

COACH EXPECTATIONS & STANDARDS 2025/2026



To keep things consistent and professional across all our schools and community sessions, all Edstart coaches should follow the simple expectations below throughout the 2025/2026 academic year. These apply to full-time, part-time, and casual staff, and will be checked regularly by area leads and the QA team.

- **Sign the Document Record**

Sign the Document Record for 2025 / 2026, with key documents handed out for you to read (*KCSIE 2025*)

- **Full Edstart Uniform**

Please wear the full Edstart Adidas kit and make sure it's clean and complete. Mixing different kits or wearing non-Edstart clothing isn't allowed whilst teaching / delivering sessions.

- **Black Socks & Black Trainers**

To keep our look consistent, black socks and black trainers are part of the uniform – please make sure they're clean and suitable for sport.

- **Staff ID Badge**

Wear your Staff ID when moving around the school.

- **Coach Folder (Fully Completed)**

Your folder should be up to date with School Information Sheet, Equipment Checklist, DBS and any other paperwork you've been asked to include.

- **DBS Certificate**

Keep a printed copy in your folder and have it with you at every session – this is important for safeguarding and when entering new schools.

- **Learning Objective and Success Criteria**

Learning Objective and Success Criteria should be on display in all lessons. This can be done via a screen, iPad or whiteboard.

- **Watch**

A watch helps you stay on time and keep your sessions running smoothly and keeping the children active for sustained periods of time.

Following these simple points helps us all deliver high-quality, safe, and professional sessions that represent Edstart in the best way.