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EDUSPORT ACADEMY

The Edusport Academy is an elite performance programme based in Scotland. We pride ourselves on offering the best possible environment and conditions for our players to enable their progress and learning, both in sports and in their personal development.

A UNIQUE EXPERIENCE

The Edusport Academy concept is simple yet effective. We offer an exciting and unforgettable experience abroad for young people with a common passion: playing sport at the highest level.

Founded in 2011, we began by offering an educational programme combining football with learning English at our Glasgow campus. Our dual-training focus offers talented young athletes the unique opportunity to combine high-level sports training with furthering their education - including English language education for non-English speakers

- all the while having the invaluable opportunity of living abroad and experiencing a new culture.

Since then, we have grown from strength to strength. With the success of our Football programme, we wanted to give young people who are passionate about other sports the same opportunity. Our Rugby programme launched in 2017, followed by Basketball in 2019. We have also opened new campus.

EDUCATION AND DEVELOPMENT

Through daily training in top quality sports facilities, our players benefit from the experience of highly-qualified coaches to improve their technical, tactical and physical skills.

This experience, combined with the opportunity to play in different Scottish, enables them to make significant improvements in their sporting abilities - not to mention that they will be totally immersed in the country's culture.

In addition to their sports training, players take intensive English lessons for 10 hours every week, vastly improving their fluency in the language. We also offer several diploma options across a variety of different educational bodies, so players can choose to take the qualifications that best suit their future goals.

SPARK A CHANGE

Our main goal goes beyond education. The true value of the programme comes from the rich experience our players gain from living in a foreign country.

Young athletes become much more independent, organised, and disciplined by living abroad. This doesn't just help with their sport and study, but it shapes their character, broadens their horizons, and hugely increases confidence and maturity. Being professional is a state of mind - and this is the best place to learn it.

The international experience that students have with Edusport Academy creates huge positive change in their lives, through their passion for sport and commitment to their education. There is nothing more rewarding than that.

2011

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Edusport Academy

2017

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Rugby

2019

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Basketball



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VALUES

HONESTY
POSITIVITY
SHARING
RESPONSABILITY
RIGOR
RESPECT



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MISSION

To offer the opportunity for a positive change in young athletes through education, sport, and the experience of living abroad.

VISION

To strive to be better in everything we do and work with young people who share the same mindset, so that our academy becomes a world leader, linking sport to education.

EDUCATION

Education comes in many forms. At Edusport Academy, we believe that the key to success is the desire to improve. If you have this desire, you are halfway there! Alongside sports training, we offer English courses for non-native students, and other qualifications across a variety of educational bodies.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNING

The basis of our programme is to combine the practice of high level sport with intensive English courses. We choose English, because the language has become more important than ever. Whatever your educational background or future ambitions; not speaking English gives you a glaring disadvantage.

For non-native speakers who are committed to learning English, we provide the perfect solution: 10 hours of intensive English lessons per week during the year in Scotland.

Our English courses are specifically designed to create a stimulating, fun and professional environment that helps students reach their full potential.

JOHAN CRUYFF INSTITUTE



To provide knowledge and new perspectives on different sports professions, our students are offered teaching units in “Fundamentals in Sports Management”, and other courses in collaboration with the Johan Cruyff Institute – an establishment renowned for its training in the field of sport. These courses can be delivered in English or Spanish.

FRENCH STUDIES - ICADÉMIE



Students who want to take their Baccalaureate within the French school system while studying at the Academy can complete these courses and obtain a high school diploma remotely. This is thanks to our partnership with the E-lycée Icadémie, which offers 1st, 2nd and final year French high school courses. Icadémie has 15 years of experience and all diplomas are recognised by the French authorities.

Students who obtain their Baccalaureate can then choose from a very diverse catalogue of Bac +2, Bac +3 and Bac +5 courses in many fields, guaranteeing them a start in their professional life after the Academy, or a way to start their academic career.

