

IFA Level 1 Coaching Award

This is a nationally recognized Coaching Award and, as part of the restructuring of its Coaching Awards, the IFA is now offering this course in line with those being delivered by the other UK Football Associations in England, Scotland and Wales.

The course comprises 24 hours' tuition time – of which 3 hours is a certified Child Protection module. Candidates will, in addition to completing the 24 hours' tuition, be required to carry out 6 hours' logged voluntary coaching at a football club or centre. The IFA will require that all candidates are successfully POCS checked by its Child Protection Manager and it will also be necessary to hold a recognized first aid qualification. (Available from British Red Cross or St John Ambulance)

Upon successful completion of all parts of the Level 1, each candidate will receive a 'credit card' style identification card, bearing his / her photograph and IFA accreditation. First aid qualifications, must be renewed and kept up to date, otherwise this accreditation will lapse. Holders of full Level 1 status may then progress towards the UEFA Licenses at Level 2 and above, if they so desire.

The cost is £150 per person. At present negotiations are taking place with a reduction in mind for Education and Library Boards.

Min course 12

Max 24

Grassroots Leaders Award

Like the Mini Soccer Leaders. 3 hours Half theory / practical - £30.00 / half price for students

This is really to introduce people to soccer coaching and not sufficient for a coaching qualification (no assessment) If you would like to volunteer your time or have any helpful skills you think may help please fill in the declaration of interest form below.

Grassroots Development Centre

Declaration of Interest

Name

Address

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Post Code

Club / School

Tel. No. (home)

Mobile

Club No.

Please circle your preference

Volunteer

Coaching

Courses

Child Protection

Emergency Aid

IFA level

1

2

3

Disability foundation

Disability Level 1

Goalkeeping

Grassroots Leaders