

FTB 2026 Weekend Two Summary

Saturday Morning Lesson/Chapter 7 - Opener's Second Bid in NT

- Bidding a balanced hand with 15-19
- Checking for a 5-3 major suit fit

Saturday Afternoon Lesson/Chapter 6 - The Auction Continues

- Opener raises responder's suit
- Opener is unbalanced with no fit for responder's suit
- Opener has a strong 16-19 hand
- The Barrier

HOMEWORK Exercise 6.3 p58

Types of bid

Limit

- Defines a range of points

Forcing

- Partner must bid again even with zero HCP

Invitational

- Partner should bid again if maximum

To play

- Partner should pass
 - Unless holding an exceptional hand

Sunday morning

- The Barrier

Sunday afternoon Lesson 7a/Chapter 12 p102

- The Stayman Convention
- Summary now available at top of hands web page

Bedtime Reading

Appendix 3 - Glossary of Bridge Terms pp120-127