GROUNDS MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION

TRAINING

Level 2 Cricket Pitches:
Applied Turf Culture

Course description

The key subjects – maintenance practices, soils, fertilisers and nutrients, to plant growth, general controls and new developments, plus more – are studied through a progressive one-day GMA Learning course. With delivery from an industry expert, experience an educational training day featuring an informative presentation and explore some of the theory involved in maintaining a cricket surface.

Some of the subjects covered on this course

• Surface requirements for cricket pitches

• Performance Quality Standards: the assessment

• Turf grass identification for sport surfaces

• Fertilisers and nutrients: types and their effects

• Pests and diseases: identification and controls

• Moss and weeds: identification and controls

• New developments for cricket surfaces

Is this training day suitable for me?

This training course is ideal for the volunteer or established employee – for continuing professional development, or just as a refresher. With delivery from an industry expert, keep your skills and knowledge up to date with the latest best practices, and explore the requirements you need to meet in order to increase your surface's longevity.

What can I do after this course?

Enhance your learning by taking your next step with our Level 3 Cricket Pitches: Advanced Turf Culture. An additional option, with further study, is to undertake the GMA Level 2 Technical Certificate in Turf Surface Maintenance – an initial formal qualification in turf maintenance.

Benefits

You will become part of the growing network of sports turf experts and volunteers. You will gain valuable and applicable skills, as well as practical experience. You will enjoy a fun, informative and productive course – with delivery from an excellent and knowledgeable expert.

Course details

Cost
→ Visit www.thegma.org.uk/learning

Duration
→ One day (full)

Location
→ Venues across the UK

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