



ESTUDIANTES

ANNUAL REPORT 2025/26



**100% FREE, INCLUSIVE & HIGH-QUALITY SPORT
TO IMPROVE OUTCOMES IN EDUCATION**

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James Page, CEO @ Haringey Education Partnership



“Estudiantes are exceptional: combining the power of football and sport with attendance and educational success for Haringey’s children and young people. The club have won awards for their work and the impact of their work and are a homegrown success for schools to tap into”

Front Cover Image

Top: Following a fantastic start to his academic year, Diamend Gebrehiwet captains us against Paris Saint German Academy in Paris.

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Isam Belmoudden graduates from Loughborough.

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Jayden Rowe has been one of the most outstanding student athletes of the year. He has demonstrated an excellent attitude in both education and sport. As a reward for his efforts in his education, Jayden has played over 40 matches this year, captaining the club regularly and playing in games against professional clubs Watford, Hull City, Fulham, Middlesbrough and Cardiff.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

BY DARREN WILTSHIRE, CO-FOUNDER

Estudiantes is a community-led charity working in Tottenham, one of the most deprived areas in London. Young people face significant barriers to achieve their potential, including poverty, exposure to crime, limited opportunities, and reduced access to positive activities and role models. Our club is here to try to make a positive difference.

The realities of the environment in which we work were brought into sharp focus in May 2026, when three of our participants were victims of an armed robbery involving a firearm as they left one of our training sessions. This incident reinforced the urgency of our work and highlighted the importance of providing safe, structured, and positive environments for young people.

Estudiantes uses free, inclusive and high quality sport as a vehicle to engage with hundreds of young people annually, combining sport with education support, mentoring, and personal development. We are committed to keeping the club 100% free for all participants. This is only made possible through the ongoing support of our funders, partners, and supporters. Thank you to everyone that has supported the club over the last 8 years to make this possible, especially Haringey 6th form who supported the concept of the club and have provided us with a welcoming home.

In June 2026, I was very proud to win the Amateur FA Bobby Moore award for my work on Estudiantes. I would like to thank everyone that has helped me to create and run the club over the last 8 years, most notably Maria Betancourt and Marcus Foley, as well as Jeremy Jonata who has done so much to help me run the club in recent years.

It is fantastic to see our graduates achieving so much in their lives, and we are grateful that many return to help coach, mentor and inspire the current students.

As the proud recipients of the Amateur FA Award for Equality, Diversity and Inclusion in 2025, Estudiantes are committed to providing high quality and impactful opportunities for all young people.

Thank you for your interest in our club.
I hope you enjoy our annual report.

Best wishes

Darren Wiltshire
Co-Founder Estudiantes



VISION, MISSION AND METHODOLOGY

VISION

To drive excellence in education using the power of sport

MISSION

To encourage, recognise and reward excellence from young people

METHODOLOGY

Participation in our free, inclusive and high quality sports provision is conditional upon students showing the correct attitude and attendance in their study programmes



In May 2026 Abeeb Salami captained our elite team against Chelsea u21s. Abeeb has displayed an exceptional attitude to his education this year. We are extremely thankful to Chelsea FC for this wonderful opportunity. Thank you to Jeremy Jonata for his incredible efforts to create and lead our Elite team programme this year.

OUR APPROACH

USING SPORT TO IMPROVE OUTCOMES IN EDUCATION

Our methodology is simple. We provide free, inclusive and high-quality sporting provision to young people on condition they commit to excellence in their education.

Across all ability levels, sport allows us to engage with at-risk young people, building strong relationships that extend beyond the pitch and into education, behaviour, and personal development.

Our model is based on a simple theory of change: sustained participation in inclusive and high-quality sport supports improved attitudes to education; and improved engagement and behaviour create clearer pathways into further education, employment, and leadership opportunities.

All provision is completely free, ensuring that financial barriers never prevent participation. In return, young people are encouraged to demonstrate commitment to their education and personal development, particularly through attendance, effort, and behaviour in school or college.

This creates a clear incentive structure where sport is used positively to reinforce engagement in education, while also providing young people with consistent access to structured activity, mentoring, and support.

We are proud to see this approach helping young people progress into positive pathways. It has proven effective in building discipline, confidence, and aspiration, supporting long-term development and progression both within and beyond the programme.



IMPACT AND OUTCOMES

EDUCATION AND SPORT

The average academic attendance of participants in the 2025/2026 academic year was 92.4%

- The junior u12 team had an average of 98.5%
- The Inclusion teams had an average of 96%
- Multisport participants had an average 87%
- The football teams (aged 16-18) had an average of 88%
- 92.4% is a reduction of 2.8% compared with 2024/2025, this is consequence of us working with a cohort of at risk-young people facing greater barriers to positive outcomes.

84% of students said being a part of Estudiantes improved their attendance in their education

92% of participants identify as being from Black, Asian, Mixed, or Other minority ethnic backgrounds.

Sports Participation

Sport / Group	Total Annual Sessions and Matches	Total Participants (5+ sessions)	Average Participants	Represented club	Total Attendances
Girls Football	21	20	13	15	273
Football 8-10	9	5	5	N/A	45
Football (ages 10 to 12)	160	21	15	17	2400
Football – 16–18 Dev.	96	39	21	33	2016
Football – 16–18 Advanced	64	45	15	45	960
16-18 Futsal	21	19	9	N/A	189
Football Elite	10	48	15	48	150
Inclusion & Disability Football	84	14	9	14	756
Red Star	10	11	7	3	70
FA Inclusion League	62	54	7	N/A	434
Volleyball	42	24	13	12	546
Table Tennis	64	21	12	N/A	768
Badminton	43	29	11	11	473
TOTAL – Sports Provision	686	350	13.2361516	198	9080

Headline Statistics

- 686 sports sessions and competitive matches delivered
- 9,080 total participant attendances
- 263 unique participants engaged in regular participation (5+ sessions)
- 162 unique participants represented the club in competition
- Average attendance per session: 13.24 participants

Inclusion Impact

- 156 inclusion sessions and matches delivered
- 1,260 total participant attendances generated
- 3 structured inclusion pathways delivered (Inclusion football, Red Star, FA Inclusion League)

Multi-Sport Reach

- 1,787 attendances across non-football sports
 - Volleyball: 546, Table Tennis: 768, Badminton: 473

PROGRAMMES

FREE, INCLUSIVE AND HIGH QUALITY SPORT

Juniors

Our Junior programme provides regular training for a select group of talented students. They are provided with opportunities to play games both locally and regionally. The team compete successfully against some of the best grassroots clubs in London.

Girls

Our Girls programme continues to grow, offering a safe, welcoming, and empowering space for girls to enjoy football, develop skills, and build confidence both on and off the pitch. We are thankful to Tottenham Hotspur Foundation and Haringey 6th Form College for supporting this programme

Elite

The Elite pathway provides our best u17, u19 and u21 student athletes with opportunities to compete against professional academies and high-level opposition such as representative sides.

Development

Our core development programme provides at-risk 16-19 year olds with an opportunity to be a part of structured and organised football team, if they show a sustained commitment to their education. It provides various pathways at all levels.

Multisport and Futsal

We provide a multisport option for 16-19 year olds that includes Badminton, Table Tennis. This includes our futsal club that is delivered in a partnership with Tottenham Hotspur Foundation and Haringey 6th Form College.

