

Solent 2015/2016 Southampton TALENTED ATHLETE SCHEME APPLICATION FORM





Southampton Solent University provides a vast range of services to help Southampton's most talented athletes to reach their potential.

How to Apply

1. Eligibility

- Must be a resident of Southampton.
- Aged between 12-18 years.
- At least National and or International rankings.
- Top 20 ranking within age group.
- Competing within UK Sport and Sport England recognised sports.*
- Planning to study within Higher Education.
- Please complete all sections electronically, ensuring you sign the form, and email it to high.performance@solent.ac.uk.
 Alternatively, you can print the application and send it by post to the address on the last page.
- Collect evidence from National Governing Body and Coach to prove your competitive performance level.
 Evidence:
- National Governing Body website information
- Competition and result standings
- Letters of invitation to national team squads
- Coaches Testimonial.

Selection Criteria

Numerous factors will determine the level of support provided to an athlete. These include; national and international rankings, competition results and selection for national and international teams.

The selection panel will consider the athletes current position on the performance pathway towards senior world class competitions (Olympics, Paralympics and World Championships). Athletes who are competing or are near to these competitions will be provided more support.

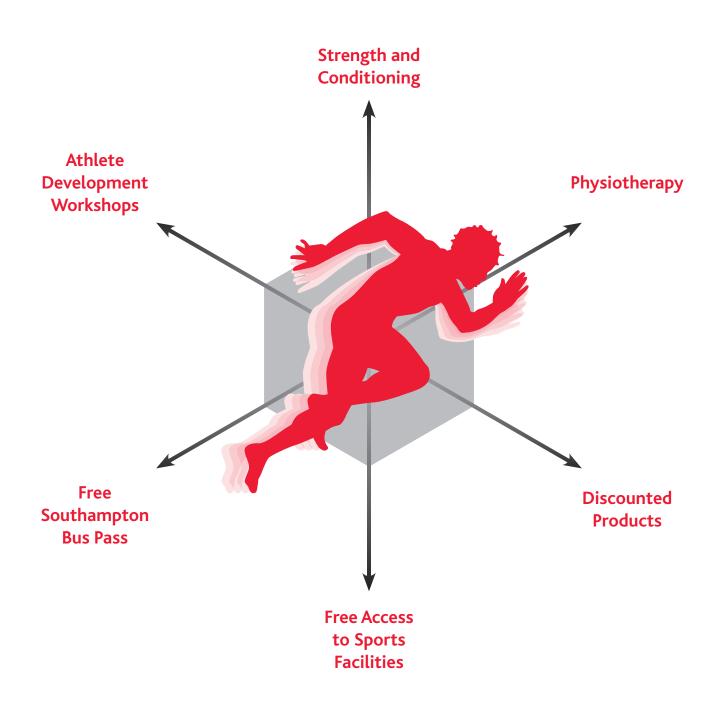
*Sports which are not UK Sport and Sport England recognised will not be eligible.





Services Provided

Support services begin from a county level and continue through to internationally competing athletes. Due to the variety of National Governing Bodies (NGB's) pathways the athletes, your NGB may be consulted to insure appropriate support is provided at the correct level.





INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE

Title	Mr Mrs Miss Ms Other (please state)	
Full Name		
Date of Birth		Age (as of 1/1/15)
Address		
		Postcode
Contact Number		
Email Address		
Sport (including discipline)		
School / College (if studying)		
Coaches Name		
Coaches Email Address		
How did you find out about the service?		

ANNUAL EXPENSES

Travel	£	Club Fees	£
Coaching	£	Equipment	£
Competition	£	Other	£
TOTAL	£	_	

ADDITIONAL SUPPORT

If you receive any additional funding please state the name and details of the organisation (s) and the amount given.		
Name		
Address		
	Postcode	
Awarded Amount	£	





INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE

Please list your most successful national and international competition results from the last two Years (24 months) Evidence of performance must be provided.

Name of Event	Date attended	Position/result	Position/year before

TEAM PERFORMANCE

Please list all national and international performances from the last two years (24 months) Evidence of performance must be provided



SUPPORTING STATEMENT

Please give details of your aspirations over the next year and specific targets (including dates of trials etc , where relevant) for this sporting season and also a brief idea of your long term aims. *Please attach coach testimonial on a separate document when sending this application.



BUS PASS

Would you like to be considered for a free First Bus Pass?	Yes	□ No
*Only Southampton routes will be available.		

PHOTO CONSENT

Throughout your time on the scheme, Southampton Solent University, Southampton City Council and other partners may wish to take photographs for promotional purposes. Images may appear in printed publications, websites and local press. To comply with Data Protection Act 1998, your permission must be granted before we take any photographs. Please answer below accordingly.

May we use your image in printed publications produced by Southampton Solent University/ Southampton City Council and its partners/sponsors for promotional purposes?	Yes	No
May we use your image on our website?	Yes	No
May we include your name and sport on the list we supply to selected media contact within the local region for promotion- al purposes?	Yes	No
May we use your image to promote the Southampton Talent- ed Athlete Scheme?	Yes	No

DECLARATION

To the best of my knowledge, the details in this application are correct. By signing this form I agree that I will abide by the terms and conditions as stated below and understand that information from this form may be used for administration purposes in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998.

How the information about you will be used:

- We will use your information to process your grant application
- If you have requested support services, we will share your information with key service providers who support the scheme. Providers include leisure centres, physiotherapists, bus company and Southampton City Council Education Service.
- We will also need to share your information with National Governing Bodies of sport, to verify your performance and our local authority partners.

information will be kept securely stored and deleted five years after your last participation.		
Please print the form and then sign below.		
Applicants Signature		
Date		
Parental Consent (if the applicant is under18):		
Parent/Guardian Name		
Signature		
Date		
THE CLOSING DATE IS 13/11/15. Please ensure our High Performance team receives your application before this date.		



TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- If you are successfully awarded the Southampton Talented Athlete Scheme you agree to:
- 1. Complete a STAS questionnaire and provide an electronic photo which will be used to create a profile of you that will be used on the Solent Sport website.
- 2. In the event of winning a medal at an event, you agree to reference support from Southampton Solent University and Southampton City Council.
- 3. To be available for any personal appearances that seem sufficient by Southampton Solent University or the Southampton City Council (maximum of 3) this may include: awards evenings, school based visits and community sports events.
- 4. Personal information to be shared with key service providers in administering support within Southampton.
- 5. All decisions and extra awards are at the discretion of the selection.

CONTACT INFORMATION

On completion of the application two options are av	vailable:
Please print, sign and post to:	Upon completion of the application, please click the email
Solent Sport	below and send this application along with any other
Southampton Talented Athlete Scheme	supporting documents to:
Southampton Solent University	
East Park Terrace	High.Performance@solent.ac.uk
Southampton	
SO14 0YN	Please title the email:
	Southampton Talented Athlete (Insert your name here)
	Please note, you will receive a confirmation email.

