







# ECB RECOMMENDED JUNIOR FORMATS (GIRLS)

	U9*	U11*	U13*	U15*	U17*
 PLAYERS	6	8	Up to 11	Up to 11	Up to 11
 PITCH LENGTHS (YARDS)	15	17	19	20	22
 MAX BOUNDARY (M)	30	<div>35</div> <div>40</div> <div>Soft ball   Hard ball</div>	45	50	55
 OVERS PER INNINGS SCHOOLS + CLUBS	12	16	20	20	20
 OVERS PER INNINGS TALENT <sup>[1]</sup>	NA	Variety <sup>[2]</sup>	Variety <sup>[2]</sup>	Variety <sup>[2]</sup>	Variety <sup>[2]</sup>
 BALL SIZE** (OZ.)	Light / soft rubber ball	4.75	4.75	5.0	5.0

\*INDICATIVE AGE

\*\*A LIGHT / SOFT RUBBER BALL TO BE USED FOR ANY SOFT BALL CRICKET AT ALL AGE GROUPS

UNDER 10: SAME AS UNDER 11 RECOMMENDATIONS, APART FROM NOT BEING A TALENT ENVIRONMENT

UNDER 12: 18 YARD PITCH, ALL OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS AS PER UNDER 13

UNDER 14: SAME AS UNDER 15 RECOMMENDATIONS

<sup>[1]</sup> TALENT ENVIRONMENTS ARE DEFINED AS CRICKET PLAYED ABOVE CLUB OR SCHOOL I.E. DISTRICT, REGION, AREA OR COUNTY AGE GROUP (DEPENDENT ON THE LOCAL COUNTY DEFINITION / STRUCTURE)

<sup>[2]</sup> SEE SPECIFIC COUNTY AGE GROUP GUIDANCE