



# SWAC 252 and Archery GB Progression Award Schemes

## 252 Award

The 252 award is designed to encourage our members to practise their shooting outdoors at different distances and to recognise their achievement as they progress through the gaining of badges. The scheme applies to all archers, irrespective of age, ability or bow type.

After six sighters, you shoot three dozen arrows on a 122cm (large) face at your chosen distance. The 252 round can be shot at 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 80 or 100 yards with the aim of scoring 252 or better (alternative scores apply for bow types other than recurve). This equates to red and gold hits. If a member achieves the score twice over two independent sessions you can claim a badge.



- The scores must be achieved shooting outdoors at SWAC.
- Six (6) sighters to be followed immediately by three (3) dozen scored arrows.
- 5-zone scoring (Gold = 9, Red = 7, Blue = 5, Black = 3, White = 1) using a 122cm target face.
- Scores need to be achieved twice.
- Qualifying scores for a given distance for a single bow type must be shot on different days.
- Qualifying scores for a given distance for different bow types can be shot on the same day.
- Qualify scores for different distances can be shot on the same day provided the shortest distance is shot first and then the longer distances are shot in award order.

To make an award claim:

- Members will need to submit two (2) signed and witnessed 252 scores via the ExpertArcher App or paper score sheets.
- Score sheets must be completed in full, with all the relevant details (name, distance, bowtype, etc) and date of the round or they will not be accepted.
- Completed score sheets to be submitted to the club's 252 Record's Officer.

- Photo's of paper score sheet or screenshot's sent via whatsapp will be acceptable if ExpertArcher App is not being used.
- Cost of badges are £2.00 each, charge to claiming members.

Table below shows required score for each bow type.

Distance (yds)	Recurve Score	Compound Score	Longbow Score	Barebow Score
10	252	280	164	189
20	252	280	164	189
30	252	280	164	189
40	252	280	164	189
50	252	280	164	189
60	252	280	164	189
80	252	280	126	164
100	252	280	101	139

## Archery GB Progression Award Scheme

The Archery GB Progress Awards Scheme is for new and current archers and acts as a great motivator, encouraging archers to go further in the sport while having fun – with badges awarded for achievement along the way.

- There are five badge colours you can receive – White, Black, Blue, Red and Gold – each colour depicting a particular skill level, and you can gain them in any order you like. So, if you have a particularly good session and get the scores for a Red or Gold before you've received your White? Then that's perfectly fine. You just can't claim more than one badge from one set of scores.
- There's a separate set of badges for indoors and outdoors, so you can chart your progress across both seasons.
- The scheme is open to all bowtype's and achievement scores are scaled appropriately for different age groups.



## Rounds

Indoor Round: The indoor rounds are shot at different distances (10 yards, 15 yards and 20 yards) depending on your age group and what colour you're going for, but all are shot on a 60 cm "Portsmouth" target.

Outdoor Round: The outdoor rounds are also shot a different distance, but they are either on an 80cm face for metric distances (metres) or a 122cm face for imperial distances (yards).

- You'll need three qualifying scores to be awarded each badge. To gain a qualifying score, you will need to shoot 36 arrows in a single session – no splitting it across multiple sessions.
- Everyone gets six sighter arrows.
- If you're still having that brilliant session and arrows are flying into the gold with surprising regularity, there's nothing to stop you from shooting more than one round in the same session.

## Scores

There are five different age groups: U12, U14, U16, U18, and Seniors. We also offer an Over 65 award group, should you wish, using the U16 scores (please make the club record's officer aware, if this is something you would like to do). Summary of scores can be seen in the appendix below.

Outdoors (for all bowtypes):

- Imperial distance: 5 zone scoring (Gold – 9, Red - 7, Blue – 5, Black – 3, White - 1) on a 122cm face
- Metric distances: 10 zone scoring (10,9,8,7.....etc) on an 80cm face.

