



HARTPURY
UNIVERSITY

Frequently Asked Questions: Sports Academies

How does my sporting timetable work with my academic one?

We try to ensure our sporting commitments are structured around academic commitments.

How do I get into an academy squad?

You can join a sports academy by paying the sports academy membership fee.

Is there a cost?

To join an academy the fee is £220 for university students.

Hartpury Sport Academy membership provides you with the following benefits:

- Eligibility to participate in BUCS competition
- BUCS competition entry fees paid
- Transport to fixtures and training where required
- Access to kit, equipment and facilities for academy training with qualified coaches
- Access to Hartpury Sport Academy Hub
- Free use of Hartpury Sport Cross-Training Gym

How do scholarships work?

Scholarships are dealt with on an individual basis. Some athletes may be offered them; athletes with a suitable CV can apply for them.

How often would I train?

Most sports do some form of training each day; this includes sport-specific work, S&C and recovery sessions.

How much does the kit cost?

Between £60 and £150 depending upon your sport; this cost is reviewed yearly.

Is this included in the sport academy membership?

This is not included within the academy membership fee as athletes have the option to buy individual items of kit and it must be ordered on an individual basis.

How do I order my kit?

Kit can be ordered through the shop on the Hartpury website.

What is there to do on evenings and weekends?

Our College Sports Maker runs a range of recreational sports; and our Student Experience Manager is responsible for organising other activities including trips. Both our CSM and SEM rely upon student demand to know which clubs to run so please ask if there is something you want.

Is there opportunity to transfer across sports?

Currently our sports timetables do not allow for this in the same season (for example if you play one winter sport you could not transfer to another), however there is chance to be involved in both summer and winter sports, if it suits.

PLEASE NOTE: For further information on a particular sport academy, please contact the relevant head coach of that academy.

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