



POSITION DESCRIPTION

1st Coach - Football

POSITION OBJECTIVES

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KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● In conjunction with the Head of Coaching - Football, assist in the design and formulation of the "St Kevin's" Football Model. ● Create a culture of success in the St Kevin's Football program. ● With the Head of Coaching - Football, assist in the Identification and development of coaches across the Football Program ● Identify talented young players across the grades to be potentially fast tracked to 1st level. ● Mentor and coordinate coaches within the 1st and 2nd football program.
Coaching	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Lead Coach of 1st XVIII Football Team ● Attend all 1st and 2nd XVIII training sessions, including pre-season and holiday training. ● With the Head of Coaching - Football, make cuts to squads to ensure the focus is on the 1st and 2^{nds} XVIII teams ● Create a 'Senior Squad' program (1st and 2nd XVIII only). ● Hudl coding / management of video analysis
Managing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Manage a team of coaches within the 1st/2nd XVIII squad ● Work with the Strength and Conditioning team and medical team to ensure students are capable of physically performing to 1st level football. ● Liaise with Head of Coaching- Football and S&C staff to ensure identified Performance footballers are being managed on and off the field to enable success in Sport and Education. ● Liaise with Coates Talent League to enable pathways for elite footballers ● Work with other Summer APS Sports to ensure that boys training load is balanced with Summer sports to take priority in the summer season.
Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Ensure all football training complies with OHS regulations. ● Be familiar with and comply with the school's child-safe policy and code of conduct, and any other policies or procedures relating to child safety ● Assist in the provision of a child-safe environment for students ● Demonstrate duty of care to students in relation to their physical and mental wellbeing
Professional development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Commit to ongoing professional development in your area of work ● Be open to researching areas of interest relevant to directions provided in the school's strategic plan ● Continue development of ICT skills as technologies evolve in Cricket
General Duties	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Abide by the St Kevin's College - Code of Conduct ● Contribute to a healthy and safe work environment for yourself and others and comply with all safe work policies and procedures ● Attend school meetings, conferences and after school services/assemblies, sporting events, mass, community and faith days as required by the Principal

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- Be available on call during the term break and other 'out of school hours' times for emergency situations that may arise
- Other duties as directed by the Teaching in Charge- Football
- The College reserves the right to alter this position description as required to reflect emerging priorities

SELECTION CRITERIA

Commitment to Catholic Education

- A demonstrated understanding of the ethos of a Catholic school and its mission
- A demonstrated understanding of the mission and vision of the College

Commitment to Child Safety

- A demonstrated understanding of child safety
- A demonstrated understanding of appropriate behaviours when engaging with children
- Be a suitable person to engage in child-connected work
- Must hold or be willing to acquire a Working with Children Check Card and must be willing to undergo a National Police Record Check

Education and Experience

Essential:

- Level 2 AFL Coaching accreditation or equivalent
- Experience in coaching your own team
- Experience coaching youth athletes

Desirable other:

- Past school coaching experience
- Knowledge and experience with the APS program.
- Past or present experience coaching Representative or Underage Teams

Skills and Attributes

- Ability to work and lead a team of coaches (both internal teaching staff and external coach)
- Up to date knowledge of modern trends in football coaching/ methodology, including use of technology to assist in the

Time Commitment

On Field:

Term 1: Two morning sessions per week (Between M-F 7am-8:15am)

Term 2 and 3: Two afternoons per week (Between M-F 3:15-5:30) Saturday (11:30-5:30). Possibility of an additional training time per week

Term 1 and 2 Holidays: Ability to attend all training/ camp days/ practice matches as organised with the TIC – Football and Head of Coaching - Football

In addition, there will be time given for planning and looking at vision each week including coding and team management.

It is anticipated that this role will be approximately 350 hours for the season.

Position Description Approved (date):

Position Reports to: Dean of Sport, Teacher in Charge- Football, Head of Football - Coaching