ENGLISH GCSE & A LEVEL - MINERVA VIRTUAL

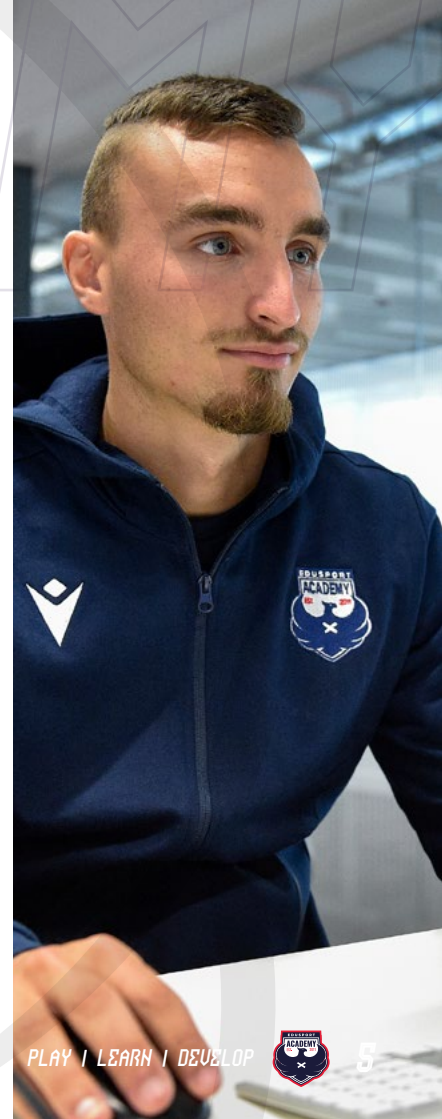


For students who want to graduate under the English Scholar system, our partnership with Minerva's Virtual Academy will allow them to follow high school courses at a distance and obtain their GCSEs or A-Levels during their stay at the Academy.

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE - KING'S INTERHIGH



We also offer the International Baccalaureate to our students through our partnership with King's InterHigh, the UK's leading online school. Combining an English immersion experience abroad with the International Baccalaureate is invaluable for our students' careers.



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DEVELOP INDEPENDENCE AND MATURITY

We know a huge part of the appeal of joining the Academy for a year is the opportunity to play high-level football, rugby, or basketball. But even more value comes from the experience of spending several months living abroad.

In Glasgow, our players get to spend a trimester, a semester, or an entire year in full cultural immersion as students in two of the most dynamic and interesting cities in Europe.

Living away from home for this period of time allows young people to develop independence, maturity, self-confidence, strong teamwork skills, and a strong character - long before their peers at home.

This growth as an individual not only helps them perform better in sports, but also in life.

SUPPORT AND PREPARATION FOR PROFESSIONAL LIFE

The aim of our programme is to prepare students for their professional career, no matter what they want their future to look like. Whether they want to continue as a player, work in a different sporting profession, or move into a completely different field - we want to support our players to discover their dreams.

In addition to developing English language abilities, we teach our students valuable skills that will benefit them in any future profession. This can include the use of tools such as LinkedIn,

education on how to speak in front of a camera, and ultimately, how to assess their skills to prepare for the future.

Students can choose to go to the United States, stay in Scotland or in their home country, travel somewhere completely new, or return to their home country after their time at the Academy.

No matter what, we will help them develop the independence and skills they need to make the best decision.

THE RESULT:

**YOUNG STUDENTS MATURE,
RESPONSIBLE, CONFIDENT
AND HAPPY FOR THEIR
FUTURE**

RESPONSIBILITY AND COMMUNITY

Living with others, learning to cook and cleaning, are all daily tasks that our students will have to learn to manage, in order to thrive in their group and develop a sense of responsibility.

Thanks to our partnership with TESCO in Scotland, our players also have to manage the purchase of their groceries and their food credit. Everyone is given their own card so they can buy what they need. This system teaches our students the value of money and how to be vigilant with their spending, plus the important skill of making healthy food choices for themselves.

