



**ADVANCED
COACHING
CENTRE**

Person Specification

MENTEE COACH – 4 positions available

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| Title | Gloucestershire FA Girls' Advanced Coaching Centre Mentee Coach |
| Location | Gloucestershire FA, Oaklands Park, Almondsbury, BS32 4AG (with some opportunities to support home and away matches) |
| Responsible to | Advanced Coaching Centre Manager |
| Purpose of post | As part of The FA Women's' and Girls' National Strategy to increase and develop coaches in the female game, the mentee roles will support committed and ambitious coaches who are looking to develop in their coaching pathway and gain experience of working in a Talent Pathway programme. The role of the individuals selected will be to support delivery of practical football sessions in line with the Girls' Advanced Coaching Centre technical programme. Each coach will shadow a head coach to gain experience and insight into planning, preparation and evaluation to drive individual player development. |
| Start date | 3 rd September 2018 |
| Rate of Pay | Voluntary with a minimum of 2 hrs per week between September and April |
| Age Groups | U12, U14, U16 and Mentee GK Coach The County FA will offer opportunities for coaching bursaries for FA level 2 or UEFA B courses on a case by case basis to invest into coach development across the season. |
| Responsible for: | The welfare of players within their designated age group Providing high quality coaching, observation and support Administration tasks to support the age group delivery Assistance in delivering a training and games programme in line with LTPD guidelines |
| Key Skills and Experience required: | |
| Essential | Level 1 Certificate in coaching football Member of the FA Licensed Coaches Club Hold a current and in date FA Emergency First Aid Qualification Knowledge and Understanding of Child Protection issues Hold a current and in-date FA Safeguarding Children certificate Attend a Gloucestershire FA Safeguarding briefing before commencing the role An accepted FA Disclosure and barring Service Disclosure (FA CRC) Experience in Coaching Girls Football Knowledge and understanding of child development Willingness to work evenings and weekends Own transport essential / access to attend training sessions |
| Desirable: | Understanding of Talent Identification Understanding of Long Term Player Development Knowledge and understanding of working with young players Ability to work in a team Understanding of the FA Girls' Talent Pathway |



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If you are interested in this position, please send your CV with a Covering letter detailing why you would like to volunteer in this role, which age group you would prefer to work with along with subject line "Advanced Coaching Centre – Coach Mentee" to:

Alexis Lunn-Gadd, Gloucestershire FA, Oaklands Park, Almondsbury, BS32 4AG or email this to;

Alexis.Lunn-Gadd@GloucestershireFA.com

Please phone 01454-615888 (Option 3) for further details

Closing Date: Monday 15th June 2018

Interview Date: Monday 9th July 2018 (PM/Evening)