



**GIRLS' EMERGING  
TALENT CENTRES**  
PART OF ENGLAND FOOTBALL

## Person Specification

### PHYSICAL PERFORMANCE COACH

<b>Title</b>	Dorset FA Girls' Emerging Talent Centre (ETC), Physical Performance Coach
<b>Training Location</b>	The Blandford School, DT11 7SQ
<b>Responsible to</b>	Emerging Talent Centre Manager
<b>Purpose of post</b>	To deliver practical physical conditioning sessions in line with the Girls' Emerging Talent Centre technical programme
<b>Start date</b>	September 2024, (Wednesday evenings – 6pm-8pm)
<b>Rate of Pay</b>	£30-£35 per session, dependant on experience.

#### Responsible for:

- The welfare of players within the ETC
- Providing high quality coaching and support
- Delivering a training programme and warm up in line with Long Term Player Development (LTPD) guidelines and ETC Physical Performance Framework
- Impacting individual athletic development
- Working closely with the team of staff to manage players and input on regular player assessments

#### Key Skills and Experience required:

##### Essential

- Degree level or equivalent qualification related to the role (such as BSc in Sports Science or a BA in Physical Education and Primary Years)
- Public Liability Insurance as a Registered Exercise Practitioner
- Experience and ability to coach and develop young athletes
- Recognised FA First Aid Qualification
- Knowledge and understanding of Safeguarding, Whistleblowing and hold an in-date FA Safeguarding Children certificate
- An accepted FA Disclosure and barring Service Disclosure (FA DBS)
- Knowledge and understanding of child development
- Willingness to work evenings
- Own transport essential

## **Desirable:**

- Hold the Trainer Award (UKSCA) or working towards it. Other qualifications will be considered.
- Understanding of Long Term Player Development
- Knowledge and understanding of working with young athletes
- Ability to work in a team
- Understanding of the FA Lioness Talent Pathway
- Other experience and qualifications in holistic development that could be introduced to athletes or staff

If you are interested in this position, please send your CV with a covering letter with subject line “Emerging Talent Centre – Physical Performance Coach” to: Jemma Tewkesbury via email: [jemma.tewkesbury@dorsetfa.com](mailto:jemma.tewkesbury@dorsetfa.com) or post: Dorset FA, Blandford Close, Hamworthy, Poole, BH15 4BF

**Closing Date:** Midnight on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2024

*Dorset County Football Association acknowledges the duty of care to safeguard and promote the welfare of children, young people and adults at risk. We are committed to ensuring safeguarding practice reflects statutory responsibilities, government guidance and complies with best practice.*

*Due to the nature of this role, the successful candidate will be required to undertake a Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check through The FA DBS process. The possession of a criminal record will not necessarily prevent an applicant from obtaining this post, as all cases are judged individually according to the nature of the role and information provided.*

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