PHYSIOTHERAPISTS

A healthy lifestyle is key for our students to perform as top athletes. As a result, **our students have access to nutritionists, who will provide specialised programmes to assist with healthy high performance.**

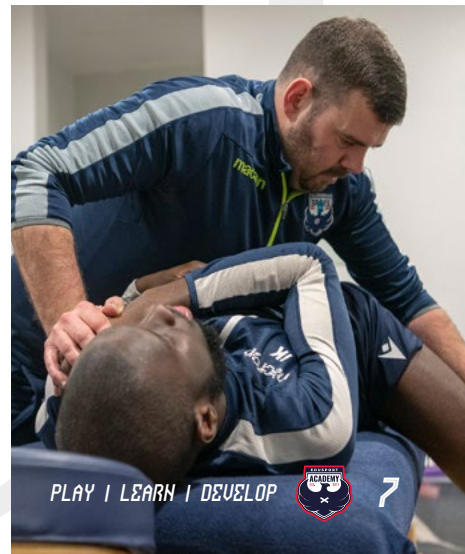
In order to prevent muscle fatigue and small injuries - and prevent larger ones from occurring - we have a team of

Living with hundreds of other students from around the world in student residences exposes our students about different cultures and backgrounds. **This relaxed environment helps them to improve their tolerance and understanding of others, and helps develop long-lasting and meaningful relationships.**

The student experience is about so much more than training and lessons. Making new friends, visiting new places, and an immersion in Scottish are all integral parts of the experience.

physiotherapists on-hand at each of our campuses.

Physiotherapists will be present at training sessions. Each player can access a physiotherapist every day, who will help them stay in good physical condition and perform rehabilitation exercises when needed.





FOOTBALL

The Edusport Academy is a football academy like no other.

Our unique programme offers players the opportunity **to train every day in top quality facilities alongside UEFA Pro and UEFA A coaches.**

As we offer professional conditions, we require total commitment from our students. Our players must take responsibility for their own development and get fully involved in all training opportunities, to give them the best chance for future success.

A STYLE AND A MENTALITY

Combining a modern coaching philosophy with traditional values, the goal of the Academy is to teach young players the best approach to the game.

Our training environment creates the ideal conditions for a transformative sporting experience, allowing our footballers to play each game with a mature and evolved approach. of their sport.

Every element of performance is closely monitored through Catapult technology to ensure that players can learn and improve on their gameplay with every training session and match.



PALMARES



2023-24 SOUTHERN COUNTIES CUP



2022-23 SOUTHERN COUNTIES CUP



2018-19 HAIG GORDON CUP



2016-17 SOUTH OF SCOTLAND FOOTBALL LEAGUE



2015-16 SOUTH OF SCOTLAND LEAGUE CUP



2015-16 TWEEDIE CUP



2014-15 SOUTH OF SCOTLAND LEAGUE CUP



2014-15 CREE LODGE CUP

DEVELOP IN THE SCOTTISH LEAGUES

Our teams take part in league matches and we also organize friendly games against professional clubs such as Celtic, Hibernian, or Ayr United. These fixtures give our players the opportunity to compete at a high level and put their skills into practice. Each match is recorded with our VEO camera, and players receive a personalized highlight video at the end of the year—ideal for future sporting or academic opportunities.

Originally founded as a football academy, we have grown into a modern and ambitious structure, recognized by the Scottish Football Association for the quality of our training. In 2019, we took a major step forward by becoming a semi-professional football club competing in the fifth tier of Scottish football under the name Caledonian Braves, offering promising players a competitive environment to further their development.





RUGBY

At Edusport Academy, we provide our young players with the framework they need to play rugby at the highest level in a professional club.

LIVE YOUR PASSION EVERYDAY

Professional rugby training takes place daily, under the close supervision of qualified trainers to make sure our students are learning from the best and getting better with every session. Our primary focus is on the technical and tactical aspects of the game, but we make sure training is motivating, challenging, and fun.

Students also get the opportunity to take workshops on their individual positions, their physical condition, team play, recovery, and post-match analysis. The combination of this theoretical work with regular game play helps each individual to optimize their progress.

Similar to professional club conditions, our students also have regular access to nutritionists, physiotherapists, and physical trainers.

Academy players are placed with clubs in Glasgow and the surrounding area so they can participate in the local championship.

This results in a unique immersion experience into Scottish rugby, and provides an invaluable opportunity to practice what they learn at the Academy - both in match and training - in the field, in order to earn their place in their new team. The fact that a place is not guaranteed means players must not only perform at the highest skill level, **but also ensure they can communicate effectively with prospective teammates and demonstrate the value they have to offer.**

This club placement allows them to understand what Scottish rugby is and become better by leveraging this double rugby culture which will now be theirs.



