

Durham County Rugby Union County assistant Youth Coach– 2018/19

Job Description

The assistant Coach will work as part of the coaching team and will report directly to the Head coach.

This is a volunteer role.

Roles and Responsibilities

- Plan sessions/areas where asked for delivery as part of the coaching programme for the county campaign which takes place during the appointed county activity period (see website for each sections exact dates).
- Work as part of a team of volunteers to deliver the planned program across the county format;
 - One selection session
 - One training session
 - Three weekend (Sunday) match days, one of which will be a tournament including three playing formats:
 - 15 a side
 - 7 a side
 - X-Rugby
- Evaluate all coaching sessions and games with the coaching team and players, and provide feedback where appropriate.
- Take part in the selection process and help provide feedback to players where appropriate.
- Take an active part in helping to create an environment for all involved where the primarily focus is on player development with the emphasis on nurturing a player's attainment of SKILLS, GAME UNDERSTANDING (principles of play) and ATHLETICISM. Where it is not simply about preparing a group of players to win games.

Skills and Qualities

- Be committed to furthering his/her coaching skills and be willing to commit to a programme of professional development provided by the DCRU and the RFU.
- Have a sound understanding of the **NEW** RFU Player Development Pathway being introduced in 2018.
- He/she will be minimum UKCC level 2 qualified.