



**ACCREDITED  
LEAGUE**  
PART OF ENGLAND FOOTBALL

# ***LEAGUE SUPPORT AND DELIVERY PLAN***

**LEAGUE:**

**SEASON:**

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# LEAGUE ACCREDITATION CRITERIA

Criteria	Yes	No
A sanctioned League	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The League has its own bank account	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The League has accreditation on its League agenda and minutes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The League has signed up to The Football Leadership Diversity Code	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Completed Delivery Plan agreed by the League and County FA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Links to another League if not offering a full player pathway	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Must have 60% of teams with the Club Accreditation award when first applying and then have 3 years to reach a minimum of 85% of teams	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Section one - League details

League name

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County FA

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**League Vision**

*Detail links with other Leagues in terms of player pathway (provide supporting evidence)*

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**League Legal status**

*Enter details – if none, state none*

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Number of teams in League

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Number of teams with  
England Football  
Accreditation

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Percentage of Clubs  
with England Football  
Accreditation

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Season when  
Accredited League status  
was awarded

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The League has its own bank account	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
The League has Accreditation on its League agenda and minutes	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
The League has signed up to the Diversity Pledge	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

## Section two - a review of last season's initiatives

**Click here to review how the League met the objectives set at last season's meeting.**  
*If this is the first time completing the form, enter details of initiatives that the League performed last season.*

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## Section three - S.W.O.T analysis

**Who have you consulted?**

**Consultation methods**

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Please enter below the Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats that the League faces:

**Strengths:**

**Weaknesses:**

**Opportunities:**

**Threats:**

## Section four - this season's initiatives

Some key initiatives are pre-set, and Leagues can add additional initiatives themselves. Remember to include any costs in the description box. **You must complete a minimum of five initiatives.**



### Safeguarding

By:

Measurables:

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Description:

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### Respect - mandatory (this counts as one of your minimum 5 initiatives)

By:

Measurables:

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Description:

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### Equality and diversity

By:

Measurables:

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Description:

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## Technology - running the game

By:

Measurables:

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Description:

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## Attracting and retaining players

By:

Measurables:

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Description:

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## Engaging players

By:

Measurables:

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Description:

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## Finding volunteers - workforce succession planning

By:

Measurables:

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Description:

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## Supporting League Officials

**By:**

**Measurables:**

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**Description:**

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## Refereeing recruitment, retention and support

**By:**

**Measurables:**

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**Description:**

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## Communication and marketing

**By:**

**Measurables:**

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**Description:**

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## Coaching

**By:**

**Measurables:**

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**Description:**

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## Section four - this season's League additional initiatives

Leagues must have at least two additional initiatives and no more than five in total.

**By:**

**Measurables:**

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**Description:**

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**Measurables:**

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**By:**

**Measurables:**

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**Description:**

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**Section five - County FA support**

How the County FA will support you with this plan.



## Section six - declaration

On behalf of the League listed in Section One, I declare that the information contained within this document is true and accurate:

**League Officer Name:**

**League Officer Role:**

**Date:**

On behalf of the County FA, I declare that the League has engaged with us in this process and we have input into the League's objectives

**County FA Officer Name:**

**County FA Officer Role:**

**Date:**

## League Accreditation criteria checklist

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<b>The League has fulfilled the criteria and will be awarded with England Football League Accreditation</b>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

**The League is just short of the criteria.**

This agreement is in place to help the League to achieve the missing criteria, listed below, with the County FA's support:

