

Thanks for your message and your positive interest in seeking to become a coach at our football club. We always welcome new volunteers !

There are two quick and easy steps before you can apply to do the short training course that is needed

The first step is to register for a FAN (Football Association Number)

Go to <https://secure.thefa.com/fan/register.aspx>

There is no fee.

Keep a note of your FAN

You need then to apply for a DBS (used to be called a 'CRB' or 'police check')

The simple instructions can be seen at

http://kingstonparkfootballclub.com/DBS_guidance.pdf

You do not need to pay the fee - the fee is paid by our club.

You can then apply to do the short training course. You can read more at

<http://www.northumberlandfa.com/football-development/coach-education/fa-courses/fa-level-1-award-in-coaching-football>

You can book online - just follow the links.

Provided you attend all the sessions and retain your receipt the club will refund your fee in full. Don't worry if the next available space is some months away. Just book on the first available course but then call Andrew Smith at Northumberland FA and tell him you would be able to attend an earlier course if places become available due to drop outs.

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