



## **Rules for Teaching Ability Tests**

In order for apprentices to be allowed to teach they have to fulfil the following criteria:

1. Pass the playing ability test.

Procedure:

- Obtain the document C/Y1/001 and be familiar with it.
- The mentor pro must be satisfied that the apprentice is ready to undergo the assessment. It is important for the confidence of the apprentice to have been built up via a) shadowing the mentor pro or other PGA qualified coach.
- Book a PAT with a PGA credited assessor
- The assessor must notify the PGA that the apprentice is competent or not.

**Note: all apprentices must do the TAT within the first 6 months of apprenticeship.**

2. Complete and be declared competent in the first year assignment on laws and principles
3. Complete the portfolio of evidence/assignment on coaching children

Having completed these criteria the apprentice will have fulfilled the equivalent of the Grow Golf Coaches (formerly Level 1) qualification and will be in the equivalent to an assistant coach domain as defined by SASCOC.

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