



BARNSELY FC
COMMUNITY TRUST

2024/25
EDUCATION PROSPECTUS

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WELCOME TO BARNSELY FC COMMUNITY TRUST

Barnsley FC Community Trust is a registered charity delivering community and charitable activities on behalf of Barnsley Football Club, to be the best in our community at positively changing lives.

OUR MISSION:

Barnsley FC community Trust provide inspiring, high-quality inclusive programmes and initiatives. Harnessing the reach of Barnsley Football Club, we raise the aspirations of our community, supporting them through positive change across our four key themes of work; Education, Health, Social Inclusion and Sports Participation

An aerial, dark-toned photograph of a city. In the foreground, a large stadium is under construction, with a prominent red and white structural element. The surrounding area is filled with residential buildings and streets. A white rectangular box is overlaid on the right side of the image, containing text.

BE THE BEST IN
OUR COMMUNITY
AT **POSITIVELY**
CHANGING LIVES

OUR EDUCATION PROGRAMME

Here at at Barnsley FC Community Trust, we offer a range of sports courses designed to meet the needs of learners at all levels aged 16+.

Our courses are designed to challenge, develop and nurture young people from all backgrounds and abilities within the community. The unique environment at Oakwell encourages learners to flourish in a supportive and relaxed yet professional environment.

Courses on offer are the equivalent to qualifications accessed with mainstream Post-16 providers and are supported by a team of qualified tutors and support staff.

Whilst running each of our courses in the same way as any other educational establishment, here at Barnsley FC Community Trust, we pride ourselves on the unique environment and atmosphere that learners encounter.

Smaller class sizes enhance an individual's learning experience as learners have access to more one-to-one tutor support, which has the benefit of building confidence, developing skills and providing pastoral guidance to inform future decision making.

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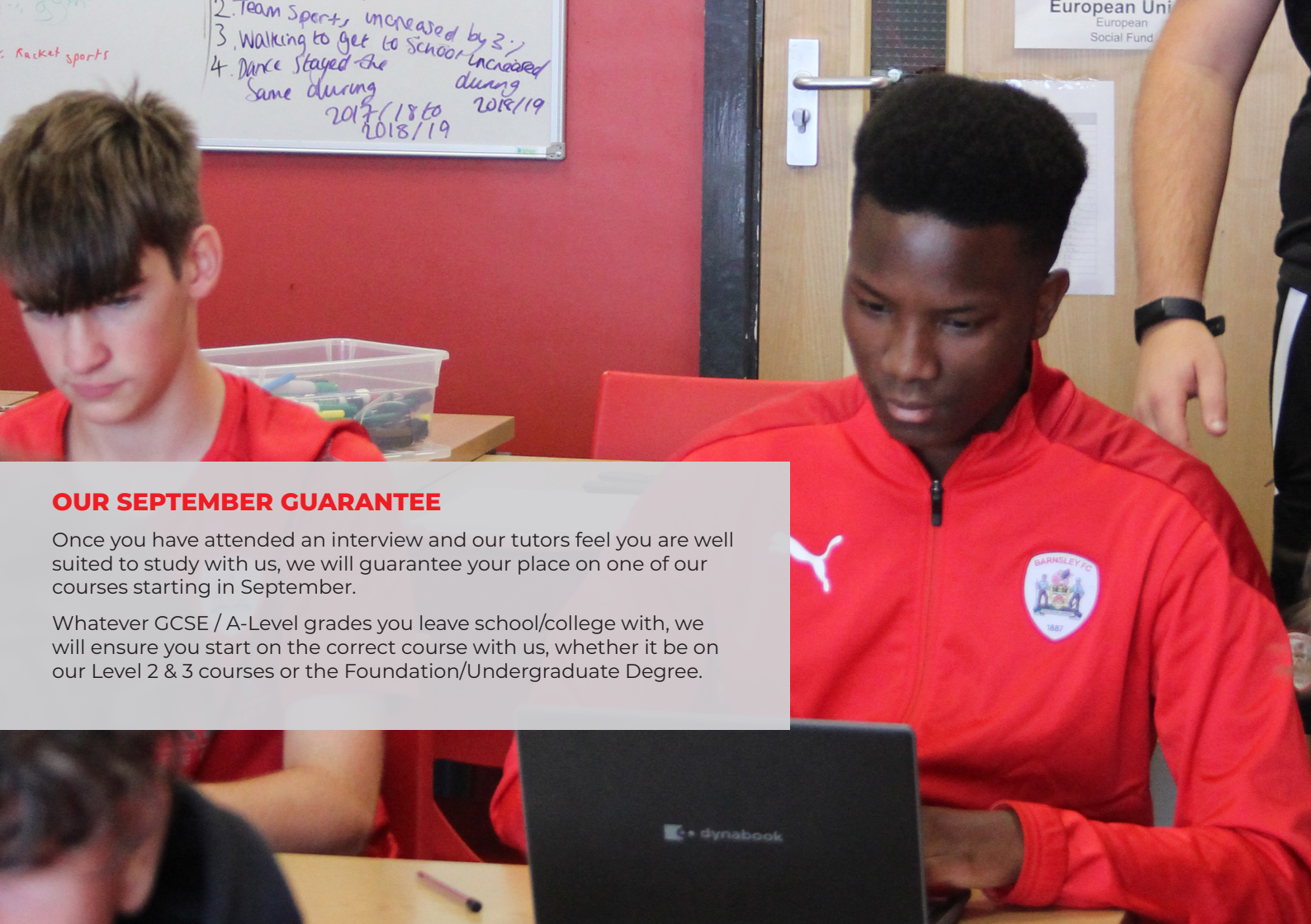
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3. Walking to get to school increased during 2017/18 to 2018/19
4. Dance stayed the same during 2017/18 to 2018/19

