



School Football Champion



Who

A passionate member of a school with a child-centred vision of youth football in line with the Youth Football Framework.

What

To lead on embedding the recommendations of the Youth Football Framework within your school.



When



Where

Within your school environment across the school football teams.

How

Irish FA officers will work with each 'School Football Champion' to support, guide and outline key milestones and steps within their school.

Key Characteristics



Can bring teachers together



Can identify priority areas of investment within school



Aligned in youth football philosophy



Focus on child-centred development



Able to communicate digitally and in-person when sharing school plan



Able to demonstrate through pilots and best practice sessions



Benefits

- Your school will demonstrate best practice
- Your school will be profiled as a leader in youth football
- Your school will have access to pilot opportunities
- You will be invited to group share opportunities
- You will have direct input into future youth football evolutions
- You will receive access to workshop materials



Expression of Interest

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Closing date = 31st January 2025

**Multiple expressions of interest from one school can be accommodated.*