

ACADEMY ASSISTANT COACH JOB DESCRIPTION



Main Responsibility:

To assist in planning and delivering a well balanced and co-ordinated programme using the England Netball coaching syllabus.

Responsible to: Kent Netball Performance Manager

Duties:

1. Support the Head Coach in delivering training sessions – the Academy will be a 20 week programme.
2. Assist the Head Coach with monitoring athlete performance, including feedback and advice on physical and technical skills
3. Contribute to a professional, friendly atmosphere ensuring all those taking part are properly guided and supervised.
4. Attend regular Kent Netball Performance Group meetings and any related Academy events.
5. Carry out pre-activity checks at the start of each session to ensure the venue, equipment and activity are safe and free of hazards.
6. Ensure any required administration is completed, including timesheets, records of attendance, player emergency contacts, end of programme evaluation forms, and where applicable Accident Record Forms.
7. Undertake relevant training courses as appropriate.
8. Be aware of the NPL programmes.
9. Inform the Head Coach and Academy Co-ordinator well in advance if exceptional circumstances arise and you cannot attend any training sessions.
10. To ensure the sessions are delivered in accordance with England Netball's Safeguarding Policy, Coaches Code of Conduct and the Kent Netball Equity Statement.

Academy Assistant Coach Person Specification

Qualifications, knowledge & experience	Essential (E) / Desirable (D)
Minimum Level 1 EN / UKCC Coaching Qualification	E
Current Safeguarding & Protecting Children certificate (within the last 3 years)	E
Experience of working with junior athletes	E
Experience of supporting the delivery of coaching sessions	E
Attendance of CPD workshops	D
Experience of working with potential athletes	D
Current First Aid qualification	D

Important: These positions involve contact with young people and will be subject to DBS disclosure