



TORQUAY UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB

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TORQUAY UNITED COMMUNITY SPORTS TRUST COACH – Part Time Position

A FANTASTIC coaching opportunity has arisen for a dynamic and enthusiastic coach to become part of the Torquay United family.

Working within our flourishing Torquay United Community Sports Trust (TUCST), the charitable arm of the football club, the suitable candidate will be given the chance to forge a career within the unique and inspirational environment of a professional football club.

Please read below for a full job and person specification. To apply, please send a full CV and covering letter to TUCST manager Craig Hutcheson on craighutcheson@torquayunited.com

Main Objectives

- To plan, prepare and implement well-structured and progressive sports coaching sessions, ensuring a high quality and enjoyable coaching experience centred on the needs of the participants.
- To deliver football and multi-skill sessions in the form of after-school clubs, skills centres and weekend programmes.

Summary of Duties

- To deliver after-school clubs across South Devon.
- To plan, prepare and implement well-structured and progressive sports coaching programmes ensuring a high quality and enjoyable coaching experience centred on the needs of the participants.
- To carry out administrative duties as necessary, maintain accurate attendance registers, carry out risk assessments, monitor and evaluate assessment of coaching sessions.
- To be committed to continuous professional development relevant to the post and personal training needs supporting future career advancement.
- To report to the Community Education Officer.
- To undertake every opportunity to promote a positive image of Torquay United Community Sports Trust.
- To positively promote the Trust's Equal Opportunities policy and core values in all aspects of the post's responsibilities and duties.
- To maximise opportunities to raise awareness of the organisation's activities.
- To ensure that the safety of participants, volunteers and staff is prioritised at all times.
- To perform other duties as required which are considered relevant to the post and to the objectives of the Torquay United Community Sports Trust.



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Person Specification

Essential

- Experience of coaching in a sports setting.
- Experience of coaching in a wide range of environments, including schools, clubs and community settings.
- Experience of delivering coaching sessions using The FA Long Term Development Model (LTPD).
- Good communication skills, both verbal and written.
- Ability to develop and implement high quality, varied and creative coaching sessions focusing on a young person-centred approach.
- Ability to inspire, motivate and encourage young people through sport.
- Good team worker and self-motivated.
- An ability to keep and maintain records.
- Ability to develop good working relationships with Staff and partners.
- Modern approach to coaching.
- NGB Level 2 coaching qualification.
- Member of The FA Licensed Coaches Club.
- Knowledge and understanding of child protection issues, including holding a current FA Safeguarding Children Workshop certificate and hold a current 1st Aid Qualification.
- Willing to work unsociable hours.
- Access to own transport.
- Knowledge and experience of implementing Equal Opportunity policies and activities.

Desirable

- Previous experience working in schools.
- An ability to demonstrate good administrative skills.
- Experience of coaching youth teams.
- FA Youth Award.
- Multi-Skills or Fundamentals qualification.
- A relevant sport or leisure qualification.
- 1st4sport Level 3 certificate in Supporting the Delivery of Physical Education and School Sport.

Benefits:

- Holiday pay
- Opportunity for paid CPD
- Travel expenses
- Opportunities to advance through the business (full time and department lead positions)
- TUFC season ticket
- Paid experience of working in a school environment

Pay/hourly rate: Negotiable depending on qualifications and experience.

Closing Date: 09/09/2017 12pm