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Basketball England Club Coach Award Course Organiser FAQs

Q. Is this course just aimed at learners who are delivering in the club environment?

Yes. It has been developed for learners that will be coaching basketball independently in the club environment. An alternative course is being developed for coaches who may be operating in community or school environments.

Q. Can we deliver this course completely face to face?

Yes. The virtual classroom content can be delivered in a face-to-face environment. This content must be delivered as per the recommended learning hours (9.5 hours).

Q. Does the course need to be delivered in the suggested format?

It is recommended that the course follows the format suggested via the website. We have a flexible approach to delivery so please let us know via the course organiser request form if you feel an alternative format would best suit your learners and we can discuss feasibility.

Q. Do the practical sessions need to be delivered after each other?

No. There can be a gap in the practical sessions to allow for reflection and application.

Q. What are the fees?

The fees per person are £72. As stated on the website, discount is available for Basketball England members. If learners are members of Basketball England, course organisers should reduce their fee accordingly.

Q. Can I use an outdoor court for the Basketball delivery?

Yes - outdoor courts are acceptable as long as a risk assessment has been completed to ensure the safety of learners and access arrangements have been considered. Courts need to have a minimum of 2 baskets. The space used must be conducive to learning so please be mindful of the British weather.

Q. Who pays for the venue?

The venue fees are the responsibility of the course organiser.

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Q. What do learners need to do once they have completed their contact time with a tutor?

Learners are required to complete their e-learning, associated paperwork and complete their 4 x linked and progressive sessions.

Q. How can I organise an assessor?

When a learner is ready to be assessed, please contact us (education@sportstructures.com) and we can recommend an approved Basketball England assessor.

Q. How are learners assessed practically?

Learners must be observed delivering a coaching session in their work environment, such as their club. They should not be assessed on course. The assessment must be conducted by an approved Basketball assessor.

Q. Can I see what learners need to complete for their e-learning so I can support them? We can share with you the requirements of the e-learning.

Q. When do learners get their certificate?

They receive their certificate once they have completed all elements of the course which includes their assessment.

Q. Do they receive their certificate electronically?

Yes, they will receive their certificate by email.

Q. When do learners gain access to the relevant online systems they need to use? Learners will have access at least 2 days before the course.

Q. Who pays the tutor and assessor?

Tutor and assessor costs are the responsibility of the course organiser, along with travel expenses (35p per mile)

Q. Will you help me in sourcing a tutor for the course?

Yes we will source an approved Basketball England tutor for the course

Q. I have a tutor/assessor who thinks they are eligible to deliver/assess the course. How can I check?

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Please email Kath Percival who oversees the Basketball England workforce (Katherine.percival@sportstructures.com)

Q. As a course organiser, do I get access to online systems?

No course organisers are not provided with e-learning access or Hive access. The video will give you an overview of what learners are required to complete.