



Dear Applicant;

Thank you for your interest in applying to become a coach at the new Worcestershire FA Player Development Centre. This is an exciting time for the county, being given the opportunity to pilot a new tier in the female player development pathway.

The aim of the Centre is to offer young players with potential, the best coaching and environment we can offer to assist their personal development in football. This is achieved through coaching the players through a programme where they will be challenged in line with The FA's 4 Corner Model (technically, physically, psychologically and socially).

Whilst the primary aim of the Centre is to develop players, the secondary aim is to develop coaches, by encouraging grassroots football coaches to attend the Player Development Centre and observe the sessions, hopefully developing new ideas that can be taken back into the club environment and reproduced in the appropriate manner for other players to benefit from.

The Centre will run in accordance with the FA Centre of Excellence criteria and therefore the coaching sessions are led by coaches holding a minimum of an FA Level 3 coaching qualification (UEFA 'B' Licence) with assistant coaches holding a minimum of an FA Level 2. PDC coaching staff will be overseen by the Centre Director who holds an UEFA 'B' Licence. All PDC coaching staff will also hold valid child protection & emergency aid qualifications, with each coach completing an FA CRB Check

Head coaches will be provided with the opportunity to coach at the Centre following approval of a written application form (inc. production of valid certificates) and the delivery of a practical coaching session observed by the Centre Director and a team of impartial assessors.

#### Positions Available:

- 1 x Centre Director Minimum UEFA B
- 4 x Lead Coaches Minimum UEFA B or Working Towards within 6 months
- 4 x Assistant Coaches Minimum Level 2

\*(For U10 and U12 coaches Youth Module Awards are preferred)

#### Further Details

- The PDC will be held at Worcester University 3G Full Size Astro Facility on Wednesday Evenings from 6pm to 9pm and run on a weekly basis for 2 blocks of 10 weeks
- Age groups at the PDC will be; U10, U12, U14 and U16
- Competitive Rates of Pay available, and will depend on role and experience

#### What to do next;

- Please complete the above form and return to Laura Cowlshaw at the address below.
- Successful applicants will be notified by Friday 27<sup>th</sup> Aug and invited to attend a formal interview on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> August or Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September, if you do not hear anything by this date then unfortunately on this occasion you have been unsuccessful.
- Successful candidates from the formal interviews will then be asked back for a practical coaching assessment the following weekend.

Any questions, please contact me on the details below. Please note, **deadline for applications will be Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> August**, I look forward to receiving your application,

Kind Regards

Laura Cowlshaw

# Girls Player Development Centre Coaches Application Form



## PERSONAL DETAILS

**TITLE:** MISS | MR | MS | MRS | DR      OTHER: .....

**FULL NAME:** .....

**ADDRESS:** .....

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**DATE OF BIRTH:** ..... | ..... | .....

**TELEPHONE:**      **MOBILE:** .....      **HOME:** .....

**E-MAIL:** .....

**DRIVING LICENSE:**      YES       NO

**CRB CHECKED:**      YES       NO

**WAS THIS CRB CHECK CONDUCTED ON BEHALF OF THE FA?**      YES       NO

**ROLE APPLIED FOR:**       CENTRE DIRECTOR (MIN UEFA B)       LEAD COACH (UEFA B/ WORKING TOWARDS)       ASSISTANT COACH (LEVEL 2 OR ABOVE)

**PREFERRED AGE GROUP:**       U10       U12       U14       U16

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY (INCLUDE RELEVANT VOLUNTARY ROLES):

**NAME OF EMPLOYER AND ROLE:**      **FROM – TO:**      **RESPONSIBILITIES WITHIN ROLE:**

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## PERSONAL REFERENCE

**NAME:** .....      **RELATIONSHIP:** .....

**EMAIL:** .....      **CONTACT NO:** .....

## PROFESSIONAL REFERENCE

**NAME:** .....      **COMPANY/ROLE:** .....

**EMAIL:** .....      **CONTACT NO:** .....

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### ADDITIONAL RELEVANT QUALIFICATIONS

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### HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE YOUR APPROACH TO COACHING AND THE METHODOLOGY YOU USE?

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### ANY OTHER COMMENTS TO SUPPORT YOUR APPLICATION;

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### DISABILITIES:

DO YOU HAVE A DISABILITY? YES/NO

IF YOU HAVE ANSWERED **YES**, PLEASE GIVE BRIEF DETAILS OF THE EFFECTS OF YOUR DISABILITY ON YOUR DAY-TO-DAY ACTIVITIES, AND ANY OTHER INFORMATION THAT YOU FEEL WOULD HELP US TO ACCOMMODATE YOUR NEEDS.

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