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Social Fund

OUR SEPTEMBER GUARANTEE

Once you have attended an interview and our tutors feel you are well suited to study with us, we will guarantee your place on one of our courses starting in September.

Whatever GCSE / A-Level grades you leave school/college with, we will ensure you start on the correct course with us, whether it be on our Level 2 & 3 courses or the Foundation/Undergraduate Degree.



MEET THE EDUCATION TEAM

Our team is made up of qualified tutors and support staff. Our team pride themselves in developing new innovative ways of making your learning experience as engaging and enjoyable as possible. All lessons are run through an accelerated learning method which aims to maximise the learning experience.

Over the past six years, our staff have received both Grade 2 (good) and Grade 1 (outstanding) teaching grades through internal and external observations.



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FOOTBALL PROGRAMME COACHES & EDUCATION SUPPORT

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- Alex O'Connor

FAQ's

IS IT ALL ABOUT FOOTBALL?

We are based at a professional football club and run a football player development programme. However, our courses cover a wide variety of sports. From the NCFE Level 2 to the Level 3 Extended Diploma you will cover a wide range of sports, including:

• Tag Rugby

• Volleyball

• Badminton

• Table Tennis

• Hockey

• Athletics

• Handball

• Cricket

• Basketball

IS IT THE SAME AS COLLEGE?

Yes, we run fully accredited courses that are nationally recognised. These qualifications are taught by qualified and experienced teachers.

IS IT ALL AT OAKWELL?

Yes, all our classrooms are on site within Oakwell Stadium and the indoor centre and are surrounded by the first team and academy pitches. GCSE English and/or Maths lessons, will also be delivered on site.

WHAT WILL THE COURSES ENABLE ME TO DO?

The Level 2 programme challenges you by exploring aspects of the sports industry. This will equip students with knowledge relating to planning a healthy diet, training programmes and how to set lifestyle changes. The Level 3 programme covers many aspects of the billion pound sports industry.

Areas covered include sports coaching & development, setting diet plans for elite athletes, health and fitness testing, analysing a Barnsley FC first team player during a live game and producing a performance report, plus much more.

Upon completion of this course, your options include progression onto our foundation/undergraduate degrees onto University or into employment.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

If you are aged between 16 – 18 years old and your household income is below £35,000, you will be eligible to apply for a learner support fund. This fund will help towards travel and lunch costs, and in some cases funds towards kit and other sports equipment.

LEVEL 2

SPORT EXERCISE AND HEALTH

The Level 2 in Sport, Exercise and Health has been developed to give learners a good understanding of the forever expanding health and fitness industry.

This course also incorporates coaching workshops, designed to further develop students' ability to plan and deliver fun and engaging coaching sessions.

This route provides students with the knowledge and skills required to progress into the sports industry, or the Level 3 Extended Diploma.

