ICC Introduction to Cricket Course

Provide participants with:

A basic understanding of the game of cricket and a basic education in three important components of the game

Coaching

Umpiring

Scoring

The session will provide the skills and resources to conduct/assist a cricket session with children. It would be envisaged that this session would predominately include game based activities, but also some coaching components.

Target Market: Predominantly teachers, tertiary education students, parents and youth workers with little or no understanding of cricket. Also current players and cricket interested people, with little or no coaching, umpiring or scoring experience.

Assessment/Attendee Requirements: There is no official assessment to be completed during this course. Participants however are required to attend all components of the course in order to receive a certificate of participation.

Attendees will receive a certificate of participation at the completion of the course.

Duration: 4 Hours

Application Deadline

 Two weeks before course start date - places will be allocated after the deadline.

ECB Coaching Assistant Level One

Course Aim

- The course is aimed at those who have little and moderate cricket knowledge and experience (an ideal course for parent helpers).
- There are some technical skills that need to be demonstrated as part of the assessment but they are limited.

Course Summary

- This entry level course equips new coaches with the skills, knowledge and understanding to fulfil the role of a **Coaching Assistant** and to support more experienced and qualified coaches out in the field.
- The course is split into 4 x 3 hour modules: Introduction to Cricket Coaching; Using Games to promote Learning; Developing Technical Skills and Group Coaching Practice followed by a final assessment. This is spread over three days.

Course Pre-requisites

- You must be at least 16 years old on day one of the course.
- 1st Aid Course Provide Certificate or do on Level One course.
- Safeguarding and Protecting Children (SPC) Course (or Code of Ethics) Provide Certificate or do on Level One course.
- Access NI (Northern Ireland) Please contact your club, who will have a 'Lead Officer for Access NI' to apply.
- Garda Vetting email <u>stephen.moreton@irishcricket.org</u> for an application form.

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Course Aim

• This course is aimed at those who already have a good level of cricket knowledge and understanding. It is essential that candidates are able to demonstrate a range of cricket skills to an acceptable level.

Course Summary

- The course is split into 8 x 3 hour modules spread normally over 4 days.
- This is followed by the need to complete 6 separate supported practice sessions (of at least 30 minutes) with a current Level 2 or higher coach as mentor.
- The assessment then follows approximately 4-6 months after the end of the course.

Course Pre-requisites

- You must be at least 18 years old to complete the course.
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Course Aim

 The 6 Coach Development Workshops (CDWs) are designed to give UKCC2 & ECB Level II coaches some more knowledge and skills based around specific aspects of the game.

Course Summary

- Each Workshop is 3 hours.
- There are 6 CDWs Courses.
- Once coaches have attended all 6 workshops Cricket Ireland will contact you when the Club Coach Assessment (taken from the 6 CDWs) are being run.
- Once you have passed the Club Coach Assessment you will be eligible to apply for the ECB Head Coach Level Three Course.

Course Pre-requisites

- You must be at least 18 years old to complete the course.
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ECB Head Coach Level Three

For all the Information about the ECB course please look on the <u>ECB's</u> Document.

These courses are nationally run and any applications for this course need to be made through Cricket Ireland. To register an interest, please send an email to stephen.moreton@irishcricket.org

Course Pre-requisites

- You must hold the ECB Level II or UKCC2 Certificate.
- You must have attended the 6 CDWs
- You must have passed the Club Coach Assessment.
- 1st Aid Course Provide Certificate or do on Level One course.
- Safeguarding and Protecting Children (SPC) Course (or Code of Ethics) -Provide Certificate or do on Level One course.
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