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APL is a process that allows learners with work experience and/or other related learning, but without appropriate certification, to enroll straight onto the UKCC Level 2 course.

A learner may wish to gain a UKCC Level 1 qualification but may already possess some of the necessary experience and skills to allow them to progress directly to Level 2:

The criteria for applying for APL is set out below and as well as meeting the set criteria, you will need to provide evidence to support your application. This list is not exhaustive as you may be asked to supply further evidence to support your application.

Criteria

1. You must hold a UKCC within another sport, or an equivalent coaching qualification. Or other formal qualifications related to sports coaching, for example HNC, HND, Degree. Related work experience demonstrating coaching knowledge may also be accepted.
2. You must have had a minimum of 1 years' experience within basketball. This can be as a player, official, volunteer, or a coach. You are required to detail your basketball experience and the level you were involved at.
3. You must provide a letter of support for your application from a current basketball coach and the club. Please provide the name and contact details for both the individual coach and the club.
4. You must provide details of your experience within other sports or organisations, detailing how long you have coached within that sport, or the role you undertook and a name contact details of a reference within that club/organisation.
5. You must provide details of the Level 2 course you wish to attend.

If your APL application is successful you will be able to apply to attend the UKCC Level 2 without holding a UKCC Level 1 qualification. Please note you will not be given a Level 1 qualification.

BasketballScotland reserve the right to approve or deny APL applications. Regardless of the outcome of the process a £50 fee is payable in advance to **basketballscotland**.

If you have any questions on this please contact Emma Edwards, Coaching Development Manager, emma.edwards@basketball-scotland.com

Please send the Supporting Evidence to; Coaching@basketball-scotland.com