



Coaching Certification Process

Important Reminders

- ❑ The club will reimburse coaches upon successful completion (and presentation of certificate) for all mandatory courses undertaken.
- ❑ Coaches must be at least 16yrs old to participate in Grassroots Coaching Certification program.
- ❑ There is an online Theory component for each course that must be completed FIRST / before you can apply for the on-field practical sessions.
- ❑ The online Theory component MUST be completed a minimum of 7 days prior to the On-field practical session.
- ❑ **NO WALK-UPS WILL BE PERMITTED FOR THE ONFIELD SESSIONS, DUE TO BC SOCCER ADMIN RULES.**
- ❑ Space in each course is limited and will close once the maximum allowance is met.
- ❑ Any questions please contact Trevor O'Neill, trevor@abbotsfordsoccer.com

Step 1: Determine What Age Group You Will Be Coaching

U4-U6: Active Start

U7-U9: Fundamentals

U10-U12: Learn to Train

U13+: Soccer for Life

Step 2: Create A Coach Centre Account

- ❑ [CLICK HERE](#) to create an account or login if you have an existing account.
- ❑ Once logged in click the My Profile > Profile tab in the top left corner of the page.
- ❑ Update your email.
- ❑ Click Submit.

Step 3: Complete The Online Theory Component (Part 1)

- ❑ [CLICK HERE](#) to select the appropriate course and complete the payment process.
- ❑ You will be sent an email from noreply@smarteru.com please follow the instructions on the email. IMPORTANT: please make sure when registering for a Canada Soccer SmarterU account that your name and email are identical to your name and primary email on the Coach Centre.
- ❑ You will need to complete Coaching Soccer In Canada (only once) before you will be able to access and complete any of the 4 Grassroots Coaching Courses applicable to you.

COACHES PAY FOR THE RESPECTIVE ONLINE THEORY COMPONENT. ONCE COMPLETED, SUBMIT YOUR RECEIPT FOR REIMBURSEMENT TO info@abbotsfordsoccer.com



Step 4: Complete the On-Field Practical Workshop (Part 2)

- ☐ At the date and time listed below or find another date at a different time if you need flexibility by clicking -> [HERE](#).

Active Start – Date & Time TBD

Fundamentals - Date & Time TBD

Learn to Train - Date & Time TBD

Soccer for Life - Date & Time TBD

COACHES PAY FOR THE RESPECTIVE ON-FIELD PRACTICAL WORKSHOP. ONCE COMPLETED, SUBMIT YOUR RECEIPT FOR REIMBURSEMENT TO info@abbotsfordsoccer.com

For registration details reach out to;

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