



# Junior Pickleball Levels

## Learning & Development Program

Class Name	Age	Child/Pro Ratio	Skill Level	Description
<b>Picklers 1</b>	4-5	6/1	Beginner	Just starting to play pickleball.
<b>8 &amp; UNDER</b>				
<b>Picklers 2</b>	6-7	6/1	Beginner	Just starting to play pickleball.
<b>Development 1</b>	7-8	5/1	Intermediate	Sustains short length rallies. General understanding of rules and scorekeeping. Able to serve and play a game.
<b>10 &amp; UNDER</b>				
<b>Picklers 3</b>	8-10	5/1	Beginner/Advanced Beginner	Little or no racquet experience. Cannot maintain a short rally.
<b>Development 2</b>	8-10	5/1	Intermediate	Sustains short length rallies. General understanding of rules and scorekeeping. Able to serve and play a game.
<b>Performance 1</b>	8-10	5/1	Advanced	Sustains medium-length rallies. Beginning to learn various shot types. Should be playing multiple times per week.
<b>14 &amp; UNDER</b>				
<b>Picklers 4</b>	11-13	5/1	Beginner/Advanced Beginner	Sustains short rallies. General understanding of rules and scorekeeping. Able to serve and play a game.
<b>Development 3</b>	11-13	5/1	Intermediate	Sustains medium-length rallies (5 shots). Able to serve & play a game on a 78' court.
<b>Performance 2</b>	11-13	5/1	Advanced	Sustains medium-length rallies. Starting to incorporate grip changes and shot selection. Should be playing multiple times per week. Designated for players with tournament aspirations.
<b>18 &amp; UNDER</b>				
<b>Picklers 5</b>	14+	5/1	Beginner/Advanced Beginner	Little or no racquet experience. Cannot maintain a short rally.
<b>Development 4</b>	14+	5/1	Intermediate	Sustains medium length rallies. General understanding of rules and scorekeeping. Able to serve and play a game.
<b>Performance 3</b>	14+	5/1	Advanced	Sustains varying length rallies. Starting to incorporate the strategy behind shot selection and court positioning. Should be playing multiple times per week. Designated for players with tournament aspirations.