

## **Minimum Standard of Delivery for Coaches in Rotherham- Primary School Premium Offer**

The Rotherham Active Partnership's Minimum Standard for Delivery (MSD) aims to guide and inform coaching providers. This benefits the coach, the school and the participants they are coaching. It is hoped this will ultimately raise the standard of coaching delivery and endeavour to ensure that the Primary School Premium funding is spent in a manner that will maximise its impact on Primary School PE and Sport within Rotherham.

### **Essential Requirements:**

1. All Coaches are Enhanced Disclosure and Barring (DBS) checked
2. Head coach to have a level 2 National Governing Body (NGB) coaching qualification\*
3. All coaches hold an up to date Safeguarding and Protecting Children qualification (Awarded within the last three years)
4. All coaches hold an up to date Emergency First Aid qualification (Awarded in the last 3 years)
5. All coaches have appropriate insurance cover\*\*
6. Coaches shall have session plans relating to the national curriculum for each session delivered and where possible, will make these available for the teacher/ school to use afterwards
7. The school and the coaching/ organisation will have a formal service level agreement regarding the programme to be delivered
8. Codes of conduct are shared and adhered to including; Health and Safety, Equity & Safeguarding and that necessary policies and procedures in place particularly relating to risk assessment and accident reporting
9. Coaches/ organisations ensure there is a teacher present at all times when delivering to pupils
10. Lead coaches shall be a minimum of 18 years of age and assistant coaches shall be a minimum of 16 years of age

### **Coaching organisations will:**

1. Be able to set up and recruit children and young people to extra-curricular programmes of activities
2. Understand the necessary processes of working with teaching staff and other adults to plan for and manage the extra-curricular programme
3. Be able to support pupils to access player pathways and provide links to community sports clubs

### **Guidance:**

\* National Governing Body (NGB) qualifications usually commence at level 1 this being an assistant coach with a level 2 award being a head / lead coach; this differs in some sports where by the NGB doesn't offer an assistant coach course e.g. Archery

\* A level 1 coach can be used in a setting where a teacher is still responsible for participant safety and welfare

\*\* Insurance and liability cover could be via the employing organisation, National Governing Body (NGB), or scUK this should be made clear as to which is being used for delivery

**Declaration**

On behalf of..... I .....  
agree that the above organisation will adhere to the standards as set out above.

**Organisation contact details:**

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**Signed:**..... **Date:**.....

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