Successful candidates may progress to further education, such as the Level 3 Extended Diploma, work or other vocational opportunities.

Learners will have the opportunity to represent Barnsley FC Community Trust in football matches against other Football League Trusts or gain vital coaching work experience with the Community programme's extensive delivery of activities throughout Barnsley.



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

16 - 18 years of age



Four grade 3's required

Successful interview

Strong interest in sport

Willingness to learn

OVERVIEW

The curriculum is designed to equip learners with an understanding of the sports sector in order to either start a career in sport, leisure or fitness industry

Students will study 3 core units, Participating in sport, Technical and tactical awareness and Introduction to healthy exercise and nutrition. These units give students a good coverage of the sport and fitness sector by developing students understanding of the human body and how it functions. Through Participating in sport students are introduced to practical sport with elements of sports coaching. Through this unit students are able to work in collaboration together to plan and deliver coaching sessions. We are able to draw upon the expert coaches at Barnsley FC Community Trust to offer guidance and further support to students working

through this unit. The final core unit is Introduction to healthy exercise and nutrition. In addition to the core delivery of this unit we are able to offer guest speaker sessions from our strength and conditioning coach. Industry experts are available to offer guidance and support of relating theory to practice and the role of a nutritionist and strength and conditioning coach working with elite athletes.

Students then complete an optional unit technical and tactical awareness and, like previous units covered we draw upon the support of expert staff through our sports coaches and sports analysts. Students will also develop knowledge around planning a personal exercise programme.

Topics Covered

- Technical and Tactical Awareness

- Practical Sport

- Nutrition

- Work experience in the Sports Industry

- Sports Coaching

Assesment Methods

- Planning and Leading Sports Activities

- Written reports

- Practical assessments

- Portfolios

- Presentations

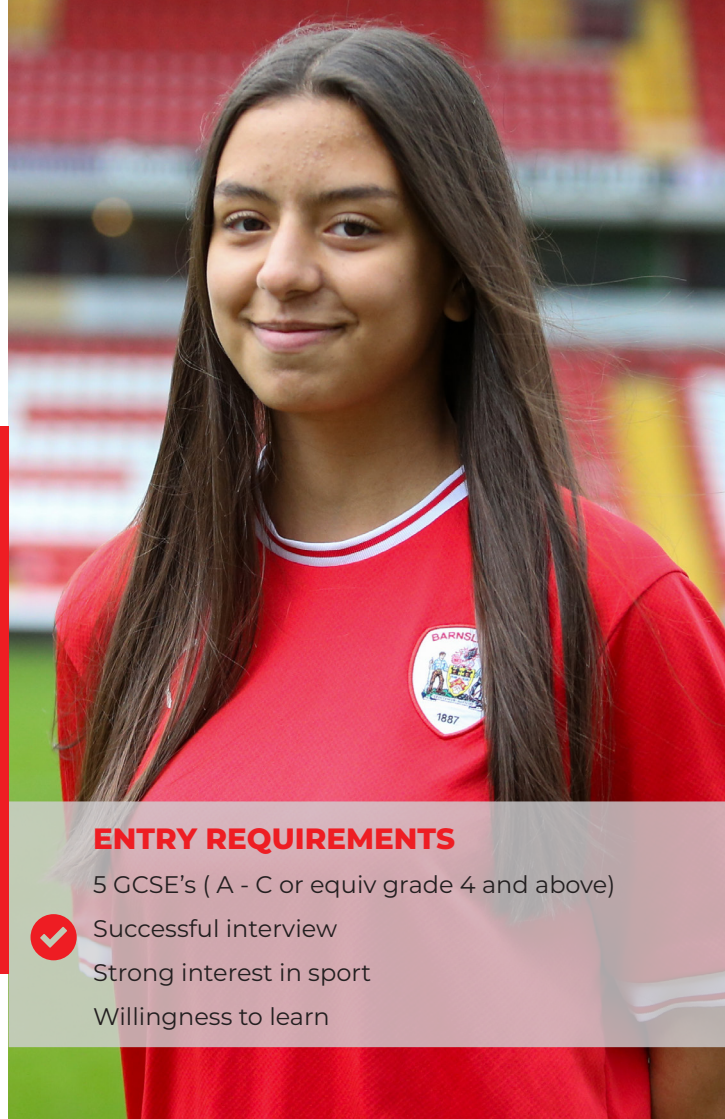
- Posters / Leaflets

LEVEL 3 BTEC EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN SPORTS COACHING & DEVELOPMENT (COACHING PATHWAY)

The Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Sports Coaching and Development is intended for post-16 learners wanting to progress directly to employment, including self-employment, in sports coaching and development roles.