Inclusion

Our Inclusion programme provides accessible football opportunities for young people with additional needs, ensuring everyone can participate, develop confidence, and be part of a supportive team environment. It sits at the heart of our commitment to equality and opportunity across the club.

New for 2026 – Disability

Our new Disability programme expands our inclusive offer, creating additional opportunities for young people with physical disabilities to access regular football provision. It builds on our existing inclusion work and strengthens clear pathways for participation and development. It has been created thanks to the support of True Colours Trust



JUNIORS

THANK YOU TO HORIZONS FOR
SUPPORTING OUR JUNIOR
FOOTBALL PROVISION

HORIZONS 

FREE, INCLUSIVE AND HIGH QUALITY SPORT

Led superbly by Jayden Clifford-Hamilton, and supported by coaches Nathan Barimah and Clayton Denton, the junior team have had a superb year. With a strong identity based on hard work, teamwork and consistency. The team's progress was reflected in with outstanding results which included reaching the London Cup Final, an ECHO league and cup double, as well as winning other small sided tournaments. It has been great to see so many of students receiving praise for their efforts in their education this year.

We thank Jayden for his exceptional dedication to create something so special for children in Tottenham.

The captain of the u12s team is Alvin Kasirye. He is pictured with his headteacher, Spurs legend Ledley King and the mayor of Haringey. Alvin is the younger brother of Ashley Kasirye, who plays for and coaches our Inclusion team. Alvin has had fantastic reports from his teachers at school, having been selected as one of our students of the year in 2024/2025 (right)



OUR CORE PROGRAMME

SUPPORTING STUDENTS IN EDUCATION AND SPORT

Our core programme for students aged 16-19 continues to play an important role in supporting young people in the local area to excel in their education. Regular training and matches of varying levels are provided to young people on condition they show a great attitude to their education.

The programme places a strong emphasis on education and personal progression, with players encouraged to focus on securing the best possible education. Football is used as a positive tool to promote attendance, responsibility, confidence and aspiration. We do not tolerate indiscipline and regular receive praise for the conduct and attitude of our students. We thank Jeremy for the important role he has played in mentoring students within the programme again this year. We couldn't ask for better role model.

It has been fantastic to see so many progressing to play for our elite team this year, including Roy Mulenga (pictured below). His impressive attitude to education, positive teacher feedback and commitment to excellence in sport, led him being chosen to become captain of our development team in a representative fixture against Sussex FA U18s. His attitude and performance has been excellent throughout the year, and with more positive feedback from his teachers at Haringey 6th Form, he was then selected to be captain of our Elite team in a fixture against Hull City U18s. He also made an appearance against Fulham FC. We congratulate Roy on a fantastic year.

**THANK YOU NORTH STANDARD FOR
SUPPORTING OUR DEVELOPMENT
PROGRAMME AT ESTUDIANTES THIS YEAR.**



NorthStandard



INCLUSION AND DISABILITY

PROUD TO BE A LEADING CLUB FOR INCLUSIVE FOOTBALL

The club's inclusion programme continues to make a significant impact, creating opportunities for people of all backgrounds and abilities to take part in football within a safe, welcoming and supportive environment. Building on the foundations established by previous leaders, including Owen Locke, Levin Dookhun and Jayden Clifford-Hamilton, the programme has continued to grow. This year it has led brilliantly by Jude Geoghegan and Eddie Hajimina (below right). Participation continues to increase, with more players progressing into leadership, volunteering and coaching roles.

Participants such as Jon Nwanze (below left) are provided with a wide-ranging games programme, and the chance to be part of a structured and welcoming football club. The club's minibus, funded by the Hargreaves Foundation, enables teams to travel to competitions and festivals, including the monthly Hertfordshire League at Watford FC and the London FA Hackney Festival. We thank Jacqueline How from Haringey 6th Form College who has been kind enough to drive the team to many fixtures across London this year.

One of the programme's greatest successes has been seeing participants grow in confidence and progress beyond the pitch. Many members of the inclusion team have moved into employment, education and leadership opportunities. Perhaps the best example is David Ripa who has assisted in helping to coaching the club's new disability football team. We are extremely thankful to True Colours Trust for giving us the opportunity to develop a new 'Red Star' disability team for 2026/2027.



GIRLS FOOTBALL

CREATING A POSITIVE PATHWAY IN FOOTBALL FOR GIRLS

The Girls Football programme has continued to grow from strength to strength this year, providing young players with a fantastic environment to play. Through the support of the Tottenham Hotspur Foundation, the programme has created regular opportunities for players to train and compete.

Huge credit must go to coaches Cristian and Emmanuel. Their commitment, encouragement, positivity and passion have helped inspire the players throughout the year, with numbers often surpassing 15 in each training session. Their dedication has played a key role in creating a positive and supportive culture, while also helping the team achieve excellent performances on the pitch.

Special thanks also go to Haringey Sixth Form College for their continued support of the programme and the opportunities provided to the players throughout the year.

The team have represented the club brilliantly, playing a number of fixtures and recording some impressive victories. Beyond the results, the programme has helped players build confidence, resilience and friendships, while continuing to promote the growth of girls football within the local community.



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FOOTBALL PROVISION**



DEVELOPMENT TEAM

COMPETING AGAINST REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS



With many of our development players keen to progress into the Elite team, Estudiantes provides opportunities for players to compete against Representative football teams. This year, we had the opportunity to play The England Independent Schools Football Association in two fixtures at Loughborough University and then City of London School. We thank Wayne Pybus at ISFA for providing us with the opportunity to compete with such a talented group of student athletes at such prestigious locations.

We also had the opportunity to take on the Hertfordshire County FA squad in two games held at Harpenden Town, before travelling to Brighton to take on the Sussex FA.

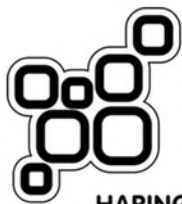
These provided wonderful opportunities for our students to compete against top quality opposition on great pitches. We thank Daniel Young (Hertfordshire FA) and Kevin Laundon (Sussex FA) for providing us with these opportunities.

Continued thanks to the Hargreaves Foundation for providing us with the funding for a minibus to make these opportunities possible.



MULTISPORT AND FUTSAL

PROVIDING A SAFE AND POSITIVE ENVIRONMENT FOR CHILDREN



HARINGEY
SIXTH FORM COLLEGE
SUCCESS AMBITION RESILIENCE

As part of our multisport option led by Jeremy Jonata, we have been able to provide Volleyball, Badminton and Table Tennis. Based at Haringey 6th Form College, we have also been thankful to London Academy of Excellence (Stratford and Tottenham) and Waltham Forest College for taking part in sporting fixtures through the year.

Thanks to the support of Tottenham Hotspur Foundation and Haringey 6th Form College we have been able to restart of futsal club. Having starting as a futsal club in 2018, we developed a reputation for providing high-quality opportunities for young people in the local area to participate in futsal. We competed in both the National Futsal League and the National Futsal Series, playing against, and occasionally defeating some of the best clubs in England. Our graduates have gone on to secure futsal scholarships at Loughborough, compete in and win BUCS competitions, represent England, and become national champions.

Our current futsal provision provides an additional opportunity for at-risk young people aged 16-19 to engage in structured physical activity one evening each week.

A huge thank you to Cristian Cenal Da Silva, who has created a safe, consistent and positive environment where young people can enjoy the game, develop their skills and thrive.



