

Macau Tennis Academy Assessment System (Novice Class, Advance Class, Elite Class)

The Macau Tennis Academy aims to continuously, systematically and scientifically develop talented young players which serves to consolidate tennis athletic foundation and form the basis for sustainably development of a system of echelon. The Macau Tennis Academy will continue to optimise our assessment system in order to select and develop outstanding athletes. We hope for the understanding and cooperation of you players and parents.

- 1. In principle, an assessment will be conducted every 12 weeks of the course, and each class will arrange the assessment method according to the actual conditions; three assessments will be held each year. If the three assessments per year cannot be completed under special circumstances, the students be considered whether upgrade or not according to the technical level of the completion courses in the academy year.
- 2. There are 4 areas for each assessment, including: Technical assessment, Physical test, Attendance rate, Attitude, and the tournaments results are the bonus points.
- 3. The annual assessment mark is the average of the marks in each assessments across the year.
- 4. Those who fail to attend the assessment on time must make a reasonable application in advance. If the application is not approved, or absent without reason, it will be regarded as voluntarily giving up the qualification of the test, and the assessment will be regarded as zero.

5. Assessment method:

- 5.1 The assessment system adopts the comprehensive assessment method, which is determined by the weighted average score of four assessment areas:
- 5.2 Students participating in local tournament can get 1 extra point for the total assessment score, those who enter the Quarter-final in the singles event can get 3 extra points for the total assessment score, and those who enter the Semi-final can get 6 extra points for the total assessment score. And those who enter the final can get 9 extra points for the total assessment score.

6. Impacts of assessment:

- 6.1 If both the attendance rate and the annual mark are greater than 90, the player may apply for a promotion to a higher class.
- 6.2 If the annual mark is between 60 and 90 inclusive, the player may stay in the same class.



- 6.3 If the annual mark falls below 60, the player will be listed as object of focused observation. If the annual mark falls below 60 in two consecutive years, the student may not keep his/her student status in the next year.
- 7. If a player misbehave during training, the Macau Tennis Academy will send an advice on paper to the player. If a player receives two written advices in the same year, the Macau Tennis Academy will inform the Sports Bureau. In the worst case the player may lose his/her student status.
- 8. The number of upgrade places depends on the test results of higher classes. If there are remaining places, they will be admitted according to the order of the test ranking; if there are no places, the original class will be maintained and the results will be retained for the comprehensive assessment after the next test.
- 9. The age limit for Macau tennis academy student is 14 years old. If the student overage, he/she will not be allowed to retain their student status.
- 10. All assessment results are finalized by the assessment committee. For the above and unlisted situations, the rights of interpretation belongs to the Macau Tennis Association.