

Step 1

Ground Anchor Placement

WARNING: Due to its weight, the Dominator® Basketball System CANNOT be anchored to an existing concrete pad!

***IMPORTANT:** The recommended hole size for ground anchor is 2' x 2' x 48". Ground Anchor should then be placed in hole so that front edge is 4" from the playing surface.

WARNING: Before digging hole for anchor, locate any buried utilities as specified on page 1 of the manual! Failure to do so could result in serious injury or death!

1. Using post hole digger or spade, dig hole for Ground Anchor (209) next to playing surface to specified dimensions. Hole must be square and flush to playing surface.
2. Follow directions on dry cement mix to prepare concrete mix.
3. Set up 2" x 4" Forming Boards around top of hole. These will be used to create a smooth concrete surface (as shown in Inset B). Inside dimensions of Forming Boards must be 24" x 24" (Inset C).

***IMPORTANT:** Top edge of Forming Boards should be flush with playing surface. Additional digging around hole may be necessary to achieve this.

4. Fill hole THREE-QUARTERS FULL with concrete mix and insert Ground Anchor (209) into hole.

***IMPORTANT:** Cover Anchor Bolts with tape to prevent concrete from interfering with threads.

***IMPORTANT:** Ground Anchor must be positioned, leveled, and squared to playing surface.

5. Finish filling hole with concrete mix. Once hole is filled, make sure Ground Anchor is level and square with playing surface. Bottom edge of Ground Anchor (209) must be flush with top edge of concrete fill.

***IMPORTANT:** Top edge of Concrete Fill should be flush with playing surface. Make sure concrete completely fills inside of Ground Anchor Tube.

***IMPORTANT:** Follow concrete mix directions to determine how long to allow concrete to cure before attaching Vertical Post (201) to Ground Anchor (209).