BASKETBALL

Edusport Academy offers basketball players the opportunity to train in professional conditions on a daily basis while continuing their studies - providing the perfect opportunity to excel athletically and academically, while still having fun.

Every activity is planned to provide maximum development opportunities for our players. Sessions will include technical work and individualized physics, the development of pre-collective fundamentals, learning and phase development recovery, and individual and collective video analysis.

To give players the experience of playing in professional conditions, they are supervised by highly-qualified coaches, and can access physical trainers, physiotherapists, and nutritionists.

Playing basketball in an English-speaking environment not only helps our players to develop in their sport, but they also get to discover another culture and improve

their English-speaking abilities at the same time. This is particularly important for those who wish to obtain a scholarship to study and play in American universities.

Students also have the enriching experience of sharing their passion for the sport they love with other like-minded students, while discovering different ways of training and new physical and mental strength.

Each of our sports programmes benefit the others and we are very proud to build an environment where all players, regardless of their sport, are members of the Edusport Academy family.





INDIVIDUAL AND COLLECTIVE SPORTS

Our programme has a proven track record and we understand the benefits for student athletes, as well as the demands of the professional world. Our aim is to support as many young athletes as possible in their development.

TRAIN, STUDY AND DEVELOP

Building on our expertise, we aim to offer our programs to young student athletes, whatever their sport. Our network enables us to place our players in Scottish clubs adapted to their level, ensuring an immersive experience and maximizing their progress in their sport.

If an athlete wants to be able to continue their studies without having to give up their sporting development, and wants to experience life abroad, then we'll be happy to integrate them into our program and allow them to benefit from our dual-training focus.

SPORTS



FOOTBALL



RUGBY



BASKETBALL



TENNIS



GOLF



ATHLETICS



SWIMMING



HOCKEY



VOLLEY-BALL



CYCLING



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TESTIMONIAL



It was an incredible life experience with the discovery of another culture, another style of football, and another lifestyle. Regarding education, I have gained a strong level of English.

In terms of football, I've made clear progress, simply because everything is done to allow us to progress.

After that, there is no secret: we have the tools for success, and it is personal work we do that makes the difference.

When I arrived at the Edusport Academy, I was not able to speak English. Today I play in the USA and work on Wall Street.

I got my Bachelor's degree in Finance, and several qualifications that allowed me to join Wall Street - something I thought was impossible a few years ago.

The Edusport Academy gave me an extraordinary sporting and human experience, and this played a part in my choice to join a university on the other side of the Atlantic.

I am currently finishing my Masters in Finance at Drew University. I now have a very large network in the United States, especially in New York and Miami.



SUMMER CAMPS

To experience our academic programme during the summer, and combine English tuitions with sport and tourism during the holidays, we offer 1 and 2 week programmes. Highschool students will be able to discover the charm of Glasgow and Edinburgh and the friendly, authentic Scottish culture, while enjoying an immersive sporting experience and learning English.

WEEKLY PROGRAMME

- Daily football training
- Football Masterclass
- 10h english tuitions
- Discover Glasgow and Edinburgh
- Stadiums visits
- Celtic or Rangers game
- Accommodation
- Half board
- Edusport Training Uniform

AN INSIGHT OF OUR ACADEMIC PROGRAMME

Ideal for young players who want to join the Academy and prefer to validate their highschool graduation before to go live abroad.

Soak up the Edusport Academy spirit during this week-long course, in preparation for your integration the following years.



PROGRAMMES

DIFFERENT SPORTS : FOOTBALL, RUGBY AND BASKETBALL
1 CAMPUSE : SCOTLAND

6 MONTHS : 14850€
9 MONTHS : 19850€

AGE GROUP : 14 - 23
SHORT STAY : 1 OR 2 WEEKS, SUMMER CAMPS

Most of our programmes are residential*, but we also offer non-residential options for UK residents in Glasgow. The residential programmes include accommodation for the total length of the programme, and a monthly food budget.

Football and Rugby programmes can be available across our campus in Scotland.

