

SRI Coaching License Requirements:

The mission of the Youth Modules is to provide the most current and advanced information on the growth and development of the youth soccer player.

The philosophy for the modules is that the Game with each child is at the center of all decisions and actions taken by the child. The ultimate goal of the coach should be to unlock the game within each child, to help them reach their full soccer potential.

Each Level one and Level two module is a 6-hour course and deals with a specific age group, ie. U6, U8 and U10. Each Module will introduce the coach to the psychomotor, cognitive, and psychosocial development of each age level and illustrate age appropriate activities. The second class will include actual coaching of youth players. Modules are divided into two 3-hour sessions that may be held in one day or over a two-day period.

The following is a listing of certification and licensing programs held within the State:

Level One Youth Module - U6 & U8

Level Two Youth Module - U10 & U12

E License - U12 (18 hour course)

D License (State) - U14 & above (36 hour course)

D License (National) - U14 & above (36 hour course)

C License - "

B License - "

A License - "

RECREATION/DEVELOPMENTAL (Non-Travel): It is strongly recommended that non-travel team recreation coaches attend and obtain the age appropriate youth module-coaching certification license.

RECREATION/DEVELOPMENTAL (Travel Teams): U8 and U10 Travel Team coaches are required to have their age specific certification (see above) or NSCAA equivalent.

COMPETITIVE: U8, U10, & U12 Travel Team coaches are required to have age appropriate license (see above) U12 Travel Team Coaches are required to have an E License.

U14 & above Division 1 Travel Team Coaches are required to have a D License (State) or NSCAA equivalent. All other travel team coaches are strongly recommended to obtain a D License. Regarding the D and above licenses; SRI will reimburse 1/3 of the fee to the participant upon proof of course completion. It is recommended that the club association absorb an additional 1/3 of the fee. If a coach has already obtained his/her D-License and can show proof of such, he/she is not required to obtain the E-License.