

Special Olympics Florida - Coaching Excellence Progression

TIER 1 COACH (Basic certified coach)

| REQUIREMENTS | INCENTIVES |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Orientation • Protective Behaviors and Class A Form • Concussion Course • Basic skills sport specific course | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eligible to serve in role of Head Coach at State Games • Certified Coach credential badge • Certified Coach T-shirt |

TIER 2 COACH

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All tier 1 requirements • Coaching Special Olympics Athletes Online Course | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eligible to serve in role of Head Coach at State Games • Recognition in monthly training and competition newsletter • Certified Coach credential badge • Certified Coach hat • Course cost covered by Special Olympics Florida • Recognition at State Games Opening Ceremonies • \$25.00 Publix gift card |

TIER 3 COACH

| REQUIREMENTS | INCENTIVES |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All tier 2 requirements • Principles of Coaching Course (online) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eligible to apply as coach for World/USA Games • Eligible to serve in role of Head Coach at State Games • Recognition in monthly coach newsletter and/or region newsletter • Recognition on region/main social media channels • Certified Coach credential badge • Certified Coach polo shirt • Course cost covered by Special Olympics Florida • Recognition at State Games Opening Ceremony • \$50.00 Publix gift card |