



Welcome to IRSA Academy Tryouts!

The IRSA Academy program is designed for players and families who are looking to develop their skills in a competitive and structured environment. Our focus is on player development, technical excellence, and fostering a love for the game.

IRSA Tryout Information - All players **MUST** register for tryouts prior to first tryout session.

Week 1: May 11-14 **Week 2:** May 18-21 All sessions 6-7:30pm at Hobart Soccer Complex.

Visit irsoccer.com for tryout registration, dates and schedule details.

What to Expect during the tryout process

- Players will be evaluated on technical ability, tactical awareness, effort, attitude.
 - Player must attend at least one tryout session to be invited to a team.
 - Players are strongly encouraged to attend both tryout sessions.
 - Offers to join a team can be extended to players after the first tryout session.
 - Offers will be delivered through PlayMetrics.
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IRSA Academy Program Overview

- Full year commitment – Fall, Winter, Spring seasons
- 2 training sessions/week in Fall and Spring
- Weekend league games in Fall and Spring seasons
- Team Tournaments

2026-27 Season Timeline

- Fall 2026 Season: August 10 – December 7
 - Winter Season – Optional December/January training
 - Spring 2027 Season: February 1 – May 14
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Communication

PlayMetrics is used for communication at the team and club level

Fees & Financial Information

Academy Club Fee - \$250 one per family – Club Fee includes: administrative, field maintenance, lights and facility, risk management, club insurance, field equipment, coaching education.

Academy Team Fee – Team Fee includes: - league fees, tournament fees, player registration, professional coaching fees, referee fees. Visit irsoccer.com for Team Fees

*Uniform expense is separate – estimated \$250 every 2 years

Tournament Information

- Registration for **two (2) HOME tournaments** is included in team fees.
 - If a team does not have a bracket for a home tournament, equivalent fees may be applied toward an outside event.
 - **Coaching fees and referee fees are not included** and will be billed separately.
 - For tournaments requiring overnight stays, **coach hotel accommodations will be an additional cost** shared by the team.
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Fundraising

Many teams will fundraise to decrease team costs for tournaments and other events. All funds raised must be kept by team managers. IRSA will not be responsible for managing team funds.

Join the IRSA Family

IRSA is committed to developing confident players both on and off the field. We are excited to welcome new and returning players to our Academy program!

Questions? Please contact: Ian Brice | IRSA Director of Coaching | doc@irsoccer.com