'Coach Cristian is supportive and also encouraging. He is a nice person, makes everyone feel welcome and he's also a great coach'

Participant feedback



ESTUDIANTES **ELITE**

AN OPPORTUNITY TO COMPETE AGAINST THE BEST

The Estudiantes Elite team continues to provide high-quality opportunities to play against some of the top clubs in the world. All opportunities remain free of cost for all players.

We are indebted to all the clubs we have been able to play against this year. These opportunities help us to drive fantastic outcomes in education and sport.

Like so many of the opportunities available across all ability levels at the club, our minibus, kindly funded by The Hargreaves Foundation, has enabled us to travel to a wide range of exciting experiences. One of the highlights was a trip to Paris, where we had the opportunity to play against the Under 17 team of Paris Saint-Germain, whose senior team are champions of France and Europe.

Closer to home, many of the London's best clubs such as Chelsea, Arsenal, Fulham and Watford have provided us with amazing opportunities. We are thankful to Jeremy Jonata who leads the Elite programme in the best possible manner.

We have also had the opportunity to take on clubs further afield, such as Middlesbrough FC, Cardiff City FC, and Hull City, as well as a trip to train with the academy of Premier League club Wolves.

Thank you again to all the clubs who have provided us with opportunities since we started the club.



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ESTUDIANTES **ELITE**

OPPORTUNITIES FOR OUTSTANDING STUDENT ATHLETES

In late 2025, Jeremy was able to secure another opportunity for our Elite team to take on Arsenal u21s. Our opposition were full of the some of the most outstanding young players in England, including some who have started for Premier League winners Arsenal FC first team this year. The day was experience we will never forget. Our team, coped brilliantly on the day, giving Arsenal a good game.

Thank you to Arsenal for the incredible opportunity and thank you to Jeremy for his outstanding work, professionalism and dedication to help us secure such a match



Another amazing highlight of the year was travelling to Cobham to take on an outstanding Chelsea FC u21 team. We are indebted to Chelsea for this amazing opportunity that saw our guys compete against some of the best young players in the country.

Through the season, further opportunities were provided. These provided an incredible incentive for students to push to the next level on and off the pitch. Hardworking student athletes were given the chance to take the captains armband. Daimend Gebrehiwet captained us against Watford FC, Jaydan Rowe was given the armband against Middlesbrough, with Roy Mulenga leading the team out v Hull City. We thank all those clubs who have provided our club and students with such wonderful opportunities this year.



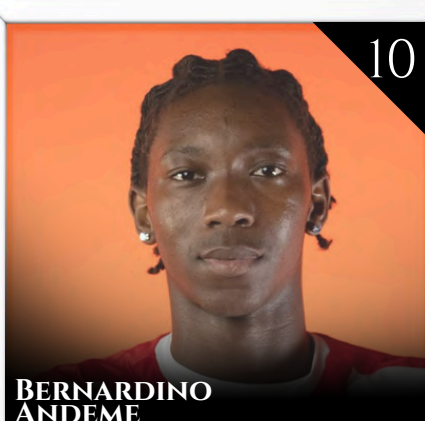
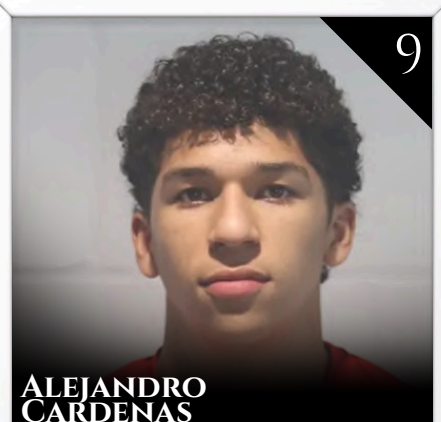
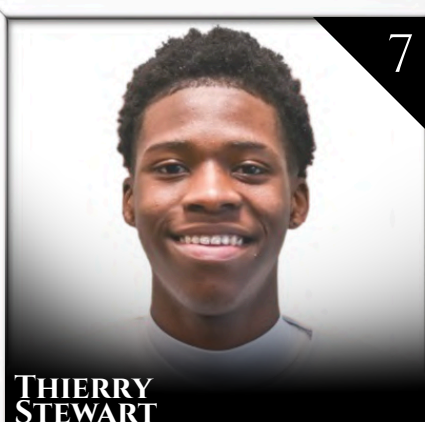
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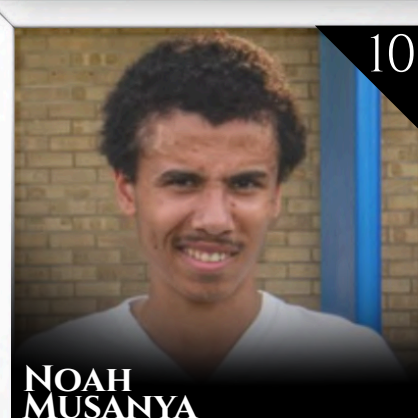
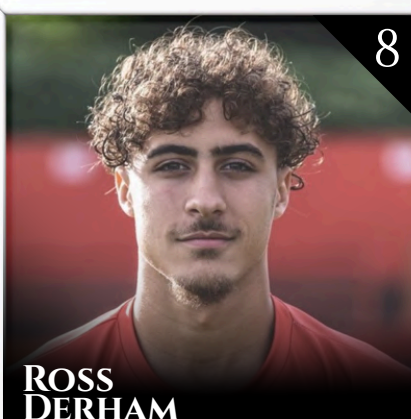
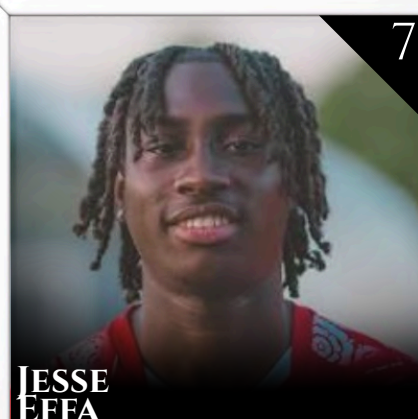
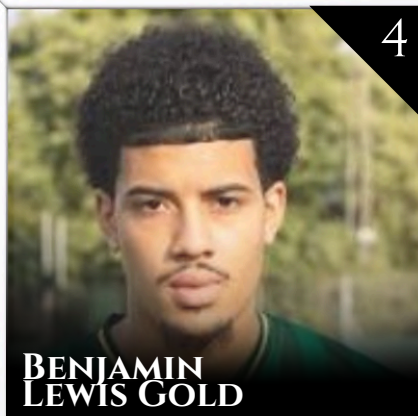
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A MAGICAL DAY IN PARIS

AN OPPORTUNITY TO COMPETE AGAINST THE BEST

In December 2025, we had the opportunity to travel to Paris to take on PSG Academy. It was an absolutely amazing day that we will remember forever. A huge thank you to everyone at PSG for the opportunity and the amazing hospitality. The team performed well, representing the club brilliantly in their behaviour, attitude and performance. The opportunity allowed us to further improve outcomes in education of the students in the lead up to and following the trip.



YOUTH LEADERSHIP

YOUNG LEADERS DRIVING POSITIVE CHANGE

It has been a pleasure to see more young leaders develop at the club against this year.

