

	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8
Batting	Demonstrate correct grip and stance when batting. Perform a basic front foot defensive shot with controlled contact. Introduce back foot defensive shot against shorter delivery. Attempt simple attacking shots such as a controlled drive along the ground. Show awareness of protecting the stumps .	Execute controlled front foot defence and back foot defence under pressure. Play attacking front foot drive with improved timing. Introduce back foot pull shot against short delivery. Demonstrate shot selection based on line and length.	Demonstrate confident front and back foot defensive shots in match play. Execute attacking shots including drive , cut , and pull with control. Introduce hook shot against short-pitched bowling. Select appropriate shot based on field placement. Rotate strike effectively.	Execute consistent front and back foot defensive shots against varied bowling. Perform attacking strokes including drive , pull , hook , cut , and sweep with precision. Manipulate field through controlled placement. Demonstrate advanced shot selection under pressure.
Bowling	Deliver the ball using a basic over-arm action. Demonstrate consistent line and length at a medium pace. Maintain control and accuracy over short spells.	Maintain consistent line and length in match play. Introduce simple variation in pace . Develop control of basic spin variation .	Deliver consistent line and length under pressure. Develop effective pace variation . Apply controlled spin bowling with turn off the surface. Demonstrate tactical planning against different batters.	Maintain disciplined line and length at sustained pace. Apply advanced variation including changes in flight, pace, and spin. Set up batters strategically. Demonstrate control across extended spells.
Catching	Catch a ball from short distance using correct cup hands technique . Attempt catches from increased distance. Demonstrate safe technique when catching high balls. Introduction to wicket keeping stance standing back from the stumps.	Catch consistently from mid-range distance. Demonstrate correct technique for high catch under pressure. Perform basic wicket keeping standing back with improved reaction time. Show readiness position behind the stumps.	Take clean catches from distance under pressure. Demonstrate effective close catching technique. Perform wicket keeping standing up to the stumps for slower bowling. React quickly to edges and deflections.	Take confident high catches in pressure situations. Demonstrate advanced close catching reflexes . Perform effective wicket keeping standing up and standing back depending on bowler. Maintain consistent footwork and anticipation.
Throwing	Return the ball accurately over short distances. Demonstrate correct long barrier technique when fielding along the ground. Gather and throw in one movement where possible. Introduction to basic stumping awareness .	Demonstrate accurate throwing over increased distance. Apply long barrier and introduce short barrier technique . Attempt basic stumping when ball is gathered cleanly. Improve speed of recovery after fielding.	Demonstrate quick pick-up and release under pressure. Apply accurate throws to appropriate ends. Execute effective relay throws from distance. Perform successful stumping and recovery work as wicket keeper.	Execute rapid ground fielding and direct-hit attempts. Apply accurate long-distance throws under match pressure. Demonstrate effective stumping technique and swift recovery work as wicket keeper. Coordinate fielding unit to prevent
Game specific	Participate in small-sided cricket games. Demonstrate understanding of basic rules and scoring . Apply	Apply batting and bowling tactics in pairs cricket. Demonstrate understanding of field placements . Com-	Communicate effectively within fielding unit. Demonstrate sustained concentration throughout	Apply advanced tactical awareness in competitive matches. Adapt strategy based on match situation