



BTEC Sports Tutor at Tranmere Rovers College

Tranmere Rovers Football Club operates a highly successful football and education programme which prides itself on its high standards and expectations, the quality of its curriculum delivery and academic outcomes. The key to the colleges continued growth is its ambitious vision, dedicated staff and its philosophy that all young people can reach their full potential irrespective of their starting point or background.

The college is seeking to appoint an ambitious and outstanding full-time BTEC tutor/football coach who will be committed to providing our students with the best possible learning experience and opportunities both in the classroom and on the field of play.

The successful applicant will benefit from working in professional sport environment and will be based at Prenton Park/the Solar Campus (delete as appropriate). The main responsibilities include planning, delivery and assessment of the BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Sport. The college offers an outstanding football programme and as a result you will be required to coach and manage one of the competitive teams in both the league and cup.

The club is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Appointment for this post is subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure and two satisfactory references.

You will need to have:

- Qualified teacher status or equivalent
- Experience of BTEC delivery and assessment
- Evidence of engaging effectively with 16 – 19-year-old students
- Minimum of FA Level 2 Coaching Award

You will need to be:

- Passionate about young people and them fulfilling their potential
- Self-motivated and forward thinking
- Well organised and flexible
- Resilient
- Prepared to go the extra mile for colleagues and students

The appointed applicant will benefit from a full induction programme and support, excellent working environment and the opportunity to join an organisation that is making a difference to young people across Merseyside and the surrounding areas.

If interested send a CV and covering letter detailing how you meet the job specification to:

Recruitment- recruitment@tranmererovers.co.uk

Closing date: 18th July 2022

Interviews: W/C 25th July

Contract Type: Permanent FT

Salary: £25,000 to £30,000 depending upon experience

We are legally obliged to ask you to provide evidence of your right to work in the UK. If you are invited to interview, you will be asked to provide appropriate documents such as your full birth certificate/passport/work permit in accordance with the Asylum and Immigration Act 1996.

If you are invited to interview you will be asked to complete an application form adhering to Safer Recruitment Policy.

This post is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act (1974) and a comprehensive screening process will be undertaken on all applicants. This will include an enhanced check with the Disclosure and Barring Service.

Person Specification

Formal Qualifications

Essential

- Appropriate teaching qualification (PGCE or equivalent)
- Evidence of continuing personal and professional development
- The FA Level 2 in Coaching Football

Desirable

- A relevant higher education qualification
- A1 Assessor Award and V1 Assessor Award
- UEFA B Licence
- The FA Youth Award (Modules 1, 2, 3)

Background and Experience

Essential

- Successful teaching experience/practice in 14-19 age range
- Experience of teaching and assessing BTEC Level 3 qualifications
- Experience of setting and achieving high personal standards in the delivery of courses
- Experience of setting and achieving high standards in respect of learner retention and achievement with proven evidence of success with BTEC Sport courses
- A creative and innovative approach to the development of teaching, learning and assessment
- Evidence of a strong football coaching background
- An ability to engage and build upon and further existing links with local organisations (e.g. schools and colleges)
- An understanding of issues relating to teaching and learning in further education or school
- A knowledge of self-assessment and quality assurance methods
- Demonstrate leadership and motivational skills
- The ability to evaluate course delivery and take action to strengthen delivery (e.g. action planning)

- Demonstrate an ability to undertake administrative tasks for the role including lesson planning, marking and where necessary internally verifying (IV) work when required.
- An ability to respond flexibly to new challenge and opportunities
- An ability to successfully manage behaviour
- The ability to comply with the requirements needed to perform this role in relation to working with children and/or young people/ vulnerable adults

Desirable

- An ability to plan and manage effective courses
- An ability to contribute to teaching on a range of courses at several levels
- A willingness to arrange and accompany students on variety of visits and trips
- Ability and experience of working with competitive teams in a variety of sports
- Experience of coaching at a Professional Football Academy
- An ability to lead and manage a team where necessary

Personal Qualities

Essential

- Commitment to education and the value of learning
- Self-motivated with high personal standards
- An ability to work well as an individual and as a member of a team
- An empathy with post 16 students and the ethos of the organisation
- A commitment to equal opportunities and awareness of the needs and sensitivities of students from a range of cultural backgrounds and/or disabilities
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Enthusiasm and a commitment to provide quality learning experiences.
- ICT Literate
- An ability to manage demanding deadlines and hit targets