EDUCATION

For each sport section, the students can chose their Education option(s) amongst :

- Intensive english tuitions (TOEIC/TOEFL Exam)
- Miverva Virtual Academy (GCSE & A Levels)
- King's Interhigh (International Baccalaureate)
- Johan Cruyff Institute (Sports Business courses, Graduate and Postgraduate)
- E-lycée Icadémie (French Baccalaureate)
- Icadémie (Post Graduate Bachelors & Masters degrees)

INCLUDED IN EDUSPORT ACADEMY PROGRAMMES

- 6 or 9 months
- Professional training with qualified coaches
- Accommodation including School holidays*
- Monthly food budget*
- Education option(s)
- Coaching Diploma
- Section : Women Section
- Training uniform
- Transport to the training centre
- Championship
- Games against professionals clubs
- Sports outings and cultural visits
- Insurance

PARTNERSHIPS

To support our students in their careers, and to give them more professional sporting opportunities, we have developed partnerships with various organisations such as ETAP SPORT, a collective of more than 50 football clubs worldwide, also offering sports scholarship and university admissions service.



"In my opinion, Edusport is a very professional academy in how they look to develop their players with a strong culture underpinned by their values and an excellent football philosophy."

CHRIS McCART
HEAD OF YOUTH CELTIC ACADEMY



"The football environment has evolved and it's no longer enough to simply be a talented footballer. Clubs more so than ever are looking for players to develop intellectually and the programme provided by Edusport Academy fits perfectly with this ethos."

CREAG ROBERTSON
HEAD OF BUSINESS ACADEMY
AND EDUCATION RANGERS FC



"It is an opportunity for young people from all over the world to experience Maltese life, learn the language and train in sports. The Edusport Academy does an outstanding job in helping young people to develop their talent and potential."

DR CLIFTON GRIMA
MINISTER FOR SPORT
AND EDUCATION OF MALTA



"My time at Edusport gave me a new level of professionalism which I have carried into my work career. I improved not only as a footballer but as a man."

ANTOINE CAUDELLÉ - EDUSPORT ACADEMY 2018
BANKER - PORTFOLIO OF 1300 CLIENTS



"The Academy was a real springboard for going to the United States and for what I wanted to do later on. It allowed me to open a lot of doors."

HUGO CATHERINE - EDUSPORT ACADEMY 2019
BACHELOR BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
FLORIDA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY



"The Academy allowed me to get my first professional contracts in Andorra and Cyprus."

MOHAMED KARA - EDUSPORT ACADEMY 2020
2019 - FRANCE R2 AMATEUR
2021 - PRO PLAYER ANDORRA
2022 - PRO PLAYER CYPRUS



"It's an extraordinary experience that I would recommend to any young person who has the opportunity. In terms of rugby, I've made a lot of progress technically and I'm now very complete in the sport I play. I'm now fluent in English and I had a 5-minute job interview in English that went really well thanks to my year at the Edusport Academy."

CHARLES GAGOLA - EDUSPORT ACADEMY 2022
INSEEC MSC PURCHASING & SUPPLY CHAIN
MANAGEMENT



"With the right mentality and motivation, progress in sports and English is quickly noticeable. The coaches at the academy provide excellent support and it's certainly been the year where I've learnt the most. Student life here has enabled me to become more mature and independent, which makes me want to pursue other experiences of study and sport abroad."

ROMAIN GNEDRE - EDUSPORT ACADEMY 2020
COACHING STUDENT



"I've made a lot of progress in English. As far as basketball is concerned, I've learnt a lot from the great coaches. I've met lots of people who've introduced me to their cultures, which is really great."

DOV BENDENOUN - EDUSPORT ACADEMY 2020
HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY



"The campus is brand new, with everything we need. The teaching is different from France, with a strong focus on communication so we progress very quickly. The facilities are modern and adapted to our work, from the pitches to the gym, which is a 5-minute walk from our flats. We feel at home in Glasgow, in this city that is both modern and ancient, where the people are all very friendly and welcoming. Living abroad allows you to discover another culture, to open up to the world and to come back a grown-up."

SIMON CARRIAS - EDUSPORT ACADEMY 2019
ASG RUGBY

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