It is also suitable for those wishing to progress to higher education, where learners would have the added advantage of using this qualification to obtain part-time employment while studying.

The qualification is mapped to the CIMSPA 'Coach' and 'Safeguarding and Protecting Children' professional standards. CIMSPA endorsement allows learners to apply for CIMSPA membership, after successfully completing this programme, and is therefore recognised by employers as being suitable for entry to employment in the role of a multi-skills sports coach in the sport development sector.



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

5 GCSE's (A - C or equiv grade 4 and above)



Successful interview

Strong interest in sport

Willingness to learn

OVERVIEW

The content of this qualification has been developed in consultation with employers and professional bodies. This ensures that the content is appropriate and consistent with current industry practice, which enables learners to enter employment directly in sports coaching and development roles.

Higher-education institutions have been consulted to ensure that the qualification allows appropriate progression for those aspiring to higher-level study.

Assesment Methods

- Written reports
- Practical assessments

Topics Covered Year One

- Careers in the Sport and Active Leisure Industry *
- Self Employment in Sport *
- Developing Coaching Skills *
- Sports Development *
- Health Wellbeing & Sport*
- Practical Sport**

- Portfolios
- Presentations
- Posters / Leaflets

Topics Covered Year Two

- Applied Coaching Skills*
- Research Project in Sport*
- Organising Sports Events**
- Fitness Testing**
- Nutrition**
- Influence of Technology**

* Mandatory topics

** Optional topics

LEVEL 3 BTEC EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN SPORTS COACHING & DEVELOPMENT (THERAPY PATHWAY)

The Level 3 BTEC Extended Diploma in Sports Coaching and Development (therapy pathway) is intended for learners who are wanting to progress into employment or progress onto higher education upon completion of the course. Learners are given the opportunity to work part-time whilst completing a full-time study course.

This course is mapped to the CIMSPA professional standards in coaching, safeguarding and protecting children. Upon completion of the course, learners can then apply for CIMSPA membership.

This is the same course as the coaching pathway; however, the optional units are tailored towards students that may be aiming to pursue in a career in Sports Therapy or other science related roles. This will help learners develop an underpinning knowledge of the different career options that are available to them before potentially applying for higher education.



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

5 GCSE's (A - C or equiv grade 4 and above)



Successful interview

Strong interest in sport

Willingness to learn

Assesment Methods

- Written reports
- Practical assessments
- Portfolios

Topics Covered Year One

- Careers in the Sport and Active Leisure Industry*
- Self Employment in Sport*
- Developing Coaching Skills*
- Sports Development*
- Health Wellbeing & Sport*
- Anatomy & Physiology**

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- Presentations
 - Posters / Leaflets

Topics Covered Year Two

- Research Project in Sport*
- Applied Coaching Skills*
- Psychology**
- Sports Injuries**
- Sports Massage**
- Nutrition**

* Mandatory topics

** Optional topics

FOUNDATION DEGREE COACHING AND DEVELOPMENT

The Foundation Degree in Community Football Coaching and Development has been specifically designed for learners at professional football club's and their Trust's education programmes.

Operating through the University of South Wales, the two-year course was written by the English Football League (EFL) Trust in order to develop the required skills and experiences to operate as a professional coach.

Alongside classroom-based learning, students will have the chance to gain coaching experience through Reds in the Community's various initiatives at Oakwell and across the borough of Barnsley.