Indoors:

- 10 zone scoring is used for ALL bowtypes but Compounds must use the inner 10 ring to score 10.

To make an award claim:

- Members will need to submit three (3) signed and witnessed scores via the ExpertArcher App or paper score sheets.

- ExpertArcher has the designated rounds available labelled as “AGB Progress XXm-80cm” or “AGB Progress XXy-122cm” with XX being the distance shot..
- Score sheets must be completed in full, with all the relevant details (name, distance, units, bowtype, etc) and date of the round or they will not be accepted.
- Completed score sheets to be submitted to the club’s Record’s Officer. Photos of paper score sheet or screenshot’s sent via whatsapp will be acceptable if ExpertArcher App (see note above) is not being used.
- Cost of badges are £3.50 each, charge to claiming members.



# ARCHERY GB - PROGRESS AWARDS



**OUTDOORS**  
80cm 10 Zone

U12					
Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	20	192	153	122	92
Red	20	161	122	99	72
Blue	15	186	155	139	108
Black	15	155	131	116	87
White	10	204	190	182	152

U14					
Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	30	172	125	81	52
Red	20	219	184	145	114
Blue	20	192	153	122	92
Black	15	220	186	163	131
White	10	256	235	223	197

U16					
Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	40	178	115	61	37
Red	30	202	149	102	68
Blue	20	248	212	169	130
Black	15	263	238	207	178
White	10	292	274	256	235

U18					
Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	50	191	120	59	31
Red	40	208	147	79	50
Blue	30	234	180	117	81
Black	20	267	231	192	153
White	15	284	259	226	193

Seniors					
Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	50	248	176	97	53
Red	40	260	201	123	79
Blue	30	273	228	164	117
Black	20	300	267	225	192
White	15	311	287	254	226

6 Sights, 3 dozen arrows per round, 3 rounds to qualify for each badge. All distances in metres.

**OUTDOORS**  
122cm 5 Zone

U12					
Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	40	110	72	48	30
Red	30	144	104	80	54
Blue	20	196	166	150	116
Black	15	224	204	190	160
White	10	256	248	240	220

U14					
Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	40	182	134	86	52
Red	30	206	170	128	96
Blue	20	248	222	196	166
Black	15	266	244	230	204
White	10	288	276	268	252

U16					
Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	50	202	140	76	46
Red	40	212	160	110	72
Blue	30	236	200	154	112
Black	20	266	244	216	188
White	15	280	262	244	224

U18					
Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	60	220	154	82	44
Red	50	228	172	98	62
Blue	40	240	190	126	86
Black	30	256	220	176	136
White	20	282	260	234	202

Seniors					
Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	60	266	208	130	74
Red	50	270	222	148	98
Blue	40	274	236	176	126
Black	30	286	256	214	176
White	20	304	284	258	234

**INDOORS**  
60 cm 10 Zone

Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	20	160	124	96	72
Red	20	130	96	78	56
Blue	20	96	72	62	44
Black	15	110	88	78	60
White	10	126	108	98	82

Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	20	220	182	138	102
Red	20	188	154	118	90
Blue	20	160	124	96	72
Black	15	172	136	112	88
White	10	186	154	132	110

Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	20	266	228	176	138
Red	20	244	202	160	124
Blue	20	220	182	138	102
Black	20	188	154	118	90
White	15	198	168	134	106

Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	20	294	264	216	176
Red	20	280	250	196	160
Blue	20	266	228	176	138
Black	20	244	202	160	124
White	20	220	182	138	102

Badge	Distance	Compound	Recurve	Barebow	Longbow
Gold	20	314	290	250	210
Red	20	306	280	234	196
Blue	20	294	264	216	176
Black	20	280	250	196	160
White	20	266	228	176	138

6 Sights, 3 dozen arrows per round, 3 rounds to qualify for each badge. Indoor Compound use Inner 10 ring to score 10. All distances in yards.