



TSA Coach Education

2018 Centre of Apprenticeship Program

Objective:

- To provide quality approved Training opportunities for Candidates completing their TSA Coach Certification
- To prepare Candidates for their place of work upon completion of their TSA Coach Certification
- To assist Candidates in their preparation for Practical Assessments as required for each Level of TSA Coach Certification
- To increase the current pass rate of TSA Coach Courses by providing quality Training opportunities to Candidates

Description of the Program:

The Centre of Apprenticeship Program (CAP) will form an important part of the TSA Coach Certification Program for the future. The aim of the Program is to assist Candidates in preparation for their TSA Coach Certification Assessments and Career as a TSA Certified Tennis Coach. As of 2017, Candidates taking Courses with TSA will be required to complete a mandatory number of Practical hours before taking their Practical Lesson Assessment. The breakdown is as follow:

- TSA Play & Stay Trainer: 30 hours
- TSA Instructor: 80 hours
- TSA Advanced Instructor: 20 recommended hours (as candidates will be doing project based integrated learning while working)
- TSA Pro# Coach: 20 recommended hours (as candidates will be doing project based integrated learning while working)

The CAP will provide Candidates with the opportunity to complete these hours and improve as Coaches under TSA Certified Coaches who's Tennis Schools, Academies, Centres meet the minimum requirements. Please see Application forms for more details.

Classification:

CAP's will be classified as follow:

- **Bronze Level:** Centre of Apprenticeship for TSA Play & Stay Trainer Candidates
- **Silver Level:** Centre of Apprenticeship for TSA Instructor Candidates
- **Gold Level:** Centre of Apprenticeship for TSA Advanced Instructor Candidates
- **Platinum Level:** Centre of Apprenticeship for TSA Pro# Candidates

Please note Tennis Schools/Academies/Centres may apply for multiple Levels of classification.

Application Process:

The TSA Coaching Office will process all applications. Interested parties can submit the Application Form and supporting Documents to coaching@tennissa.co.za.

Once an Application is successful, Applicants will be notified and issued with a Certificate to confirm the classification of their Centre of Apprenticeship. The Certificate will be valid until 31 March 2019 from the date of issue. Renewals will open 6 weeks prior to the expiry of the date as indicated on the Certificate.

We look forward to receiving your Application.



SILVER Application: CAP for TSA Instructor Course 2018/March 2019

Name of Tennis School/Centre/Academy: _____

Owner/Directors of Tennis School/Centre/Academy: _____

Mobile number: _____ **E-mail:** _____

Town/City: _____ **Suburb:** _____

Submitted by: _____

Name **Signature**

CAP for TSA Play & Stay Trainer Criteria: 2018	In place (X)	Evidence:
All Coaches at CAP are Licensed (up to date) with TSA		TSA List of Licensed Coaches
CAP employs a minimum of one (1) TSA Advanced Instructor# or Pro# Coach (post 2008 Certification) to Mentor Candidates		TSA List of Licensed Coaches
CAP delivers a minimum of 3 hours RED Ball/Court Coaching per week		Coaching Schedule attached to Application
CAP delivers a minimum of 3 hours ORANGE Ball/Court Coaching per week		Coaching Schedule attached to Application
CAP delivers a minimum of 3 hours GREEN Ball/Court Coaching per week		Coaching Schedule attached to Application
CAP delivers a minimum of 8 hours Coaching per week to Players: 11 to 14 years of age using the REGULAR Ball on a Standard Court		Coaching Schedule attached to Application
Players Coached at CAP compete in School and/or Club League, Local and/or TSA Tournaments		TSA ranking of Players Coached at the CAP or Proof from School/Club for Players Participating in League
Coaches at CAP attended at least one (1) ITF, TSA or recognised Tennis Course, Workshop, Conference in the past 24 months.		Attach names of Coaches and Certificate or Proof of Attendance

***Please note ROG is not mandatory for Silver Level**

The following documents are attached to this application:

For TSA Official use only:

Date assessed by TSA:	
Approved:	
Declined (with reason):	
TSA Assessor:	

Signature: TSA Assessor