



# ACE

Gloucestershire  
Cricket Foundation

## Job Description

<b>Role:</b>	ACE Development Officer
<b>Organisation:</b>	Gloucestershire Cricket Foundation
<b>Contract:</b>	3 year initial contract, 37.5 hours a week (aim of extending further, subject to funding)
<b>Responsible to:</b>	Community Development Manager and ACE Director of Programmes
<b>Salary:</b>	£25,000 to £27,500 (depending on experience), plus benefits

Benefits include: Free Gym & Gloucestershire County Cricket Club Memberships + Auto enrolment pension + 45p business mileage rate + 20 days holiday (not inclusive of Bank Holidays or 2-week Christmas break) + other benefits.

## Safeguarding Statement

The Gloucestershire Cricket Foundation is committed to safeguarding and protecting everyone that we work with. As such, all posts are subject to a safe recruitment process, including the disclosure of criminal records and vetting checks. We ensure that we have a range of policies and procedures in place which promote safeguarding and safer working practice across our services.

## Job Overview:

The ACE Programme was launched by Surrey County Cricket Club in January 2020 in response to the decline of the black British professional players by 75%, and less than 1% of the recreational game. The ACE Programme was designed to engage young people of African and Caribbean Heritage and a talent search was launched.

In Black History Month, October 2020, following significant investment of £540,000 from Sport England, The ACE Programme Charity launched as an independent charity. Three years after delivery, the charity is pleased to be an official partner of Sport England and England & Wales Cricket Board, providing opportunities for African and Caribbean heritage children to access cricket across six cities – London, Birmingham, Bristol, Manchester, Nottingham and Sheffield.

The purpose of the role is to increase participation predominantly within the black British communities by supporting and improving the experience of everyone involved whether they play, attend or follow the game.

The development coach/officer will provide direct development and coaching support to the community, school, academy and club based cricketing opportunities, through both coaching and competition.

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