# Netball – Catching & Landing

#### Keywords

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Balance	Obstruction
Control	Balance
Speed	Dodge
Defence	Shoot
Coordination	Footwork

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Decisions	What tactics do you play?
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mental	Overcoming mental barriers
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Accurate	Can you shoot at ring?
Replication	Can you land with control?
	Can you keep your body between
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	Did you warm up effectively?
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- Monitor the flight of the ball
- Judge the speed and direction of the ball
- Reach for the ball with full arm extension
- Receive the ball with fingers spread wide and curved
- Bring your arms back into your body so you take the force out of the pass





- You can improve your play by turning in the air before you land
- To regain your balance you have to absorb the energy from your jump
- Bend your knees and flex your ankles as both feet hit the floor
- Try to land on the balls of your feet, not your heels



- The benefit of a two-footed landing is that you can decide which foot is your landing foot
- But once you lift one foot then you have made your decision
- You must then pivot, jump or simply step and make your pass

## Netball – Shooting

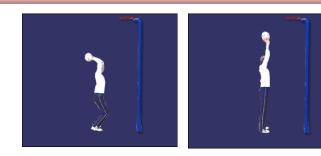
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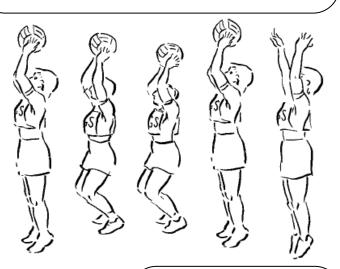


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## **Coaching Points**

- Feet shoulder-width apart facing post
- Ball held high directly ABOVE your head
- Knees and elbows are slightly bent to push off
- Eyes looking at a point above the ring
- Flick the ball upwards using wrist and index finger





## Holding the Ball

- The ball rests on the fingertips of your stronger hand
- Hand is directly below the ball
- Index (pointing) finger
  is in line with the post
- Other hand supporting
  held to the side of the ball

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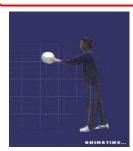
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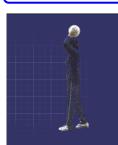


#### CHEST PASS





OVERHEAD





## BOUNCE PASS



 The ball is held in two hands, fingers and thumbs spread

• The ball is brought in close to chest

• The wrists rotate so that the thumbs point downwards

• The player steps forward onto her left foot in the direction of the throw.

 The elbows & wrists extend strongly

• Step into the pass

• Bend your arms and keep your elbows close to your body

. Lift the ball over your head and allow it to drop back a little

• Put one foot forward for you to step into the pass

• Aim between their head and chest for easier receiving

 The flight of the ball should be high

• The ball is brought in close to chest

• It should be held so that fingers are pointing towards the floor

• Release the ball from waist height

• Aim the ball 2/3rds the distance between you

• The ball should bounce into her hands at waist level