

AGE GRADE JUDGMENT FORM



This judgment form must be sent to the relevant CBAGDS within 48h

If you are unsure of the contact details for your CBAGDS please contact agegradediscipline@rfu.com.

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Body hearing case		Name of body:			
Case Number (If applicable)		Select:	Red Card	Citing	Other

PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE				
Player's Surname		Date of Birth		
Forename(s)		RFU ID No. (if known)		
Team Name		Date of Match		
Offence & Law charged		Plea	Admitted	Not Admitted
Home Team		Away Team		
Home Team Level		Away Team Level		
Referee appointment		Referee name		

HEARING DETAILS				
Hearing Date			Hearing Venue	
Chair/Single JO			Secretary	
Panel Member 1			Panel Member 2	
Decision	Proven	Not Proven	Other disposal e.g. remitted to Club/CB	

CASE SUMMARY AND SANCTION

NOTE: UNDER RFU REGULATION 19.5.2, PLAYERS ORDERED OFF ARE PROVISIONALLY SUSPENDED PENDING THE HEARING OF THEIR CASE, SUCH SUSPENSION SHOULD BE TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION WHEN SANCTIONING

Please click here to access [RFU Regulation 19](#) and [Appendix 6](#)

Total Sanction		Entry Point	
Banned From		Banned To	
Free To Play		Appeal by date	

Please include details of any additional sanction imposed in the relevant box on page 3

Signature (Chair of Panel hearing case)		Please list all all teams (including club, school, college, regional academies and other representatives) for whom Player plays
Signature (CBAGDS)		
Have all teams (including club, school, college, regional academies and other representative teams) been notified of sanction? (note: any ban covers all Rugby)	Yes No	

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Assessment of Seriousness (Regulation 19.11.8)			
PLEASE TICK APPROPRIATE BOX:		Intentional 19.11.8(a)	Reckless 19.11.8(b)
Nature of actions 19.11.8(c)		Existence of provocation 19.11.8(d)	
Whether player retaliated 19.11.8(e)		Self-defence 19.11.8(f)	
Effect on victim 19.11.8(g)		Effect on match 19.11.8(h)	
Vulnerability of victim 19.11.8(i)		Level of participation/premeditation 19.11.8(j)	
Conduct completed/attempted 19.11.8(k)		Other features of player's conduct 19.11.8(l)	
Entry point number of matches Please refer to sanction table in Appendix 6 and note that any action which results in head contact must be a minimum mid-range entry point			
Low End		Mid-Range	Top End*

NOTE: STATE NUMBER OF MATCHES ENTRY POINT FOR OFFENCE

*If top end, the Panel should identify an entry point between the top end and the maximum sanction (19.11.9) as set out in Appendix 6. In making the above assessment, the Panel should consider the RFU Practice Note as set out in Appendix 5 to Regulation 19. Significant weight should be given to RFU regulation 19.11.8(a), 19.11.8(h) and 19.11.8(i).

Reasons for Entry Point

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Mitigating Factors (Regulation 19.11.10)	
Acknowledgment of the commission of foul Play & timing - Reg 19.11.10(a)	Player's disciplinary record - Reg 19.11.10 (b)
Youth and/or inexperience of player 19.11.10(c)	Conduct prior to and at hearing 19.11.10(d)
Remorse & timing of remorse 19.11.10(e)	Other off-field mitigation 19.11.10(f)
Number of matches deducted:	NOTE: SUBJECT TO REGULATION 19.11.12, A DISCIPLINARY PANEL CANNOT APPLY A GREATER REDUCTION THAN 50% OF THE RELEVANT ENTRY POINT SUSPENSION

Aggravating Factors (Regulation 19.11.13)

Player's status as an offender of the Laws of the game 19.11.13(a) and/or need for deterrent 19.11.13(b) and/or any other off-field aggravating factors (including poor conduct prior to or at the hearing) 19.11.13(c)
Number of matches added on:
Any Other Information to include details of any alternative and off-field sanctions

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The CBAGDS or the RFU Head of Discipline shall have the power to review any finding and/or sanction imposed by a Club, College, School, Regional Academy or Coach and, if they are of the view that the finding and/or sanction imposed was unreasonable in all the circumstances, will refer the matter to the NAGDS for consideration.

If you have any questions, please contact agegradediscipline@rfu.com

Reminder: If a School, College, Club or Regional Academy fails to follow the regulatory process and/or fails to involve the CBAGDS, they may be subject to disciplinary procedures, including referral to a CB or RFU Disciplinary Panel.