



## UMPIRE ACCREDITATION

The Netball Australia Umpire Accreditation system is an educational pathway based on Netball Australia Umpiring Courses (Level 1 & 2), NOAS General Principles (Introductory & Advanced), Rules in Action and practical umpiring instruction through an experienced mentor system.

Assessment is based on Theory Examinations (Section 1 & 2), practical evaluation through established KPI's, self reflection and, where possible, video analysis.

The culmination of this accreditation system, for those who choose, leads to practical assessment in a 4-tiered system of badges, namely C, B, A and the highest national award the AA (All Australian).

### Pathways to Practical Testing

It is not essential to proceed sequentially through each badge level. The only pre-requisite badge level is an A Badge before Screening for an AA Badge

PRE-REQUISITES	PATHWAYS	ASSESSMENT		QUALIFICATIONS (refer to KPI's)
		Theory Examination	Practical Test	
<b>Level 1 Course</b> (integrated with Introductory Level Officiating General Principles)	Participating in Rules Discussion workshops	<b>Section I (Online)</b> 70-79%	Local Game (4x15minutes quarters)	<b>C Badge</b>
	Attending Rules in Action course(s)  Mentoring	<b>Section I (Online)</b> 80-89%	Local Game (4x15minutes quarters)	<b>B Badge</b>
<b>Rules In Action</b> (2 Parts)  +	Practice umpiring at appropriate level	<b>Section I (Online)</b> 90-100%	State League Game ( 4x15 minutes quarters)	<b>A Badge</b>

<p><b>Level 2 Course</b> (includes Advanced Level Officiating General Principles)</p>	Attend Umpire Development Programmes	<p><b>Section I (Online)</b> 90-100%</p>	<p>State League Game ( 4x15 minutes quarters)</p>	<p><b>A Badge</b></p>
	Self Reflection	<p><b>Section II</b> 90-100%</p>	<p>2 quarters of 2 State League games in one of the following MOs - NSW; SA; VIC</p>	<p><b>All Australia Badge (AA)</b></p>
	Individual Development		<p>1 game at Highest Level of National Competition</p>	
	Screening for AA	<p><b>International Umpire Theory Examination</b> (when introduced)</p>	<p>Highest Level of Competition  in the Country with International Experience</p>	<p><b>International Umpire Award (IUA)</b></p>
Introductory Level Officiating General Principles course (available online)	<p>Advanced Level Officiating General Principles</p>			