



Youth Sports Leadership Programme

Want to become a qualified Youth Sports Coach or a Sports Leader?

We are providing an Open Coach Education Programme for Youths aged between 13-16 years old and interested in either becoming a Qualified Leader / Youth Sports Coach or wanting to learn more about and Develop Personal Sports leadership skills. These courses serve as an excellent foundation for further study or work in the Sports/Fitness sector, especially those interested in Coaching or Leadership. All courses are based locally in Hackney or Islington. Each student whom successfully attends and completes the course(s) will be Awarded a Certificate to evidence their Qualification. They will also be given ample opportunities to volunteer under supervision and may participate in other events associated to this programme and wider across the Access to Sports Community Sports Programme. The courses are FREE of charge for those who are 13 – 18 years old living in Hackney or Islington.

For more information or register onto a course please call 0207 686 8812 or e-mail coach.education@accesstosports.org.uk

Level 1 Award in Dance Leadership

The Level 1 Award in Dance Leadership is a nationally recognized qualification that enables successful learners to lead small groups in simple dance activities, whilst under the direct supervision of their Tutor/Assessor or other suitably qualified adult. The qualification teaches generic leadership skills such as organization, planning, communication and teamwork through the medium of dance. It is a fun and practical qualification with no entrance requirements or final examinations to sit.

Basketball Activators (Leaders) Award

With the increase in participation in Basketball there is a need for more leaders to encourage and enthuse beginners. To train specialist Basketball Leaders, England Basketball has established this Award for those with a limited knowledge of the game of Basketball but who have the desire and enthusiasm to play a role in the development of the sport. The Award is a non-examination award and gaining the Award is conditional upon satisfactory attendance at an approved course of instruction.

Level 1 Award in Sports Leadership

The Level 1 Award in Sports Leadership provides the ideal starting point for learners aged 13 years and over who wish to develop their leadership skills, whilst under the direct supervision of their Tutor/Assessor or other suitably qualified adult. The syllabus is designed to develop generic leadership skills that can be applied to a variety of sports and/or recreational situations as well as contributing to the personal development of the learner. The Level 1 Award in Sports Leadership is a practical qualification in which learners must demonstrate their ability to lead others in simple sport/activity.

Young Netball Organiser Award

The aim of this 6 hour course is to offer young people aged 14 - 18 years the opportunity to take the first step on the coaching, officiating or administration Netball ladder. It prepares them to organise safe, enjoyable and purposeful Netball sessions for 7 - 11 year olds, under the supervision of a teacher or coach.

Youth Sports & Football Leadership Course

This short course is offered to Young People aged 13-16 interested in learning more about Leadership in Sports. Essentially the emphasis is on enjoying Youth Sports & Football, and Young People on this course will not only learn about the qualities/skills needed to lead these activities effectively in a practical and fun way but ultimately they will also be given opportunities to practise these acquired leadership skills alongside experienced/qualified coaches on these days (under supervision). Effectively Young People on this course will experience Sports from the perspective of the Coaching Team, and essentially will be part of the team to help contribute towards its success! Successful students will be awarded with an Access to Sports Certificate of completion from this Award, in addition to ASDAN (leadership & Sports/Fitness or Football) awards of completion.

The FA - Junior Football Leaders Award

This course provides a basic introduction to leadership skills required when involved in football. The course will primarily introduce 4 areas:

Assisting Football Activity Sessions, An introduction to refereeing, helping with a Team & Different Football Events – in addition to these areas,

Respect, Promoting the Game & Developing the game will be embedded during the Guided Learning Hours.