Jeremy Jonata has continued his development into an outstanding young leader, mentor, and coach. He has successfully managed programmes across all ability levels. Alongside this, Jeremy has also delivered outstanding opportunities in sports including badminton and table tennis, demonstrating an exceptional commitment to providing high-quality experiences for every young person he works with. Earlier this year, Jeremy graduated from Loughborough University with a First Class Honours. Well done Jeremy!

Jayden Clifford-Hamilton (pictured below) and Nathan Barimah have continued to demonstrate exceptional leadership, commitment and passion in developing our youth provision. Through their dedication, they have created a positive, ambitious and enjoyable environment where young people can develop both on and off the pitch, while inspiring the next generation of players and leaders. It was an exceptional year for Jayden who also completed his degree at the University of East London and secured full time employment.

Jude Geoghegan and Eddie Hajimina have led our inclusion programme with great dedication, ensuring that football remains accessible to everyone. They have helped to provide high quality opportunities for participants in a welcoming, supportive and aspirational environment.

Thank you to all those young people who have helped the club progress since 2018.



ALUMNI SUCCESS STORIES

TRULY OUTSTANDING PROGRESSION – OWEN LOCKE

It is always rewarding to see our graduates continuing to go on to achieve great things both within sport and beyond education. Their journeys reflect the long-term impact of the opportunities, support, and values developed through Estudiantes.

Owen Locke has made exceptional progress since joining our futsal sessions at the age of 16. He is a recognised leader in inclusive football and works for Bloomsbury Football, one of the largest providers of football in London. Owen continues to positively impact the next generation of young players especially within inclusion and disability football. An outstanding goalkeeper himself, Owen also represents the England National Team in blind football where his outstanding communication and goalkeeping skills make him one of the very top keepers in England. With qualification for the next Paralympic Games among his ambitions, Owen has been able to travel the world through football. This year he has competed for England in Argentina and led a coaching camp in India, demonstrating remarkable progression as an athlete and as a leader. Well done Owen,

We are always thankful to see Owen return to the club. He is pictured below with Tottenham Legend Ledley King and the Mayor of Haringey Ahmed Mahbub.



ALUMNI SUCCESS STORIES

A PASSION FOR SPORT – TERELL NEWSOME

Terell Newsome has been a key player for our inclusion team over the last 4 years. A passionate sportsperson keen to play any sport, Terell has led various sporting activities at Estudiantes including badminton and cricket. Voted our Cricket player of the year in 2023, Terell gained a full time internship with the ECB in 2024 after completing his BTEC at from Haringey 6th Form College.

This year Terell took the step of starting a degree at the University of Gloucestershire. He has continued to play sport, including representing his University in American Football. Terell is an extremely, polite, respectful and kind person who regularly returns to London to compete for the inclusion team. It is great to see Terell continuing to excel in Education and Sport.

Feedback from Terell

The best thing about Estudiantes in my opinion is just the community and connections it helps build and on a more personal basis for me it helped me realise that I can be better physically and in general as an athlete. At the moment I play American football, volleyball and badminton, and I also play football, padel and table tennis for fun. Estudiantes has helped me want to play sports and made me try out new sports that I now love. It's just been a great journey so far. I'm currently studying at University to be a teacher and that's what I want to do as my profession but I'm also trying to play for the American football GB team and see where that takes me.



ALUMNI SUCCESS STORIES

AN OUTSTANDING ROLE MODEL – ISAM BELMOUDDEN

Isam Belmoudden, recipient of our Student of the Year award in 2025, continues to embody the transformative opportunities available through education and sport. Having joined the club in 2019, Isam first completed his ESOL course before excelling on his BTEC programme at Haringey Sixth Form College. His outstanding progress led to a sports scholarship with the Loughborough University futsal programme, where he completed his degree while continuing to develop as both a player and leader. Isam is now completing his PGCE, marking another major milestone in what has been a truly remarkable journey. We are incredibly proud to see his continued success.

Feedback from Isam

For me, the best thing about Estudiantes is the support you receive on and off the pitch. The coaches genuinely help the players with their studies, careers and future job opportunities.



Feedback from parent of Isam

Estudiantes London played a big part in Isam's journey, both personally and academically. The club helped him grow in confidence and discipline while giving him a real passion for football and coaching. Through the support and opportunities he received, he went on to study at Loughborough University and started working towards his coaching badges. He has now secured his first teaching job for September while still completing his PGCE. We're very grateful to Estudiantes London for the positive impact the club has had on his development on and off the pitch.

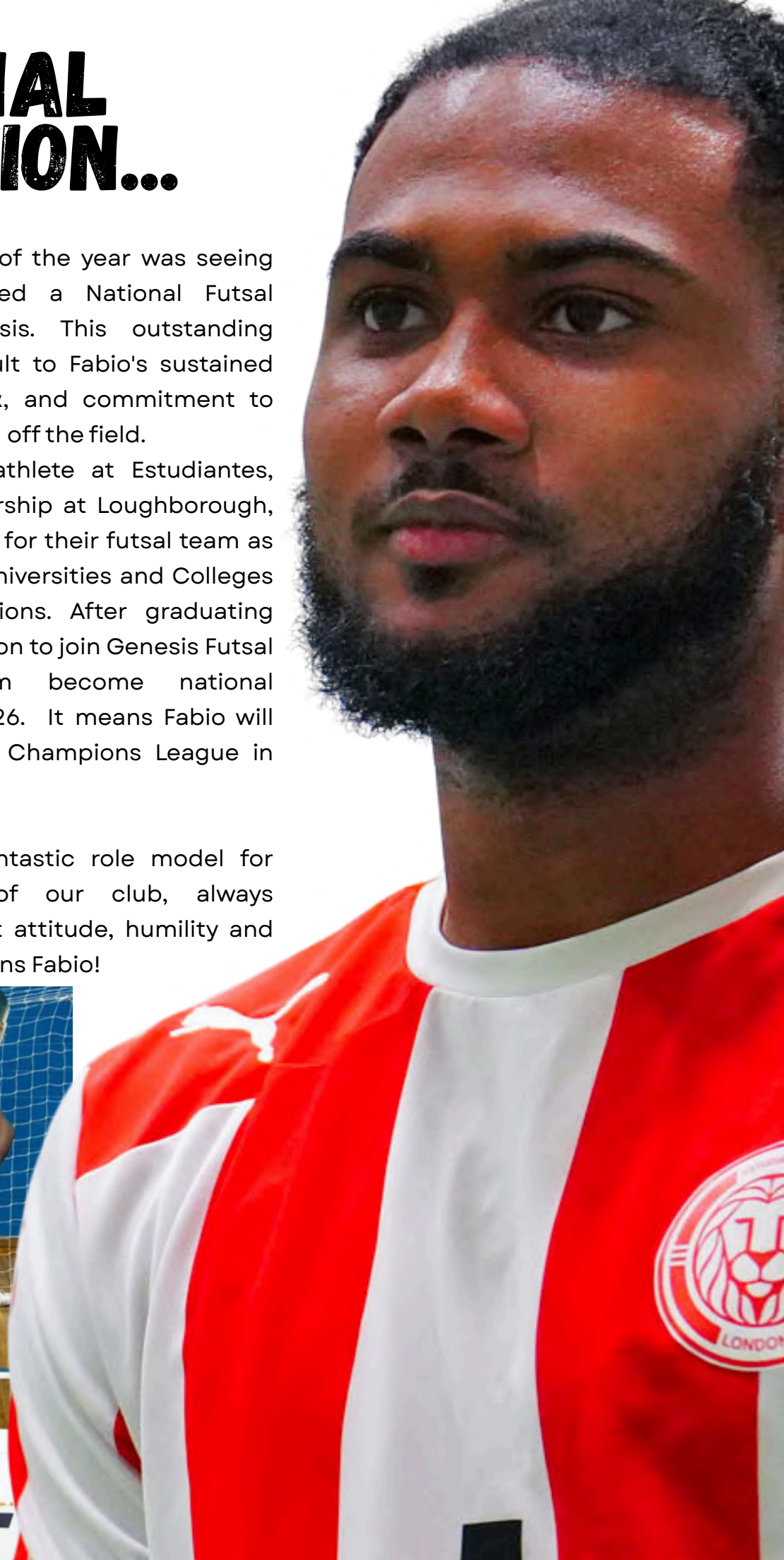
NATIONAL CHAMPION...

