

Skill Assessment for 3.5 Players

Name: _____ Self-Rating: _____ Date: _____
 Email: _____ Cell Phone: _____ #Games Observed: _____

Weather Conditions: _____

To be filled out by the Rating Team:

3.5 Skill Level – should ALSO possess most/all 3.0 Skills

	0	1	2	3
Knows all the main rules including how to correct the score and correct server				
Demonstrates control/consistency on forehand groundstrokes (direction, depth, and pace)				
Demonstrates control/consistency on backhand groundstrokes (direction, depth, and pace)				
Placing serve s deep into the court				
Uses deeper and higher returns of serve to approach the net quicker				
Quickly approaches the non-volley line				
Able to play with partners effectively using court strategies like partner communication, and changing a losing game				
Avoids hitting out balls				
Consistently returning lower balls over the net				
Demonstrates a wide variety of shots with some consistency				
Uses slower paced shots vs faster paced shots to their advantage				
Able to create coverage gaps and then hit to these gaps				
Sustains a short volley session at the net with some placement and control				
Initiates and maintains a sustained dink exchange at the net				
Utilizes a slow paced ball (soft shot) to approach the net (3 rd shot)				
Able to adjust to differing ball speeds consistently				
Hits overheads with control				
Uses a forehand and backhand lob when appropriate				
Developing patience during rallies				
Has good mobility *				
Has good quickness *				
Has good hand-eye coordination *				

Svr. Requirement – 8 out of 10 (80%)		
	YES	NO
Service Good		
Service Foot-faults		

Volley Requirement – 8 out of 10 (80%)		
	YES	NO
Backhand		
Forehand		
Non-Volley Zone foot faults		

Svr. Return Requirement – 8 out 10 (80%)		
	YES	NO
Good Forehand		
Good Backhand		

* - If a person cannot move quickly enough due to physical restrictions, then the rating will be reduced according to the physical limitations as related to playing the game.

Rater's Signature _____ Actual Skill Level _____ Player's Signature _____

Legend: 0 = not observed or not able to execute, 1 = attempted but very poorly executed/needs work,
 2 = good basic form/needs work, 3 = solid, consistent performance