

## Enrichment

At the Centre of Sporting Excellence, we are committed to developing and broadening your personal and professional skills with an extensive extracurricular offer.

Our comprehensive range of activities have been designed to support your development and provide you with valuable life experiences. Whether you are looking to learn a new skill, engage in sporting activities, explore work placement opportunities, or broaden your academic horizons. We have something for everyone.

Our provision includes opportunities to develop your skills, make new friends and provide you with a competitive advantage when applying for university courses or seeking employment.



Enrolling at the Centre of Sporting Excellence is a great choice for school leavers who are looking to pursue a career in sport.

Apply in three simple steps:

1

Apply online by visiting [www.pne.com/newstudent](http://www.pne.com/newstudent) and submitting the expression of interest form.

2

Complete a scheduled interview with our recruitment team.

3

Accept the conditional offer and enrol once your results have been collected.

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# Centre of Sporting Excellence

Do you have a passion for sport?  
Are you currently looking for the next step  
in your career?



## CAREERS IN SPORT EVENT

100%  
pass rate

Thursday 7th April  
Invincibles Lounge,  
Deepdale Stadium  
4pm-7pm

Please register  
using the QR link



## Why Study At The Centre Of Sporting Excellence?

The Centre of Sporting Excellence provides the highest quality education and sports provision to 16 to 19-year-olds in the Preston community. Our diverse programme utilises the power of Preston North End Football Club to inspire you to improve and reach and achieve your goals, with a focus on achieving academic attainment, developing life skills and maintaining your happiness and welfare.

Our curriculum offer allows you to study industry-recognised qualifications, while accessing work placement opportunities and developing your sporting performance, providing you with enhanced career prospects in a range of sporting disciplines.

### Study

The Centre of Sporting Excellence has a course for everyone, ranging from Level 1 to Level 3. Our tutors have acquired a wealth of knowledge and experience through various career pathways, which is shared with you to support your career progression.



### Develop

You will gain experience in the sports industry by having access to a range of work placement opportunities and understanding how theory is applied in practice in a real workplace environment. As well as having behind-the-scenes access to Preston North End's stadium, you can also access plenty of exciting enrichment opportunities and experiences.



### Play

You will be trained by UEFA qualified coaches and given the opportunity to compete nationally in the EFL Community and Education Football Alliance League, where you will compete against other professional clubs, including Manchester City, Burnley and Blackburn Rovers.



The programme also provides pathways to semi-professional football and scholarships in the USA.

## Overview

The Centre of Sporting Excellence offers a fantastic pathway into the sports industry. Our courses are designed to provide you with the skills and knowledge to prepare you for employment or further study. Our tutors and partners will provide you with a plethora of opportunities to improve your experience on the course and help you to fulfil your potential.

Level 1  
BTEC  
Diploma

Level 2  
OCR  
Diploma in  
Sport

Level 3  
OCR  
Extended  
Diploma  
in Sport

To ensure you become the next generation of industry excellence, alongside your core qualifications there will be opportunities to gain experiences that will be important in preparing you for work, developing your wider skills and helping you to achieve your future aspirations.

## Progression

Everything we do at the Centre of Sporting Excellence enables you to progress within your preferred career path. Our dedicated team will support you in pursuing the next step in your life.

The experiences and opportunities provided to you are all designed to develop your skills and make you ready for the expectations of your chosen career and society. A comprehensive programme of guidance and support is given to you, covering all aspects of UCAS and job applications, ensuring positive destinations are achieved.

Learners who attend the Centre of Sporting Excellence are able to progress onto scholarships, university, semi professional football or employment.

The qualifications studied and links to employers with industry will open avenues to a number of exciting career paths, including personal training, sports science, sports coaching, PE teaching, physiotherapy, journalism and media, sports development, diet and nutrition and sports analysis.