FABIO TEIXEIRA

One of the highlights of the year was seeing Fabio Teixeira crowned a National Futsal Champion for Genesis. This outstanding achievement is a result to Fabio's sustained dedication, hard work, and commitment to excellence both on and off the field.

A standout student athlete at Estudiantes, Fabio gained a scholarship at Loughborough, becoming a key player for their futsal team as they became British Universities and Colleges Sport (BUCS) champions. After graduating Fabio returned to London to join Genesis Futsal Club, helping them become national champions in May 2026. It means Fabio will compete in the UEFA Champions League in September.

Fabio has been a fantastic role model for younger members of our club, always demonstrating a great attitude, humility and respect. Congratulations Fabio!



ALUMNI SUCCESS STORIES

FROM STUDENTS TO LEADERS

An update on some others to have progressed into employment in recent years. Kieran Wright (below left) continues to make progress in full-time employment at Riverside School. Also at Riverside is Levin Dookhun who progressed from Entry Level qualifications through to BTEC studies. He was recognised as Young Volunteer of the Year in English football.



Sydnee Geoghegan (above right), a long-standing member of the Inclusion team, now works full-time for the Tottenham Hotspur Foundation, continuing her pathway in community sport following her involvement in coaching projects at Estudiantes. Sinhani Quade (below), who contributed across the club as a player, coach, and referee for seven years, is now employed full-time having excelled in his 6 month coaching placement in the United States.



SPORTING EXCELLENCE

CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN SIGNED BY PROFESSIONAL CLUBS



A standout player for Jayden's u12s team, Gabriel Onyejekwe has made absolutely outstanding progress in the last two years. After another excellent season for Jayden's team, Gabriel was given a trial with Stevenage. He made a great impression and was signed to the Stevenage Academy.

Congratulations Gabriel!



Othman Kaddoura produced a stand out performances against Paris Saint Germain, Hull City and against Hertfordshire County when he scored the winning goal. We thank leading academy ATF for recommending Othman and allowing him to play for us, and congratulate Othman on signing a professional contract with Ipswich.



Gelson Mundo Do Rocha was absolutely outstanding for us in fixtures in 2023/2024 and 2024./2025. Following a number of excellent games against Parma, Club Brugge and Sampdoria, Gelson returned to Parma on trial, before signing his first professional contract in Bosnia and Herzegovina for FK Sarajevo. Congratulations Gelson!



SETTING THE STANDARD

THEO, RUDY, AND SAM

The Estudiantes Elite team provide world class opportunities for our most outstanding student-athletes from our programme in Tottenham, while also attracting exceptional young talent from across England. These students are selected as a result of their ability to consistently set phenomenal standards both in their performances and their attitude, serving as role models for the wider programme. This year, several players stood out for their exceptional contribution.

Rudy Tetlow made a great impression whilst playing against us for the England Independent Schools Team at Loughborough University. As a result, he was invited to join our elite team and was a standout player for us against Fulham FC and Cardiff FC. Rudy is completing his education at Millfield School, one of the very best schools in England.

Theo Ezeo, who represented the England Colleges Association in 2025, is now studying for a degree at Loughborough University. He delivered a series of outstanding performances for our elite team, most notably against Chelsea FC and Watford FC. Theo demonstrates an outstanding attitude, great leadership, humility and fitness, setting a wonderful standard for others to follow.

Sam and Charlie Collard were two standout performers for our Elite team during the year. With their positive attitude, conduct and performances both represented the club brilliantly, becoming great role models for everyone at the club. Charlie's impressive performance at Watford helped us to keep a clean sheet. The brothers joined forces to help us put in great performances against Fulham and Paris Saint Germain. Charlie made outstanding progress, combining his A Levels and non league football, whilst Sam was able to secure a full athletic scholarship to continue his education at Brook House College, an internationally-focused co-educational boarding school.

We thank all of the Elite student athletes who represented our club in 2025/2026. They have helped us to create a culture of ambition, discipline, and development.



'The attitude from the guys from Tottenham has been excellent every time I've played with them, they're always enthusiastic and ready to learn, and the experience of playing for estudiantes is great it's such a welcoming atmosphere and also gives guys a platform that may not have had those types of opportunities in the past'

Feedback from Theo Ezea

SETTING THE STANDARD

WILL AND NOE



Two students who set fantastic examples for students within the club through their performances and leadership were Will Owen and Noe Simons-Delamarre.

Will Owen (above) was outstanding during our tour in Italy against Parma and Sampdoria, while also impressing against Penn State University and Kidderminster Harriers. Captain of the England Independent Schools Football Association (ISFA) team, Will is now continuing his development in the United States on a football scholarship.

Feedback from Will

'Estudiantes do great work for young players and I really enjoyed my time there. It was a pleasure being around the lads who are a great group with really good attitudes and a genuine love for the game. The opportunities the club provides, especially with everything being offered free of charge, are brilliant and not something you find everywhere. I was also lucky enough to play against professional clubs in Italy and gain experiences that helped me a lot both on and off the pitch. Really grateful to everyone involved with the club.'

Another elite level student athlete to represent the club was Noe Simons-Delamarre. An exceptional representative of Estudiantes over two years, Noe (below) was outstanding on tours to Europe through his professionalism, fitness, and performances. Alongside his football achievements, Noe completed a Bachelor's degree in Sociology and Political Science at Paris Dauphine University and is now studying for a Master's in International Sustainability Management. We thank both Will and Noe for their fantastic service to the club and for being wonderful role models for our students.



CAPACITY BUILDING

IMPROVE THE SUSTAINABILITY OF THE CLUB

We have endeavoured to improve every part of the organisation this year to provide us with more sustainability. We are thankful to all those who have funded us to allow us to continue such extensive provision with absolutely no cost to participants.

Our Co-founder Marcus Foley has been able to lead on strategy. This has been vital to ensure we are fully aligned with our mission. Thank you for all of your help in the last 8 years Marcus!

We are thankful to Adam Watkin for helping us to improve our infrastructure and governance this year. His perspective, experience and knowledge have made a significant difference, especially in our monthly management meetings that allow the coaches, management, and trustees to come together to share updates and ideas.

One particularly important part of our club is giving young people a voice to help guide our strategy. We are delighted to see young people leading thriving programmes. Our club captain Abee Salami is now joining our management meetings to represent and present the views of our participants.

