

SURREY CCC PERFORMANCE PROGRAMME

Surrey CCC's Performance Department will be instigating some significant changes to the structure of what is currently the Surrey CCC District Cricket programme.

From here forwards, it will be known as the Surrey CCC Performance Programme.

These changes are being instigated to raise the quality of cricket played, ensuring that opportunities for players are more appropriately managed and that Surrey CCC plays a more direct role at this level of the Player Pathway.

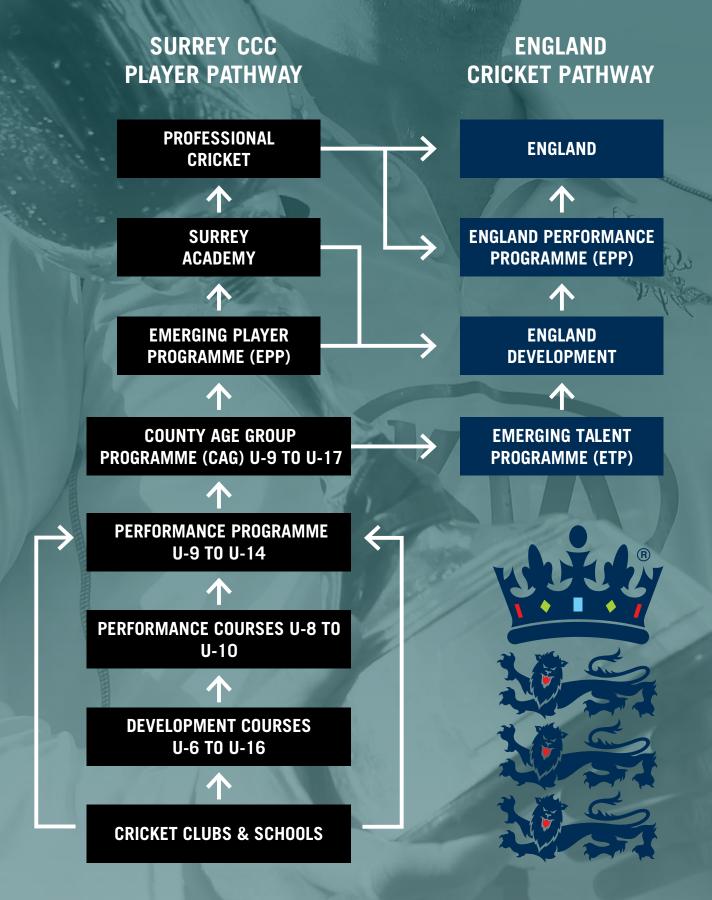
From 2016 fundamental changes to what was District Cricket will be introduced within the U-10, U-11 & U-12 age groups. These are detailed below.

At the U-13 & U-14 age groups the District programme will remain largely unchanged. However, the programme at those age groups will also be known as the SCCC Performance Cricket Programme. Further changes to these two age groups may be introduced in 2017.



SURREY CCC PLAYER PATHWAY

BelowistheSurreyCCCPlayerPathwayhighlighting where the new Performance Programme fits into the overall structure with the overall aim being to develop players to play for Surrey CCC & England.



WHAT ARE THE CHANGES?



- Equitable Squads
- Best players in Pathway, regardless of location
- Introduction of Performance age-group lead coaches
- Selection of teams centralised

Specific to the U-10, U-11 and U-12 age-groups the SCCC Performance Department will look to divide each age group into five 'equitable squads'. These squads will be balanced as evenly as possible in terms of player quality and respective skill sets.

Rather than selecting the 'best' players within each of the five geographical localities of Surrey (previously known as Districts), our aim now is to select the 'best' players in Surrey at each age group regardless of their residential location; based on the outcomes of our assessment processes.

Following the Performance winter training programme, ALL players in each age group will be invited to two further training sessions, which will be led by our new Performance Age-Group Lead Coaches. Two coaches will be allocated to each age group. Their principle remit is to manage the Talent Identification process and provide a Surrey CCC presence at Performance programme fixtures.

The Performance Age-Group Lead Coaches key roles are as follows:

- Overseeing match-day team preparation
- Establishing batting/bowling orders

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- Communicating to captains/players during Performance fixtures
- Overall management of Performance fixtures

Team Selection for the Performance fixtures will now be conducted directly by Surrey CCC, which will ensure that appropriate opportunities for players are provided on a match by match basis.



WHAT BENEFIT WILL THIS CHANGE PROVIDE FOR SURREY CCC?

- A more even balance of talent within each of the squads
 - A more even balance in competition within the matchplay programme
 - Greater control of opportunities for players, where appropriate
- Strengthening of Surrey CCC's Talent ID process Pavilion
- Progression of most appropriate players within the Pathway

Finally, below, we have provided a flow-diagram to highlight the stages within the new Performance Programme at the U-10, U-11 and U-12 age groups.



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STAGES WITHIN THE NEW PERFORMANCE PROGRAMME