This course has been shortlisted for a Times Higher Education Leadership and Management Award 2018 in the 'Outstanding Digital Innovation of the Year' category.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

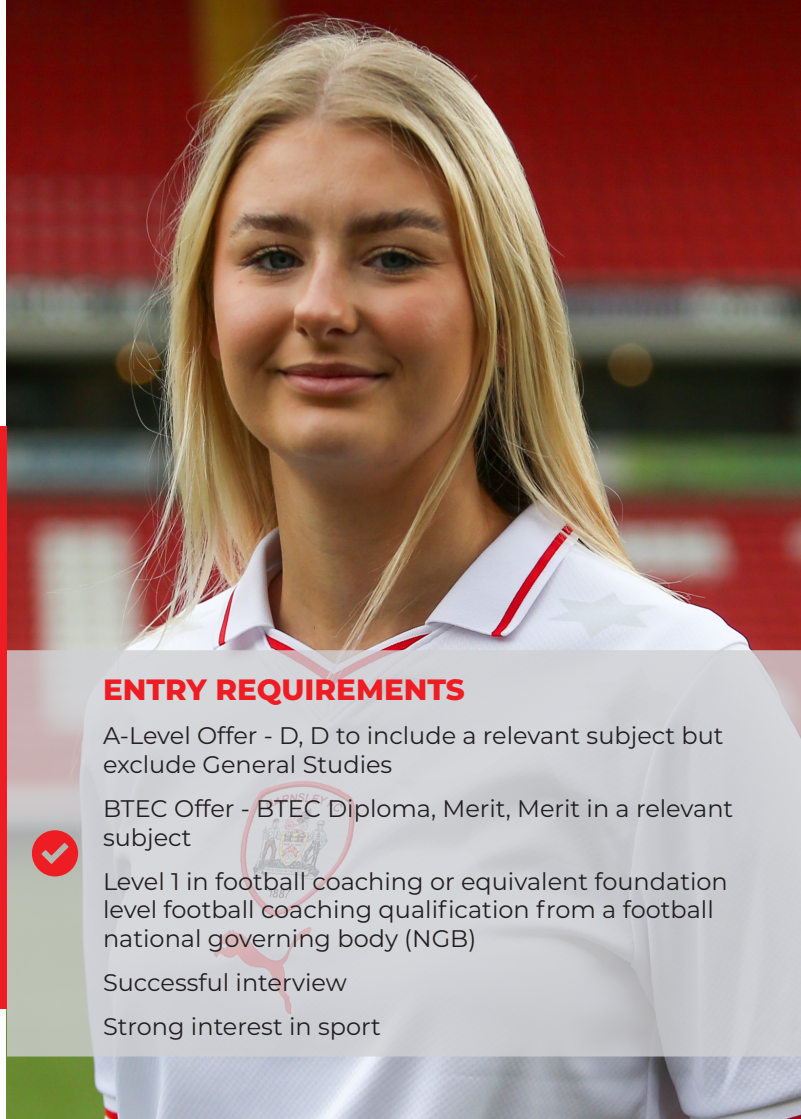
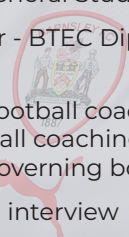
A-Level Offer - D, D to include a relevant subject but exclude General Studies

BTEC Offer - BTEC Diploma, Merit, Merit in a relevant subject

Level 1 in football coaching or equivalent foundation level football coaching qualification from a football national governing body (NGB)

Successful interview

Strong interest in sport



You'll learn about children and youth coaching, football coaching, football development, social inclusion, and sports management skills.

You will be based predominantly within Oakwell Stadium, with a minimum of five days a year at the USW Sport Park, experiencing the £15m state-of-the-art coaching and performance development centre with full size indoor 3g pitch, equipped with the latest GPS, Video and Audio technology to support your coach education development.

Year 1

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- Football Coaching Young Performers
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- Strength and Conditioning: Principles and Applications
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- Academic Research and Professional Skills
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- Introduction to Sports Development
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- Managing and Developing Football in the Community

Year 2

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- Football Coaching Adolescent Performers
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- Sport Placement: Football
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- Football in Society
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- Physical Education and School Sport (Optional)
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- Performance Analysis (Optional)

BA (HONS) SPORTS BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

The BA (Hons) Sports Business Management course will teach you aspects of sports business and management including marketing, managing people and projects, strategy and governance.

The course will also develop your leadership and creativity skills with an eye on you becoming future managers and leaders in the sports industry. There will be further opportunities to apply your knowledge with the extensive work-based learning programme.

The majority of study-time will be conducted remotely at Barnsley FC Community Trust, with attendance at up to 3 Residential Study Visits to University of South Wales per year. Learning materials include pre-recorded online lectures and live online seminars and tutorials.

A key part of this degree is the increased amount of placement hours you will experience. You will undertake 4-8 hours per week in year 1 and 7-14 hours per week in years 2 and 3.



