkbox"/> I know how best to get a batter out.
half/full rounder	Ways of scoring in rounders. See lesson 5.		<input type="checkbox"/> I can use fielding techniques to stump a player out.
			<input type="checkbox"/> I can strike a rounders ball and run on to a base, being aware of where my team-mates are.
			<input type="checkbox"/> I can play different fielding positions (base, backstop, bowler, deep fielder).
			<input type="checkbox"/> I can use fielding techniques in a full game of rounders.
			<input type="checkbox"/> I can use batting and running techniques in a full game of rounders.