With a view to trying to improve the sustainability and impact of Estudiantes, co-founders Darren and Marcus have attended and completed an Executive Education programme at Bayes Business School. Provided by Go! London, and supported by the Mayor of London, London Marathon Foundation and Sport England it has given us a chance to learn to learn from fantastic tutors such as Nick Wilkie, Ravi Rai, Aneesh Banerjee and Haseeb Shabbir who delivered fascinating workshops, on Strategy, High Performance, AI and Fundraising.

Thank you to Thomas Westerman and Pierre McIlwee for allowing us a place on the course, and to Adam Watkin for alerting us to the opportunity



EQUALITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

SPORT FOR ALL



As the proud recipients of the 2025 Amateur FA Award for Equality, Diversity and Inclusion, we have continued to prioritise and expand opportunities across the club. Thanks to the support of North Standard, we have been able to strengthen and sustain our inclusive programme, ensuring that more young people with additional needs can access regular, high-quality football provision.

A key development this year has been the introduction of a new disability football team, Red Star. This has been made possible thanks to the support of the True Colours Trust. This team has provided an additional structured pathway for participants, increasing opportunities for competitive and recreational football within a safe, supportive, and inclusive environment.

Alongside this, we have also continued to develop our girls' football provision, supported by the Tottenham Hotspur Foundation.

Through these developments, we continue to build on our commitment to inclusion, ensuring that opportunity, participation, and progression remain central to everything we do at Estudiantes.

IN THE COMMUNITY

THANKFUL AND PROUD TO BE WORKING ALONGSIDE

DOST

DOST are a fantastic organisation working with refugees and migrants who have referred many outstanding student athletes to our club in recent years. Led brilliantly by Marian Spears MBE they provide fantastic opportunities to young people as they transition to life in London. This year, we have been proud to include Diamend, Adam and Bereket in our programmes, with Diamend captaining our Elite team against PSG as a result of his truly outstanding commitment to improve his level in education and sport.



TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR FOUNDATION



We are thankful to Tottenham Hotspur Foundation and the wider club for the wide range of support they offer our club, including providing wonderful coaches to help us run futsal and girls football. Beyond this, they have helped many of our students with pathways to employment, both in coaching and at the stadium. We were also thankful to CEO Mark Leckie for providing us with kit for our junior players.

YOU VS YOU

Led by the inspirational Ahmed Mohammed, You Vs You provide incredible support to young people in the area, guiding them to fulfil their potential. We have seen first-hand the impact they have made. One example is Yotam Tesfameskel, who has developed into an outstanding young person and leader. Yotam was selected to captain our Elite team in Italy last year after a period of sustained personal development. Alongside him, You Vs You participants, Euyeal and Huruy have both made a very positive impression at Estudiantes club this year, with Euyeal a standout player for us against PSG earlier this year. Thank you Ahmed.



You Vs You Ltd

Hopeful | Focus | Successful



HIGHLIGHTING OUR WORK

The Premier League featured the fantastic work of Jayden Clifford-Hamilton as part their More than a Game series as part of a No Room for Racism campaign (below left). The post on instagram received 1.5 million views. Thank you to Alex Leach from Haringey Council visited us and published an article ‘Forming Futures from Football’ for Haringey People magazine (below right). A huge thank you to Leo Timossi for his article on our club published by (bottom left)

The People's View' series from the Premier League celebrates football at all levels.

We'll hear first-hand experiences of life across football, including from those who benefit from the League's funded programmes.

This is the game we all love, and these are views from the community.

Estudiantes London is not your average grassroots football club.

Located in Tottenham, north London, Estudiantes plays a significant role in the development of young people in the local area; using the power of football and sport to inspire participants to make positive choices and encouraging them to excel in education as well as offering pathways to employment.



EDUCATION

FORMING FUTURES FROM FOOTBALL

"My experience so far has been life-changing," replies Abee Salami when asked how beneficial Estudiantes London has been to him outside the classroom.

"Before I joined the team, I never thought I could play football at that level or get the opportunities that I have right now. I didn't have enough belief and thought I wasn't good enough, but the coaching here has made me believe I can do something with my talent. If I put something in, I can gain something from it."

The premise of Estudiantes London is simple enough: The registered charity offers free, high-quality and inclusive sports provision to young people in Haringey who show a great attitude to their education. Activities are based at Haringey Sixth Form College and across the borough.

In return, the pupils are encouraged to excel in their studies through their achievements, attainment and/or attendance. Abee is by no means alone in terms of the beneficiaries from the programme at Estudiantes London either.

Another teenager, Yoram Tesfameskel, believes the programme has helped him through some tough times and left him feeling even more integrated among his

peers – and the local community – since emigrating from Eritrea in 2018.

"My English was bad, my confidence was so low and I was a bit chummy back then," the 19-year-old explains. "Since I've started training and playing matches here for Estudiantes, I've really enjoyed it and I've just kept coming back again and again. Playing football makes me so happy and I always look forward to our training sessions after school."

"It's good for your mental health as well. Before I came here, I'd go to the park, kick the ball and go back home. I'd play video games indoors but it was depressing, whereas it's good here because we can exercise and play around. We always have fun."

Such traditions are naturally a source of pride to the initiative's co-founder and trustee, Darren Wiltshire, who also operates as Estudiantes' Chief Executive Officer (CEO).

However, Wiltshire isn't one to rest on his laurels, preferring instead to surge on ahead and scale up however best they can despite their limited resources.

"The methodology is a fantastic one and I'm trying my best to make it work," Darren says. "But, for whatever reason, it just feels like it isn't quite there. I'm constantly thinking about where I want it to be."

People believe I've got to be satisfied with the progress we are making, but I've got aspirations for where I want to take the programme. We're making progress and developing a reputation for what we're doing, and I think it's still got great potential!"

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25 DE MAYO DE 2024

CONOCIENDO FILIALES: LONDRES

En Tottenham, Darren Wiltshire encabeza una filial distinta: fútbol, educación y acción social bajo el nombre de Estudiantes London. A más de 11 mil kilómetros de La Plata, el club encontró una expresión concreta de una idea central: para jugar, también hay que estudiar.



En Tottenham, al norte de Londres, **Darren Wiltshire** lleva adelante un club que no cobra cuota, inscripción ni mensualidad y que encuentre en Estudiantes una identidad posible para su tarea diaria: unir fútbol, educación y oportunidades. Para jugar en **Estudiantes London**, los chicos tienen que asumir un compromiso que en City Bell también forma parte de los pilares del proyecto formativo del Club: **el que no estudia, no juega**.

La zona reúne familias de inmigrantes llegadas de África, Sudamérica, Asia y otros puntos del mundo. Darren no compara esa realidad con la pobreza de otros países que conoció, pero describe un barrio con problemas de drogas, delito, violencia y bajo acompañamiento familiar. El proyecto se enfoca especialmente en chicos de 16 a 19 años, una edad en la que muchas decisiones empiezan a definir lo que viene.

La tercera entrega de **Conociendo a nuestras Filiales**, sección impulsada junto a la Coordinadora de Filiales, llega a Londres para contar una historia diferente dentro del mapa albino. No se trata, en este caso, de una filial tradicional, nacida como punto de encuentro para hinchas lejos de La Plata, sino de un proyecto deportivo, educativo y social que decidió llevar el nombre de Estudiantes.

