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**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO BSI FOOTBALL YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM**

**In order to complete your application, the following documents are required:**

- a. **Completed Application Form,**
- b. **Character Reference Letter** from either previous / current school, or previous / current sports club, only 1 letter is required (*Please provide writer's name, position held, phone numbers, e-mail address and name of writer's organisation in the letter*),
- c. **A motivation letter** from the applicant detailing:
  1. The reason for the application
  2. Their aspirations for the future
  3. What they will do for the opportunity
- d. **Latest available school results,**
- e. Please submit applicant's **certified ID or certified Birth Certificate copy (RSA citizens), and certified passport copy (International students),**
- f. A **football video** to be submitted by players who will attend **online ZOOM interviews**.
  - Below is an example of an edited video and it serves as a visual example of the all the required assessment components (Please refer to the **Football Assessment Sheet** for more details).
  - <https://youtu.be/TFRHfiQdOuc>
- g. A copy of a **study permit** (only applicable when the applicant is a foreign student, who is not in possession of SA citizenship or permanent residency).
- h. International students need to ensure they apply for a valid study permit in advance, before commencing studies at BSI. **BSI CAN NOT apply for study permits on behalf of any students.**
- i. Please note an additional once-off **international student levy** of ZAR9, 500 is payable by all international students,
- j. Please note the international student levy is not applicable to South African passport holders / Permanent Residents. However if a South African passport holder applies with foreign qualifications, then a fee of ZAR5, 000 for SAQA evaluation (1 submission application) will apply.
- k. International students need to have medical / health cover to cover their whole study period in South Africa.

### **Application, Enrolment & Registration Procedure:**

- l. An interview appointment to be conducted (ZAR750 **non-refundable** application & interview fee payable on application submission),
- m. A football assessment will be conducted during the interview appointment. Players who come for an interview in person must bring football kit and boots for the assessment. A video is to be submitted by players who attend online interviews (Please refer to the **Football Assessment sheet** for more details).
- n. **An application received without the R750 application fee will NOT be processed. Please send payment proof of R750 to [info@bsisports.com](mailto:info@bsisports.com) along with your application form and supporting documents,**
- o. **You can make payment for the R750 application fee via one of the following payment methods:**

#### **Online payment on the BSI website:**

- Go to [www.bsisports.com](http://www.bsisports.com)
- If you don't have an account yet on the BSI website, please register for an account first:
  1. Go to **"Store"**, then **"My Account"**
  2. Registering a new account by completing your details (Username, E-mail address & Password), then click on **"Register"**
- Go to **"Store"**, then **"Merch & Services"**,
- The 1<sup>st</sup> item is **"Application Fee for Full-Time Programs R750"**, then click on **"Add To Cart"**
- You can then Checkout, fill in your card details and make payment.

#### **EFT payment into the BSI bank account:**

- Bank: Standard Bank
  - Acc Name: Balderstone Sports Institute
  - Acc No. 422 068 187
  - Uni. Branch Code: 051-001
  - Intl. Swift Code: SBZAJJ
  - Amount: R750
  - Payment Ref: Applicant's name & surname
- p. A Placement Offer is issued to the student by BSI once it is confirmed that the application is successful,
  - q. A refundable deposit (please refer to the pricing information section on the program brochure) is to be received by BSI to secure the student's place,
  - r. A Letter of Acceptance is issued to the student,
  - s. A Program Agreement to be signed by the parents / legal guardians and returned a certified copy of the student's ID or Birth Certificate or Passport (if not previously submitted).

This application form & supporting documents can be e-mailed to the following address:	
E-mail: <a href="mailto:info@bsisports.com">info@bsisports.com</a>	Visit BSI website for more information: <a href="http://www.bsisports.com">www.bsisports.com</a>
<b>NB: Please note information provided below is strictly confidential and will only be used for BSI enrolment &amp; administration purposes.</b>	

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Interviewed Date		Reference Letter	
Latest School Results		Internacional Levy	
Study Permit		Current Grade	Application Fee Rec.
Placement Offer Issued		Issuing Date	
Program Deposit Received		Receipt Date	
Letter of Acceptance Issued		Issuing Date	
Certified ID / BC Received		Boarding Required?	
Football Assessment Videos (If applicable)			

