

ESSEX COUNTY FA FOOTBALL DEVELOPMENT TEAM

'Supporting Football in Education'

Developing football opportunities in primary, secondary and special schools, plus colleges and universities across the county, are a key focus for the Football Development Team.

We are working to increase the opportunities available for males and females looking to take up football in any capacity. The programmes below are areas which you can have an active involvement with. We look forward to working with you in the coming season.

- FA Secondary School Programme: this is football's lasting commitment to providing schools with child-friendly programmes and high-quality services which schools value, whilst actively engaging with teachers to ensure we complement their work. It's free to be involved, simple to sign-up to and a whole range of benefits are readily accessible. Please visit www.thefa.com/schools
- develop new and existing Young Leaders through The FA's Football Futures volunteering programme
- access training bursaries through the English Schools FA for coaching and refereeing courses for teaching staff
- free 'Girls Only' taster sessions in both primary and secondary schools, led by Essex County FA Community Coaches
- developing new festivals and competitions where gaps exist in the competition framework, including promoting the benefits of small-sided football
- get involved with the growing game of Futsal, including linking into the county competitions which are available for Under 14s and 16s (boys and girls) and introduce the player development benefits to your pupils and staff
- driving the Female Player Pathway forward, with the County FA coordinating the Female Centre of Excellence, the Female Player Development Centre and the Under 14s and 16s Girls schools representative squads

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