- Conociendo Filiales I: Mar del Plata
- Conociendo Filiales II: Bariloche

Allá hay una escuela

El origen está en Haringey Sixth Form, el instituto donde se apoya el proyecto, y en la iniciativa de Darren y **Marous Foley**, cofundador de Estudiantes London. Ambos buscaban unir fútbol y educación en una propuesta concreta para jóvenes del barrio. El nombre apareció por una afinidad directa. Estudiantes, en inglés, remite a students. En La Plata, además, remite a una institución que hizo de la formación una parte central de su identidad y que fue precisamente en Inglaterra donde tocó la cima del mundo aquel 16 de octubre de 1966.

RECOMMENDATIONS

David Lammy

MP For Tottenham and Deputy Prime Minister of the United Kingdom

“Estudiantes’ rise in the community is a story of the power of sport and its ability to unite, not divide. Having served as the MP for Tottenham since 2000, and as someone who grew up in this part of town, I know how vital grassroots organisations are for local people. I have seen their importance time and time again. Not every child has the privilege of a secure family background where opportunities arise readily and networks are built with ease. Many grow up in hardship, many have to work for those connections, and many grow up without the right qualifications.

Against a backdrop of austerity, a global pandemic and a cost-of-living crisis, the extent to which Estudiantes has served to bridge these gaps is remarkable. As a multi-sport, educational organisation, it offers our younger generation the chance not just to play, but to excel personally.”

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Rebekah Keane,

London Youth : Senior Programmes Manager (Sport, Culture, Mental Health)

“Estudiantes London is a powerful example of what grassroots youth work can achieve when it’s rooted in community and driven by purpose... Their deep roots in Haringey and Tottenham are unmistakable; their energy, commitment, and local knowledge come through in everything they do... London Youth is proud to work with Estudiantes London to improve the lives of young people.”

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Jason Kilby,

Amateur FA - Former Chief Executive Officer

"The Amateur FA are in awe of Estudiantes. Estudiantes use the power of football to improve the education and lives of students in Tottenham, providing a free programme of football and futsal to those young people who show a commitment to excellence in their education."

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London FA

"The work has generated positivity in the local area and is a model example of an LFA partner creating worthwhile social impacts within less privileged areas of London."

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Norbert Csorba

The FA - Tutor and UEFA Licence Coach

“Today was a reminder that development is about far more than football. This young Estudiantes team showed maturity, respect, discipline, and real grit throughout the game... The way these players competed, supported each other, and carried themselves speaks volumes about the environment being created around them... Keep up the outstanding work developing these young men both on and off the pitch, the future is bright”

PARENTAL FEEDBACK

I am writing to express my sincere gratitude for all the support and care you have given to my son, David Ripa. The team has helped him grow in confidence, improve his social skills, and better understand daily routines and responsibilities. Your dedication, kindness, and encouragement have made a huge positive impact on his relationship with the family, communication, and overall happiness.

We truly appreciate the supportive and welcoming environment you create for all the children. Thank you for your patience, commitment, and the excellent work you do every day. Your support means a great deal to our family.

Parent of David Ripa



I just want to take a moment to say a heartfelt thank you to the entire Estudiantes team. The work you do with the boys is truly amazing. It's clear that you not only focus on their development as footballers but also genuinely care about them as individuals. Since Ignacio joined Estudiantes, I've seen a big change in him – he's more dedicated, motivated, and connected with the team. The bond that's forming between the boys is something really special, and it's a reflection of the positive, supportive environment you've created. Thank you for your commitment, patience, and passion. It's truly appreciated!

Parent of participant in u12s team



CLUB HONOURS

2024 SPORTS CHARITY OF THE YEAR IN LONDON

- GREATER LONDON ENTERPRISE AWARDS

2023 LONDON YOUTH BRONZE MARK

2023 AMATEUR FA CLUB OF THE YEAR

2025 AMATEUR FA CLUB AWARD

- EQUALITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

FOOTBALL TROPHIES

2021 SPURS SUMMER SERIES

2021 AMATEUR FA SUMMER CUP

2023 WALLBALLERS LONDON CUP

2025 ECHO LEAGUE AND CUP DOUBLE UNDER 11S

2024 SPURS FOUNDATION INCLUSION CUP

2024 HERTFORDSHIRE INCLUSION LEAGUE

2025 ECHO LEAGUE AND CUP DOUBLE UNDER 11S

2026 ECHO LEAGUE AND CUP DOUBLE UNDER 12S

FUTSAL

2023 - NATIONAL LEAGUE FUTSAL PLATE

2023 - LONDON YOUTH FUTSAL CUP U18S

2021 - WEST HAM UNITED FUTSAL CUP

PERSONAL AWARDS

LEVIN DOOKHUN

2022 AMATEUR FA YOUNG VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

2023 LONDON FA YOUNG VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD

2023 JOEL RICHARDS INSPIRE AWARD

JEREMY JONATA

2024 NEW VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD

2024 JACK PETCHEY FOUNDATION LEADERS AWARD

JAYDEN CLIFFORD-HAMILTON

2024 AMATEUR FA COACH OF THE YEAR AWARD

- MALE PATHWAY

2026 JACK PETCHEY FOUNDATION LEADERS AWARD

JUDE GEOGHEGAN

2025 AMATEUR FA COACH OF THE YEAR AWARD

2025 FA COACH OF THE YEAR AWARD (DISABILITY PATHWAY)

DARREN WILTSHIRE

2026 AMATEUR FA BOBBY MOORE AWARD

London
Youth
QUALITY MARK
BRONZE ACCREDITED
2023-26



FINANCES

INCOME

From June 1st, 2025, to May 31st, 2026, we raised a total of £73,911.45 to support our work with young people through sport, education, and community activities.

Our largest grant was £20,000 from the Tottenham Grammar School Foundation, which continued to support our football provision and wider youth development programmes throughout the year.

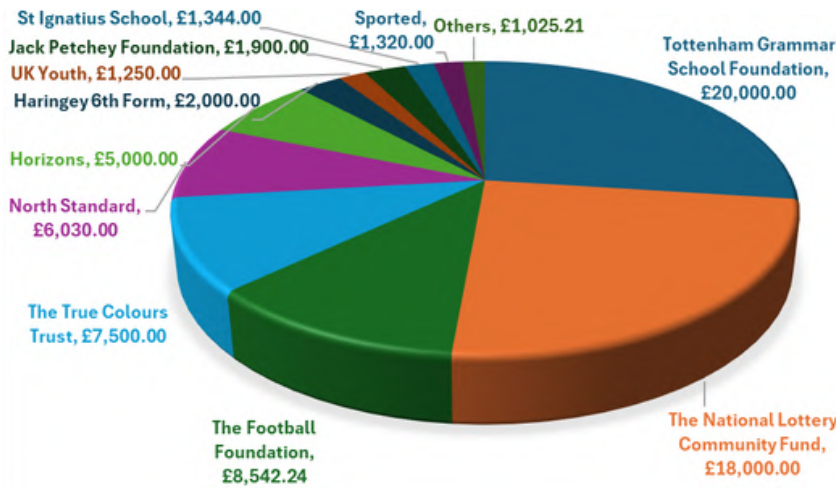
The National Lottery Community Fund awarded us £18,000 to expand our multisport activities. The Football Foundation contributed £8,542 to help us buy portable floodlights, while The True Colours Trust provided £7,500, enabling us to continue delivering inclusive opportunities for those with disabilities.

