

Reed's School Job Description TENNIS COACH

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Context of the Role:

We are looking for strong, LTA Accredited coaches who are keen to help develop our school and community programmes.

The right coach must be reliable, team player with a passion for tennis and have the personality, energy and ability to inspire both a young generation and drive adult enthusiasm for tennis.

The role will involve working on a part- time basis to run/ assist the lead coach in delivering group coaching sessions.

The role will be offered on a self-employed basis and will report into Reed's School Enterprises.

Main Duties and Responsibilities:

- Create a positive and fun environment in which to motivate and encourage pupils across the age range.
- Plan, deliver and review appropriate coaching sessions.
- Identify players abilities and encourage them to reach their full potential.
- Provide explanations and demonstrate accurate tennis techniques.
- Develop players all round games including technique, tactics and footwork and identify ways to improve performance.
- Evaluate sessions and provide feedback.
- Regularly assess each tennis player's ability and progress and provide reports as necessary.
- Ensure safe provision of all equipment and ensure it is used correctly.
- Make sure safety standards are followed in sessions and undertake risk assessments.
- Raise child protection issues, reporting any concerns to the Designated Safeguarding Lead.

•	Undertake such other comparable duties as RSE require
	from time to time

•	Promote and safeguard the welfare of children and
	young persons for whom you are responsible for and
	with whom you come into contact.

Reed's School Person Specification TENNIS COACH

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	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications:	LTA Level 2 or above.LTA Accredited/ Accredited +.	LTA Youth trained.First Aid and Child Protection Trained.
Experience	Experience with junior group coaching from ages 4 and above.	 Experience with LTA Youth Coaching. Adult coaching & other LTA initiatives e.g. Cardio Tennis.
Skills	 Ability to work on your own and as part of a coaching team. Comfortable leading sessions with up to 8 players. 	
Knowledge	CPD/LTA points as per qualification requirements.	Keeping up to date with current trends within tennis & schools.
Personal Competencies and Qualities	 High levels of energy and enthusiasm. Professional, reliable and punctual. A friendly, open, goodhumoured and collaborative attitude. Genuine passion and a 	
	belief in the potential of every child.	

	Ability to act as a role model through demonstrating high standards of personal and professional conduct.		
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