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A-Level Offer - BCC (equivalent to 104 UCAS points)

BTEC Offer - BTEC Extended Diploma, Distinction, Merit, Merit (equivalent to 112 UCAS points)



Access to HE Offer - Pass the Access to HE Diploma and obtain a minimum of 104 UCAS points

GCSEs: A minimum 5 GCSEs including Mathematics / Numeracy and English at Grade C or Grade 4 or above, or their equivalent, but consideration is given to individual circumstance.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

Year 1

- Managing Sport (20 credits)
- Academic Research and Study Skills (20 credits)
- Promotion and Marketing in Sport (20 credits)
- Introduction to Sports Business Principles (20 credits)
- Introduction to Sports Finance (20 credits)
- Reflection on Learning in the Workplace (20 credits)

Year 3

- Applied Professional Project (40 credits)
- Strategic Sports Development (20 credits)
- Leadership in Sport (20 credits)
- Business Insight for Sports Managers (20 credits)
- Policy, Law and Governance in Sport (20 credits)

FEES

AUGUST 2024 - JULY 2025

Full-time UK - **£9000**

Part-time UK - **£740 per 20 credits**

Full-time fees are per year. Part-time fees are per 20 credits. Once enrolled, the fee will remain at the same rate throughout the duration of your study on this course.

Year 2

- Enterprise in Sport (20 credits)
- Project Operations Management (20 credits)
- Sport Placement (20 credits)
- Sports Business Analytics (20 credits)
- Human Resource Management in Sport (20 credits)
- Digital Marketing and PR in Sport (20 credits)

ASSESSMENT

You'll be assessed via a range of methods to ensure you develop a range of different skills. Approximately 80% of the assessment methods are coursework orientated

Assessment methods include written essays and reports, presentations, practical sports management and leadership assessments, work-based learning assessments, posters and leaflets, reflective blogs, team debates, exams (multiple choice and essay style).



FOOTBALL - SHADOW SCHOLARSHIP

AVAILABLE FOR MALE AND FEMALE STUDENTS

This exciting initiative allows a combination of ex-academy players and young local talent both male and female aged 16-19 to develop their footballing ability in the hope of moving into professional football through Barnsley Football Club, whilst also studying on Barnsley FC Community Trust's equally impressive education setup, gaining either a BTEC, or a foundation degree in football coaching.

Players will train daily in a professional environment and develop under UEFA B qualified coaches from both Barnsley FC Community Trust and the Barnsley FC Academy, whilst also having access to impressive on-site facilities including sports therapy, gym and performance analysis equipment.

Our Shadow Scholars will also get the chance to represent Barnsley FC in the U19's National Youth League and National Cup as they compete against other professional football clubs across the country.

In addition to the comprehensive football training programme, some players will have the opportunity to integrate with some Barnsley FC academy U18 training sessions. Over the past three seasons a number of players have trained weekly with the U18s, including players progressing onto 6 week trails with the academy.



FOOTBALL - EFL DEVELOPMENT

The EFL development programme is an offer for students that are not quite ready for competitive football at Shadow Scholarship level and is targeted at players with previous or current experience at a recreational level or introductory level to football. On this programme players will train a minimum of twice a week in a professional environment under FA qualified coaches from both Barnsley FC Community Trust and the Barnsley FC Academy. Players also have access to our impressive on-site facilities including sport therapy, gym and performance analysis equipment.

Our football development players will get the chance to represent Barnsley FC in the EFL CEFA league against other professional football clubs across the country.

The focus of this programme is to develop players to progress into the Shadow Scholarship programme, without pressure and in a supportive environment.



EXTRA-CURRICULAR EXPERIENCES



STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING

Students will work alongside lead Strength and Conditioning coaches who has a vast experience in this sector and is also the current lead Strength and Conditioning coach at Bradford Bulls Academy.

Students will shadow coaches learning how to assess athletes fitness levels, accurately record and log data captured, analyse results and develop bespoke fitness plans for both individual players and teams.

FOOTBALL COACHING

This opportunity enables students to assist in the delivery of Barnsley FC Community Trust's very own Soccer Camps.

Camps are run by Barnsley FC Community Trust coaches during half term at Oakwell Stadium.

Successful applicants will be able to gain vital coaching experience which helps students gain a greater insight into community football coaching, specifically working with young children.



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