Kwik Cricket KS2 Rules

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Teams/ Gender:	• Each team comprises of 8 players. Squads are limited to 10 players. Teams can consist of boys, girls or any ratio of boys and girls. • For girls only tournaments, the squad must consist of girls only.
Game Format:	• The two teams toss a coin to decide which team has the choice of either batting or fielding first. • Throughout a tournament each game shall consist of one innings per team, each innings to be 8 overs long. An over consists of 6 balls.
Pitch:	• Two sets of wickets, 17 yards apart. Boundaries can be a maximum of 35 metres apart but can be reduced to accommodate more matches.
Equipment:	• The use of Kwik Cricket equipment is mandatory, including the orange Kwik Cricket ball. • Players will not be permitted to wear gloves or pads - batting or wicket keeping. • The type of ball used throughout all stages of the tournament must be an orange Kwik Cricket ball.
Batting & Scoring:	• The batting side shall be divided into pairs, each pair batting for 2 overs, with a new pair starting at the end of the second, fourth and sixth overs. • Each team starts batting with a score of 200 runs. • Each time a batter is out, 5 runs are deducted and the other batter of the pair faces the next ball. • A batter may be out bowled, caught, run out, stumped, hit wicket. • There is no LBW law unless the batter deliberately blocks the ball with a leg or foot. Runs will be scored in the normal way as will byes. Two runs will be awarded to the batting team for each wide ball and no-ball bowled plus any additional runs that are taken but no extra ball will be allocated, except in the final over of each innings when, in addition to the two runs, an extra ball will be bowled. • At the end of the first 2 overs, the first pair of batters retires and is replaced by the second pair until all 4 pairs have batted for 2 overs each. • The second team then bats for its 8 overs.
Bowling & Fielding:	• Bowling will take place from one end only, eight overs to be bowled, with each player bowling one over, each game to consist of one innings per team. Bowling should be over arm where possible. All fielders, including the wicketkeeper, must rotate fielding positions at the end of each over. • Except for the wicketkeeper no fielder may field within 10 yards of the bat.
Result:	• The team with the higher score wins, in the event of a tie the team taking more wickets will be the winner. If this is still equal, each player bowls one ball at the wickets with the winner being the team scoring the higher number of strikes
Glossary of Terms:	• An over consists of six balls. • LBW – this law will be only be used if the batter deliberately blocks or kicks away a ball that would have been hitting the stumps. • Byes and leg byes – if a batter misses the ball, or if it hits their body, they may still run and score byes. • Wides – a ball that is too far from the batter to hit it will be called a wide and two runs will be scored along with any additional runs that are run by the batters. • No Balls – any ball that either bounces more than once before reaching the batter or passes above shoulder height without bouncing. Two runs will be scored along with any additional runs that are run by the batters.

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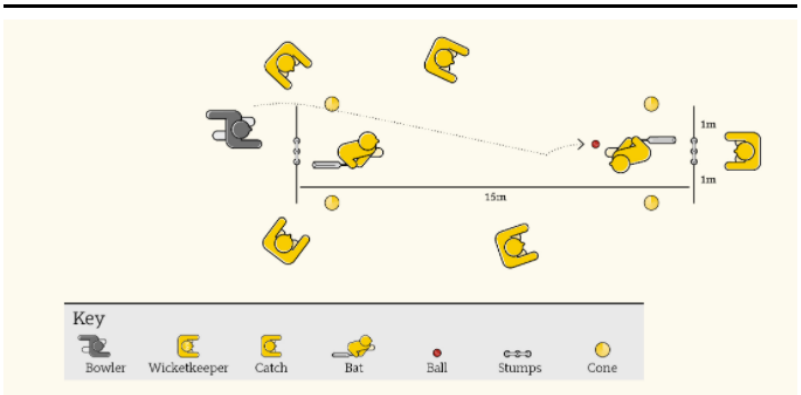
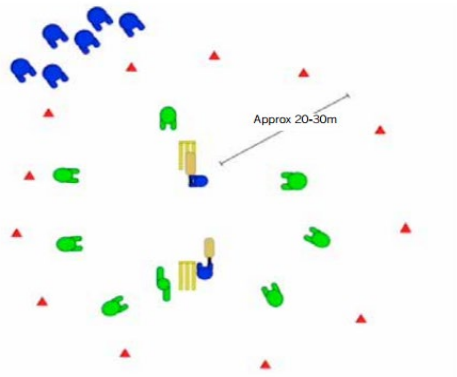
More info / NGB website:	• https://teachers.chancetoshine.org/s/article/Compete-Programme-UKS2-ECB-Kwik-Cricket • https://www.ecb.co.uk/play/junior/kwik-cricket
Equipment Required:	• Bats are light and manufactured from moulded plastic, supplied with a grip. The bat should have a realistic bowed profile. The ball is orange, highly visible durable plastic. It has moulded stitches similar to a real cricket ball. A game requires 2 bases, 6 stumps, 2 set of bails and an orange Kwik Cricket ball.
Pitch set up:	 
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