



SINCE 604 AD

KING'S SCHOOL

ROCHESTER

Post title: Football Coach (Contractor)
Reporting to: Director of Sport
Hours of work: 8 to 10 hours per week
Salary: To be discussed at interview
Commencing: January 2027

King's seeks a football specialist coach who will work closely with the Director of Sport to develop the programme from Year 9 to Year 13, coaching and refereeing across the age groups.

Responsibilities to include (not exhaustive):

- Provide high-quality coaching to pupils of all ages and abilities;
- To promote an engaging learning environment;
- To plan sessions that meet the objectives set by the Head of Football, which develop individuals and teams throughout the term, identifying strengths and improving weaknesses;
- To employ appropriate strategies for class management consistently and effectively;
- To set appropriate performance targets for pupils during lessons;
- To support the pastoral work of the school;
- To coach or assist teams during weekday and Saturday fixtures as and when required;
- Be expected to work in line with school policies;

Hours of work:

Lent Term

Tuesday 8.30-10.30 am, 2.00-4.00 pm (afternoons may vary if on a fixture)

Thursday 8.30-10.30 am, 2.00-4.00 pm (afternoons may vary if on a fixture)

*Saturdays Availability to referee/coach for Saturday fixtures is desirable

Person Specification

	Essential	Desirable
Education and qualifications	Experience in both playing and coaching football.	Uefa C/FA Level 2 qualification. A relevant sports-based degree or other qualifications. Minibus D or Lite qualification.
Specialist knowledge and skills	Be able to plan and deliver coaching sessions that are fun, innovative, creative and adaptable.	

Skills and Abilities	Know and be willing to adopt best teaching practices. Demonstrate and promote a positive ethos. Maintain high standards of teaching and learning. Maintain positive relationships with colleagues, students and parents.	
Personal Qualities	Good organisational, interpersonal and communication skills. Be a sporting role model to all pupils.	

Method of Application:

If you require further information or would like to discuss the role in person, please contact recruitment@kings-rochester.co.uk and Seth Simmons, Director of Sport, ssimmons@kings-rochester.co.uk, who will be happy to discuss the role in more detail.

King's Rochester is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and fulfils all its responsibilities under current child protection and safeguarding legislation in accordance with good practice in the care of young people, especially those living away from home.

Candidates will be expected to undergo child protection screening appropriate to the post, including Disclosure and Barring Service checks and allow checks on their background and identity, including checks with past employers and suitable referees.

The appointment will be conditional upon successful outcomes of these checks and also on satisfactory enhanced DBS and children's barred list checks.

The School has a legal responsibility to ensure that all its Contractors have the legal right to live and work in the UK. Therefore, you will need to provide original documents verifying that you are eligible to work in the UK for the interview. Details of these will be provided in the invitation to interview.

All candidates invited to interview must bring the original documents confirming or verifying any educational and professional qualifications that are necessary or relevant for the post.