**1. STUDENT PERSONAL DETAILS** (Please ensure you correctly fill in all details on the space in the form)

Surname		First Name	
Preferred Name		Title: Mr/Mrs/Ms	
Nationality		Province	
ID/Passport Number			
Date of Birth	DD / MM / YYYY	Gender: Male/Female	
Telephone	Home:	Cell:	E-mail:
Please specify the year for which you are applying for: For example: <b>2024</b>			

**2. PARENTS / LEGAL GUARDIANS DETAILS** (Please ensure you correctly fill in all details on the space in the form)

<b>Father (Full Name)</b>			
Occupation			
ID Number			
Telephone	Home:	Cell:	Work:
E-mail:			
<b>Mother (Full Name)</b>			
Occupation			
ID Number			
Telephone	Home:	Cell:	Work:
E-mail:			

Physical (Home) address						
					Postal Code	
Postal address						
					Postal Code	
Address of Parent / Legal Guardian if different from above						
Please mark with a tick	Father		Mother		Guardian	
Address						
					Postal Code	
To whom should e-mail correspondence be sent?						
Please mark with a tick	Father		Mother		Guardian	

**3. GENERAL INFORMATION** (Please ensure you correctly fill in all details on the space in the form)

Accommodation Required?				
Please mark with a tick	Yes		No	
If applying for accommodation, is this the applicant's first time living away from home?				
Please mark with a tick	Yes		No	
If applying for accommodation, will the applicant have his own transport?				
Please mark with a tick	Yes		No	
<b>School</b> - Name of your current / previous school:				
Telephone no. of your current / previous school:				
How did you hear about BSI? (Please tick the relevant choice)	<input type="checkbox"/> Word of Mouth	<input type="checkbox"/> Referral	<input type="checkbox"/> Website	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Social Media	<input type="checkbox"/> Adverts	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Elaborate on your choice selected, e.g Referral from whom?				

**4. MEDICAL INFORMATION** (Please ensure you correctly fill in all details on the space in the form)

Does the applicant have any injuries, old or new?				
Please mark with a tick	Yes		No	
If yes, please specify:				
Is the applicant currently under the care of a physician?				
Please mark with a tick	Yes		No	
If yes, please specify:				

Does the applicant have any allergies?				
Please mark with a tick	Yes		No	
If yes, please specify:				
Is the applicant on any medication program?				
Please mark with a tick	Yes		No	
If yes, please specify:				
Does the applicant smoke?				
Please mark with a tick	Yes		No	
If yes, please specify the quantity per day:				
Does the applicant drink alcohol?				
Please mark with a tick	Yes		No	
If yes, please specify the alcohol intake per week:				
Has applicant ever been expelled and / or suspended from any school and / or institution for any reasons? And / or involved with any law enforcement agency; used illegal substance (i.e marijuana, cocaine, etc.) or been treated for drug, alcohol or other substance abuse?				
Please mark with a tick	Yes		No	
If answer is yes to any of the above, please specify details:				
Are there any medical, emotional or physical needs that BSI should be aware of?				
If yes, please specify:				
Are there any learning disabilities and / or other disabilities that BSI should be aware of?				
If yes, please specify:				

**5. FOOTBALL INFORMATION** (Please ensure you correctly fill in all details on the space in the form)

At what age did you start playing football?	
What position do you play?	

What team(s) do you play for?	
Please list any football honours, awards or special achievements.	
What are your strengths as a football player?	
What are your weaknesses as a football player?	
What other sports do you / have you played?	
Please list any other sporting honours, awards or special achievements.	

By signing below, I certify that the information provided on all pages of this application is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. Additionally, I hereby agree to the terms of the Student Admission Privacy Policy attached hereto and made available on the BSI website at [www.bsisports.com](http://www.bsisports.com). BSI reserves the right to review a student's eligibility to attend the Football Youth Development Program should any of the above information be false.

Signed at \_\_\_\_\_ (Place) on this \_\_\_\_\_ (Day) of \_\_\_\_\_ (Month) 20\_\_

Student (Full Name)	Signature
Parent / Guardian (Full Name)	Signature