

# Level 2 umpire Syllabus



UMPIRES & SCORERS  
ASSOCIATION

## Required study:

The Player Umpires Companion  
Cricket Scoring – Getting started

## Competency:

Level 2 umpires are expected to be competent to officiate in High-school and club cricket as an umpire in matches in which they may be playing.

<b>Module 2.1</b>	<b>(63 slides)</b>
<b>Introduction</b>	Syllabus; Terminology: The Player Umpires Companion; Cricket Law
<b>Pre-match duties</b>	Umpires should know; Spirit of cricket; Protecting young bodies
<b>Artificial pitches</b>	The turf verge; No return crease; No-ball or Wide; Wickets used; Foot-wear; Regulations or agreement with captains
<b>The bat</b>	Size and width; When held by a batsman
<b>Umpires</b>	Where to stand, bowler's end, striker's end
<b>Dead-ball</b>	Automatically; Umpire to call & signal.
<b>Unfair play</b>	The ball; The batsmen; The wicket-keeper; Illegal fielding; Fielder moving; Obstruction and Distraction of a batsman; Time-wasting
<b>Module 2.2</b>	<b>(54 slides)</b>
<b>Mode of delivery</b>	Balls of the over; Under-arm bowling; Definition of a fair delivery
<b>The wicket is down</b>	Thrown; The right and wrong way to break the stumps; Remaking the wicket; Dispensing with bails
<b>Boundaries</b>	Examples; Sight-screen; Over-throws
<b>A batsman innings</b>	Starts; Stops
<b>A batsman's ground</b>	Out of his ground; batsman with a runner
<b>Module 2.3</b>	<b>(56 slides)</b>
<b>Out or Dismissed</b>	Bowled; Timed-out; Caught; Handled-the-ball; Hit-the-ball-twice; Hit-wicket; Obstructing-the-field; Obstructing a catch; LBW; Run-out; Stumped.
<b>A batsman retiring</b>	Batsman retires; Resumes his innings
<b>Fielder leaving the field</b>	Informing the umpires; His return; Consent required
<b>Limited-over matches</b>	Field markings; Fielding restrictions; Bowling restrictions
<b>Techniques</b>	Umpiring Techniques; Why do you want to umpire; Enjoying the game; Integrity; Criticisms and Compliments; Decisions; Answering questions; Switching up & down; Concentration; Conflict situations
<b>Scoring</b>	Cricket Scoring - Getting started; What the Laws require of scorers; Solo scorers; Do's and don'ts; Scoring symbols.

## Examination:

This may be taken as an oral or written examination: ..... 80% pass mark required.