

ROTTINGDEAN PERFORMANCE CRICKET ACADEMY

Which children are selected for the Performance Academy?

Rottingdean cricket club runs a performance cricket academy to further support our junior cricket development. Its focus is on developing our juniors and young people who have either special ability or excellent potential to play high-level cricket. The Academy is self-funding and will be additional to the rich and varied training provision currently offered to Juniors at the club. Its purpose is to stretch our players.

The RCC Academy contains around 20 children and young people, identified as having either special ability or excellent potential, from U9 to U16. Those invited for the Academy are chosen by the Head Coach, in consultation with Club coaches, officers and managers. There is both a Winter and Summer Academy programme.

Advanced coaching will be modelled on County cricket training programmes and will be provided by the Head Coach and the coaching team who are experienced in Area/County level coaching.

Selection is competitive will be very hard and we appreciate that some Raiders may be disappointed. Membership of the Academy will be regularly reviewed, normally every 6 months, when Juniors may leave and join the programme. Our aim is to continually support and develop all our Raiders, and we expect the Academy to support this objective through dissemination of best practice across the Club.

We will keep you updated on developments.