

SOUTH DERBYSHIRE *TALENT ACADEMY*

2025



Active South
Derbyshire



Supporting local
athletes to achieve
their full potential

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WHATS INCLUDED?

Active South Derbyshire, in partnership with South Derbyshire District Council and Everyone Active, offer a scheme of support aimed at encouraging the development of sporting excellence in South Derbyshire.

The South Derbyshire Talent Academy is designed to aid talented local sports people to realise their potential, whether it be at County, Regional, National, or International level.

Successful applicants will be eligible for the following:

1. An annual Leisure Centre Pass, which allows free use of the gym and pool at Green Bank (Swadlincote) and Etwall Leisure Centres*
2. Free branded t-shirt
3. Eligible athletes will be signposted to apply for additional support via Everyone Actives Sporting Champions scheme.

Once the 2025 cohort has been identified, there will also be a period of consultation to find out what other support would be beneficial as part of the Talent Academy.

*limited to public use hours only
age restrictions will apply to under 16s

CRITERIA

1. Applications must be submitted via the application form on the South Derbyshire District Council website, during the application window (Monday 18th November 2024 - Sunday 5th January 2025). Applications made in any other format, or outside of the application window will not be considered.
2. Applicants must have been selected for representative honours at County, Regional, National, or International level in the past 12 months (school representation is excluded from this scheme).
3. Applicants must live within the District of South Derbyshire.
4. Applicants must be aged 11+.
5. Applicants must have amateur status.
6. Applicants must be competing in a sport recognised by Sport England.
7. The level of award is at the discretion of a judging panel.
8. The Leisure Centre Pass is only valid for use at Green Bank (Swadlincote) and Etwall Leisure Centres, and then at the discretion of the Manager.
9. Membership of the South Derbyshire Talent Academy must be renewed annually.
10. Clubs or whole teams are not eligible for assistance; the scheme is for individuals.