



CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

PLAYer	Par	Birdie	Eagle
Core Lessons 1-9	Core Lessons 10-15	Core Lessons 16-21	Core Lessons 22-27
First Tee Life Skills Application			
Respect	GAME	Dreams & Goals	Wellness
Confidence	Meeting & Greeting	Important & Positive Goal	Go-To Team
Honesty	3 Tips for Having Fun	Specific & Under Your	Appreciating Diversity
Judgment	4 Rs	Control	CARE
Integrity	Personal Par	Different Types of Goals	Go-To Person
Sportsmanship		Goal Ladder STAR	Planning for the Future
Responsibility			
Courtesy			
Perseverance			
First Tee Lesson Exposure			
Minimum of ONE session (spring, summer, or fall)	Minimum of TWO sessions (spring, summer, or fall)	Minimum of TWO sessions (spring, summer, or fall)	Minimum of TWO sessions (spring, summer, or fall)
Age			
9 or older	9 or older	12 or older	12 or older (must be 14 to enroll in Ace)
Yardage Book			
Completed and turned into site coach	Completed and turned into site coach	Completed and turned into site coach	Completed and turned into site coach
Written Applications			
Life Skills Knowledge = 10/12	Life Skills Knowledge = 15/18	Life Skills Knowledge = 20/24	Life Skills Knowledge = 25/30
Golf Skills Knowledge = 8/10	Golf Skills Knowledge = 12/15	Golf Skills Knowledge = 16/20	Golf Skills Knowledge = 20/25
			Three PLAYer Development Plans Completed and Submitted to Coach of Nine Healthy Habits Application
The First Tee Golf Skills Application			
Playing Requirements (Turn Scorecards into Site Coach)			
	One 9-hole round of 72 or less (1,500-1,900 yards)	Five 9-hole rounds of 54 or less (1,900-2,500 yards)	Ten 18-hole rounds of 103 or less (5,000-6,000 yards)
Putting			
9-holes Fast/Safe/Courteous	9 holes Maximum of 27	9 holes Maximum of 21	9 holes Maximum of 18
Chipping			
	3 holes (up & downs) Maximum of 12	6 holes (up & downs) Maximum of 21	9 holes (up & downs) Maximum of 27
Full-Swing (Greens)			
	2 of 6 balls land on the green 35 yards (for 9-10 year old)	3 of 6 balls land on the green 35 yards (for 10 year olds)	4 of 6 balls land on the green N/A
	50 yards (for 11-12 year old)	50 yards (for 11-12 year old)	65 yards (for 11-12 year old)
	75 yards (for 13+ year old)	75 yards (for 13+ year old)	100 yards (for 13+ year old)
Full-Swing (Fairways)			
	2 of 6 balls land in the fairway 75 X 20 yards (for 9-10 year old)	3 of 6 balls land in the fairway N/A	4 of 6 balls land in the fairway N/A
	100 X 25 yards (for 11-12 year old)	100 X 25 yards (for 11-12 year old)	130 X 34 yards (for 11-12 year old)
	150 X 38 yards (for 13+ year old)	150 X 38 yards (for 13+ year old)	170 X 44 yards (for 13+ year old)

Certification is conducted in Week 9 and/or 10 of PLAYer, Par, Birdie, & Eagle Classes. For questions regarding the Certification Process, contact Brittnay Cross at bcross@thefirstteegreatercharlotte.org.