

## Callaway Handicap Scoring System (9-hole scores)

ADJUSTED GROSS					HANDICAP
36 or less					no handicap
37	38	39	.	.	½ of worst hole
40	41	42	43	44	worst hole
45	46	47	48	49	1½ worst holes
50	51	52	53	54	2 worst holes
55	56	57	58	59	2½ worst holes
60	61	62	63	64	3 worst holes
-2	-1	0	1	2	H'CAP ADJUST

The Callaway Handicap is determined by taking the Gross score for 9 holes and adjusting as follows:

1. Downwardly adjust any hole score higher than double par to double par. (A player cannot have a score that is more than two-times par for the hole.) If necessary, adjust the last hole to no more than double bogey.

This is the "Adjusted Gross"

2. Find "Adjusted Gross" score in the table to determine the Callaway Handicap entitlement.
3. Identify the worst hole(s) on the score card and add together to determine the Callaway Handicap. (Worst hole means highest number of strokes regardless of par.)
4. Adjust the Callaway Handicap according to the bottom row of the chart.
5. Apply the adjusted Callaway Handicap to the "Gross" Score to obtain "Net" Score.

(Half-Stroke Entitlements are rounded up )

(Half-Hole Entitlement is applied to the smallest of the worst holes )

**EXAMPLE:**

Jeff Edwards has no handicap in our league and shoots the following 49 as my sub for the week.

HOLE	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
PAR	4	3	4	4	3	5	4	5	4	36
Jeff Edwards	4	7	9	5	3	5	4	5	7	49
**** ADJUSTED SCORE ****										
HOLE	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
PAR	4	3	4	5	3	5	4	5	4	36
Jeff Edwards	4	6	8	5	3	5	4	5	6	46

Jeff's score is adjusted downward for the holes he scored higher than double par on and the last hole is limited to a double bogey.

Jeff's adjusted gross is 46.

Using the chart, an adjusted gross of 46 uses the 1½ worst holes:  
--in this case, holes #2 and #3 are Jeff's worst.

By adding the two "worst scores", you get a handicap of 11.  
(3 + 8)

This handicap is then adjusted by the bottom row by adding "-1".

Thus, Jeff's handicap would be 10 for that night.