



Coach Education Program Requirements

Discipline] = Rifle, Pistol, Shotgun, etc.

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Level Name	Prerequisite	Requirements	Notes
[Discipline] Coach (Level 1)	Age 15 or older and <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completed the NRA Basic Shooting Course, or Have a current classification card, or Meet ROTC or 4H Marksmanship Training Program requirements, or Apply for a waiver because of experience in the shooting sports. Minimum age for <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Junior Trainer - 15 Years [Discipline] Coach - 18 Years 	The Coach School is the requirement for becoming an [Discipline] Coach (Level 1) in that discipline. Junior Trainers must also submit two letters of Approval from their parents, head coach or an officer of the club.	The basic technical and tactical skills training schools generally last two days and covers the following topics: Sports History, Equipment, Rules, Coaching Methods, Shooting Positions, Mental Training, and how to start a Shooting Program.
Certified [Discipline] Coach (Level 2)	Be an [Discipline] Coach (Level 1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be at least 21 years old Successfully complete American Sport Education Program (ASEP) Coaching Principles Course Successfully complete American Sport Education Program (ASEP) Sport First Aid Course, or Attach copy of current First Aid (American Red Cross Standard or equivalent program) Certification. Hold (or have held) an NRA/USAS classification card or shoot in a match (discipline specific e.g., rifle for rifle) 	Certification is a designation given to a coach who has achieved and/or demonstrated a certain set of standards. It requires a coach to show that he/she is able to perform a particular job or accomplish a series of tasks deemed important and relevant to his or her coaching job.
Advanced Certified [Discipline] Coach (Level 3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be a Certified [Discipline] Coach (Level 2), or Have a waiver from the National Coach Trainer 		The Advanced Technical and tactical skills training course covers: Olympic Shooting History, Rules and Ethics, Equipment, Shooting Position, Advanced Mental Training, Shot Plans, Tactics, Fitness, Advanced Training Planning and Coaching Skills.