

# ENGLAND ACCREDITATION RENEWALS

## WHY DO I NEED TO RENEW?

In order to ensure England Accredited Clubs are maintaining their high standards and continuing to meet criteria, Accreditation must be renewed each season during the November – March renewal window.

## WHAT IS THE CRITERIA?

### ✓ **Club Criteria**

- ✓ Affiliated
- ✓ Teams playing in a league
- ✓ FA policies adopted
- ✓ Club Development Plan

### ✓ **Youth Team Specific Criteria**

- ✓ All team officials DBS compliant
- ✓ One fully qualified coach per team (leniency in place for 23/24 renewals)

### ✓ **Adult Team Specific Criteria**

- ✓ FA qualified first aider per team

## HOW DO I COMPLETE MY RENEWAL?

Head to the Clubs Portal  
([Clubs.thefa.com](https://clubs.thefa.com))

Go to the 'Accreditation' tab  
within the 'My Club' section

Complete your Accreditation  
Checklist

Submit for Renewal

## HOW DO I ACHIEVE THE STAR LEVELS?

Have at least one team  
from any pathway



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Offer one complete  
pathway, plus at least one  
team from another



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Offer complete male  
and female pathway,  
plus a disability offer.



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## WHAT REWARDS DO I GET FROM THE FA?

### **1 Star Clubs**

4 Nike Footballs & £30 Voucher



### **2 Star Clubs**

7 Nike Footballs & £100 Voucher



### **3 Star Clubs**

16 Nike Footballs & £200 Voucher



## DO I RECEIVE ANY ADDITIONAL BENEFITS OR REWARDS?

Surrey FA offers access to exclusive funding pots and bursaries for England Accredited Clubs. To find out what is currently on offer contact our Football Development team.



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