

Community Cricket Coach Minimum contract of 24 months – Full Time – Salary: £20,000 plus benefits

Never has there been a better time to work in Cricket. In the ECB Strategy, Inspiring Generations, 'Engaging Children and Young People' and 'Supporting our communities' have been identified as two of the six priorities and it is therefore the requirement of County Boards to maximise this opportunity.

With the support of Chance to Shine, this position will have a focus on developing opportunities within schools for young people to participate, play and learn through cricket. In Gloucestershire we have a strong base in which to build from but there is still so much more that can be achieved and for this we are looking to appoint an outstanding individual to enthuse the next generation to choose cricket.

The GCF seeks to employ a highly motivated and competent Community Cricket Coach to support and work within the Cricket Development team. The role's main focus will be to increase participation whilst creating a network of 'cricket playing' schools that see cricket as part of their day to day activity. You will be expected to develop links to local clubs and support and lead on relevant competitions.

You will need to be passionate about, and committed to, cricket coaching at a local level and for this role, it would be an advantage if you have experience of cricket/sports development at a grassroots level coupled with a sound knowledge, appreciation and understanding of the game.

Candidates must demonstrate both team working skills and the ability to work unsupervised using their own initiative. You will be a self-starter with energy and enthusiasm together with good administration and organisational skills. Equally you will be an excellent communicator with a passion for the development of cricket/sport for young people.

To apply please complete the anonymised questions via the <u>Microsoft Form</u>. Whilst you will supply your name and email address the application process will be anonymised before review by our recruitment panel; only at this point will your details be used to communicate about the next stage in the process.

If shortlisted, the second stage will request you to complete our application form and provide a covering letter to enable final shortlisting for invitation to face to face interviews, which will include the delivery of a session in a school along with an interview.

- Deadline to complete the Microsoft Form Sunday, 27th November.
- Shortlisting will take place during the week of Monday 28th and contact will be made with all applicants by end of work on Wednesday 30th November.
- The interview date is TBC will be during the week of December 5th.

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