

City Sports Residency Academy

Football





OUR VALUE PROPOSITION

We, City Sports are recognized around the African continent as arguably the most experienced Sports Organization with regards to youth development. We pride ourselves in creating the best and conducive environment for the development of young people.

We are passionate about the development of young players, both as footballers and as people in all occupation.

Our successful partnerships with English Premier League clubs Bolton Wanderers ISS, AFC Bournemouth, Burnley FC and West Ham United since 2011 have helped to position us as the leaders in delivering such football services in Nigeria and Africa.



In an era where sports excellence and competitive spirit reign, nurturing young talent has become a crucial aspect of athletic development. Recognizing the need for comprehensive training and support, City Sports School has launched its groundbreaking Football Residency Academy designed to shape the future of aspiring male athletes aged 16 to 22, this program offers an unparalleled opportunity to unlock their potential and lay a solid foundation for a successful sporting career.

The City Sports Residency Academy (CSRA) is a comprehensive 11-Month initiative aimed at nurturing and developing the athletic talents of promising individuals within the city. This document outlines the essential information regarding the program, its objectives, selection process, and a detailed step-by-step timeline for the year.





- 1. To develop, prepare and expose high potential football players to **professional clubs in Europe**.
- To provide Football scholarship opportunities with Universities in Europe and America.





CSRA carefully builds competition programs with highly regarded partner clubs, providing players with at least **25 competitive games** and participation in 2 European soccer tournaments.

Students enrolled in the 11-month Pro Residency Academy will be eligible to join City of Lagos Football Club, a City Sports Group professional football club competing at the Lagos State Level.





- 288 hours of Intensive Training
- Be trained by full-time City Sports coaches
- Morning & Evening Training Sessions
- Video Profile/Highlights
- Leadership Development
- Performance Monitoring System
- High Level Development Matches
- Quarterly Local Competition
- International Competitions
- International trials and Internships opportunities





- Academic Support in balancing sports and academics.
- Swimming Development Program
- Opportunities to develop in Sports Administration
- All-Round Football Development & Curriculum
- Sports Scholarship opportunities
- Pro-Contract Opportunities with Football Clubs
- Immersion Program with European Football Clubs
- City Sports Residency Academy Kits
- Performance Evaluation & Player Development Plan
- Talent Shows with Europeans Agents/Scouts





- The high-intensity training program implements:
- Individual focus and physical development
- Tactical setup & position-specific training
- Technical skills exercises
- Video analysis and tactical studies
- Elite competition and scouting opportunities







- On campus lodging with access to amenities
- 2 chef to prepare healthy and balanced meals daily
- Beautifully appointed Rooms at Victoria Garden City, Lagos.
- High Speed Free Wifi
- Laundry Facilities
- 24/7 security, chaperoning and supervision
- 24/7 Access to medical facility
- Air-conditioned shared spaces and bedrooms
- Professional House Keeping Service





The City Sports Residency Academy is committed to supporting each student-athletes' education plan throughout their professional football experiences. Student-athletes can pursue their own online academic programs during their time at the center, and benefit from our tutoring expertise.

School schedules are adapted to allow studentathletes to fully benefit from both football and academic programs.

French & Spanish Language classes and Financial Literacy classes are available.



2023/24
City Sports
Residency
Academy
Seasons &
Activities

Dates	Activities
Monday, August 21, 2023	Registration Begins
Sunday, September 10, 2023	Meeting with Parents & Students
Monday, September 11, 2023	Residency Activities Commence
November 23 – 26, 2023	Global Sports Program Competition [Salou, Football]
December 2, 2023	City Sports Awards Night
January 28, 2024	Term 2 Begins
March 24 - 30, 2024	Local Tournament
April 1 - 6, 2024	Global Sports Tour
April 28, 2024	Term 3 Begins
May 30 - June 2, 2024	Global Sports Tournament
July 14 - 20, 2024	Local Tournament

Residency Academy Calendar

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Academy Training **Academy Matches**

Football Tournament

Global Sports Program

Break

No training



The CSRA training kit is carefully designed for comfort and expression of talent. Its available to all members of the academy.

Items that will be given to all players in the academy are:

- Training Kit Top (6), Shorts (2), Short Socks (2)
- Track Suit Top (1) Bottom (1)
- Match Kit Top (2), Shorts (1), Socks (1)





FEES

1. Registration Fee 430,000

If you haven't been registered with City Sports School, you'll be required to pay the registration fee.

2. Pre-Assessment Fee N155,000

This covers Health Assessment to be carried out at the designated medical facility provided by City Sports School.

3. Processing Fee N270,000

This covers the Health Insurance, onboarding process, CSRA kits. However, extra kit attracts additional charges.

4. Termly Program Fee

a. Full Residential: N1,750,000

b. Half Board N1,350,000 (Excludes accommodation)

It covers training, local competitions, accommodation, feeding, transportation, Leadership development for the term from **September 11 – December 2** (3 months Period). There's an option for annual payment that will attract a 5% discount on program fee paid.

Important Note: The Registration, Pre-Assessment and Processing fees are one-off payments and are non-refundable. Subsequent payments will be charged based on the termly program fee only.





STEP 1: Click on this link <u>Residency Academy: Registration Form</u> to register. Ensure you have read the <u>terms and conditions</u>.

STEP 2: Choose your program "Residency Academy". Fill and submit the registration form.

STEP 3: Read the conditions then proceed to make payment for your Pre-Assessment Medical using the account details for provided on the website.

STEP 4: Book your Pre-Assessment Test appointment by sending an email to csra@citysportsschool.com or call 09047940427 with the proof of payment attached.

STEP 5: Get started.



- 1. Where is the Residency Academy located? Victoria Garden City (VGC), Lagos state.
- 2. Can a players from different countries join the Residency Academy? Yes, they can.
- 3. Can the payment be made in installments?

Yes, it can. Call us for more details or read our terms and conditions.

4. Can a student engage in tertiary education and participate in the Residency Academy at the same time?

Yes, we support online academic programs and the study plan should be provided to us.

5. Is a pre-medical assessment mandatory before enrollment into the Residency Academy?

Yes, it is.



6. Can parents or guardians visit their ward at the Residency Academy?

Yes, parents or guardians are allowed to visit their ward on the days that will be specified. Parents will however need to abide by the rules.

7. Does the student have to stay at the accommodation?

Yes, all students will stay together for a fully immersive experience. We may however, make an exception for special request. Please contact us.

8. How will rooms be allocated?

It will be 4 students per room, within the same gender and age range.

9. Can you accommodate special dietary requirements?

Yes, most dietary requirements can be catered for, please advise us of any requirements at the time of booking. Please note there may be a supplementary charge.

10. Can we make payment in other currencies?

Yes, payment can be made in USD and Naira. Please let us know so we can give the prevailing exchange rate and the account details.

11. Where is the Residency Program Located?

The accommodation is in VGC, Lagos while the sports facility is 5 minutes drive from VGC.

