

### Plumb Bob

Use dominant eye. Arm out stretched,  
Let the putter hang freely between your thumb and index finger.  
Block the view of the ball with the lower end of the shaft of the club.  
If hole is right of shaft, putt breaks right.  
If hole is left of shaft, putt breaks left  
If hole is behind shaft, no break.

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### Posture Check

While holding a club by the head., lay it down your back with the grip end touching your tail bone.  
Let club rest against your spine and back of your head.  
Bend forward , shoulders are directly above your toes.  
Flex your knees slightly and balance your weight on the balls of your feet.  
Hold this position while flipping the club back in front of you into the address position.

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### Belly Shots

If ball is near the green and rests against the first cut of rough, use a sand wedge.  
With your feet together, place the ball back in your stance, your hands slightly forward.  
Use a light touch on the club.  
Keep the club head above the ground and keep a smooth rhythm.

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### Tempo Check

After a few bad shots. take a few deep breaths.  
Take a couple of practice swings with your eyes closed.  
While swinging, hum quietly to yourself, maintaining a quiet, even tone.  
Stress and tension in your swing causes hum to rev up like a motorcycle.  
Avoid the rev!

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### Mirror Putting

Place a mirror underneath the ball.  
Put a piece of 3/4" masking tape down the center of the mirror to show the ball-target-line of the putt.  
Take your address position and get the eyes directly over the ball-target-line of the putt.  
Your target-eye is covered over the ball as you assume your address position.  
Keep your shoulders parallel to the ball-target line.

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### One Piece Waggle

During your pre-shot routine, keep wrists firm, move the club back and forth by rotating the shoulders.  
Make two or three waggles, then swing.  
This encourages a back swing controlled by turning the body allowing for a bigger turn and more power.

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### Low Draw

Use a closed stance and a stronger grip.  
Place the ball towards the center of your stance.  
Choke down a little on the grip, hands ahead of the ball.  
Take the club head back so it is parallel to your feet alignment to promote a closed club face at impact.  
Allow your back hand to cross over your forward hand a little to encourage a lateral spin.  
Notice a flatter swing on your follow through.

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### 3 Wood Stinger

Tee the ball a little lower and take a light grip, an inch lower on the grip while hovering over the golf ball.  
Take a normal 3 wood stance, flex your knees, and stay centered throughout your swing.  
Do not to shift your weight onto your back foot while you take the club back.  
Limit lateral movement and bow your left wrist during the downswing and throughout impact.

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### Hybrids In A Bunker

If there is a high lip to the bunker, use a hybrid.  
Place the ball a little forward of the center in your stance, keeping your hips and legs still .  
Take a shorter back swing .  
Make a full finish.

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### Hybrid Conversion Guide

#### Men

Hybrid Angle	Club Replaced
14° - 16°	3 wood or 1 iron
17° - 19°	5 wood or 2 iron
20° - 22°	7 wood or 3 iron
23° - 25°	9 wood or 4 iron

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