We also received generous support from North Standard (£6,030) who helped to support our inclusion programme. Horizons provided £5,000 of funding to help us deliver our development, junior and girls programmes. Haringey 6th Form College contributed £2,000 towards our staff costs, while The Jack Petchey Foundation (£1,900), St Ignatius School (£1,344), Sported (£1,320), and UK Youth (£1,250) all provided valuable support for our activities and young people.

Additional income was received through refunds, donations, and contributions from and partner organisations and individuals, including Richard Horlock who was kind enough to pay £200 for a signed Harry Kane Shirt that was donated to Estudiantes by Tottenham Hotspur Football Club. A huge thank you to Spurs and Will Jenkins for this kind gesture.

Thank you to all our funders, partners, supporters, and volunteers who have helped us keep our activities accessible and 100% free for young people. Your support continues to make a significant difference to the lives of the young people we work with every week.

Income - June 1st 2025 to May 31st 2026



Tottenham Grammar School Foundation	£20,000.00
The National Lottery Community Fund	£18,000.00
The Football Foundation	£8,542.24
The True Colours Trust	£7,500.00
North Standard	£6,030.00
Horizons	£5,000.00
Haringey 6th Form	£2,000.00
UK Youth	£1,250.00
Jack Petchey Foundation	£1,900.00
St Ignatius School	£1,344.00
Sported	£1,320.00
Refunds	£790.21
Richard Horlock	£200.00
Opponent Club	£35.00

FINANCES

EXPENDITURE

From June 1st, 2025, to May 31st, 2026, our total expenditure was £55,406. Our largest cost was staff salaries (£18,046), reflecting our commitment to providing high-quality youth work, coaching, and mentoring and programme delivery throughout the year.

We invested £12,471 in equipment during the year. Of this, £11,442 was spent on portable floodlights (75% of the cost funded by a grant from The Football Foundation).

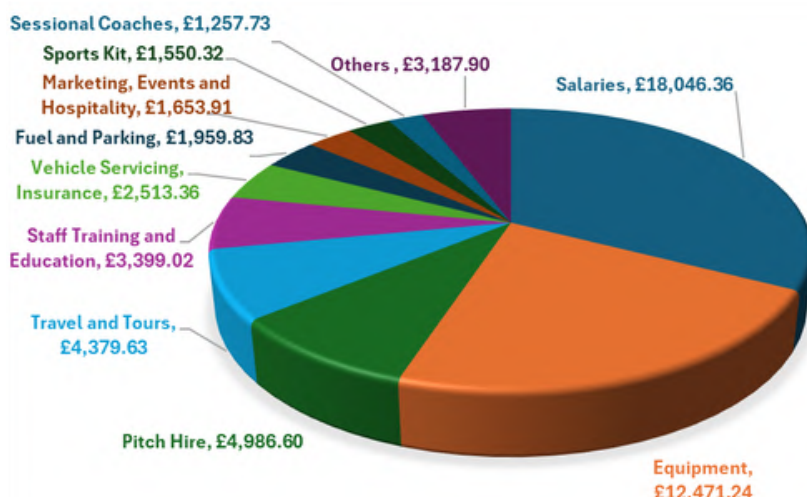
Pitch hire costs totalled £4,987, a reduction compared with previous years. Our minibus, so generously funded by The Hargreaves Foundation in 2024, enables us to access more affordable and, in some cases, free facilities outside the local area. For example, our junior football team trained for free in Walthamstow thanks to support from the Spurs Foundation. Together, these investments have reduced facility costs while increasing the opportunities available to our participants.

Travel and tours cost £4,380, while we invested £3,399 in staff training and education. The operation of our minibus resulted in costs of £2,513 for servicing and insurance, together with £1,960 for fuel and parking. Additional expenditure included marketing, events and hospitality (£1,654), sports kit (£1,550), sessional coaches (£1,258), computing and website costs (£1,082), and affiliation, administration, officials, and tax costs (£1,220).

We are thankful to our amazing trustee and management team who provide their time and expertise for no cost. This means last year 94.6% of our expenditure went directly on providing high quality provision for our participants.

We would like to thank Louise Poor at CIC Accounting Services for her knowledge, expertise, patience to help us in recent years.

Expenditure - June 1st 2025 to May 31st 2026



Salaries	£18,046.36
Equipment	£12,471.24
Pitch Hire	£4,986.60
Travel and Tours	£4,379.63
Staff Training and Education	£3,399.02
Vehicle Servicing, Insurance	£2,513.36
Fuel and Parking	£1,959.83
Marketing, Events and Hospitality	£1,653.91
Sports Kit	£1,550.32
Sessional Coaches	£1,257.73
Computing and Website	£1,082.42
Banking and Accounting	£885.00
Affiliation and Administration	£553.00
Officials	£455.00
Tax	£212.48

STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS (2025-2026)



GENERAL MANAGER	DARREN WILTSHIRE
SAFEGUARDING / WELFARE OFFICER	MARIA BETANCOURT
HEAD OF PERFORMANCE	JEREMY SUHARDI
YOUTH FOOTBALL MANAGER	JAYDEN CLIFFORD HAMILTON
YOUTH FOOTBALL COACH	NATHAN BARIMAH
INCLUSION TEAM MANAGER	JUDE GEOGHEGAN
INCLUSION TEAM COACH	EDDIE PICKERING
ELITE FOOTBALL TEAM MANAGER	JEREMY JONATA
GIRLS FOOTBALL TEAM COACH	CRISTIAN DE CENAL (SPURS FOUNDATION)
HEAD OF YOUTH ADVISORY GROUP	ABEEB SALAMI

CO-FOUNDER	DARREN WILTSHIRE
CO-FOUNDER	MARCUS FOLEY
TRUSTEE	DARREN WILTSHIRE
TRUSTEE	MARCUS FOLEY
TRUSTEE	RAYMOND MIAH
CONSULTANT	ADAM WATKIN
CONSULTANT	VISHNU PADMANABHAN
CONSULTANT	CLAUDIO GARCIA LARA
CONSULTANT	ALAN KUNNA

THANK YOU

We want to express our sincere thanks to **Marcus Foley** for his invaluable contribution to the club. Marcus was part of our team when we won our first league futsal match — a moment we will never forget! He has been a trusted sounding board for ideas and has always offered fantastic advice to help us stay on track. We truly appreciate your support, Marcus. Thank you.



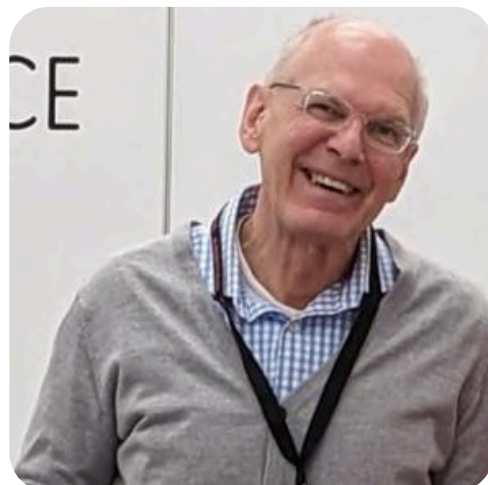
Thank you to **Adam Watkin and Alan Kunna** for assisting our club in recent times as we look to refine and improve various aspects of the charity. Both are always willing to give their time, and provide their expertise to help us improve.



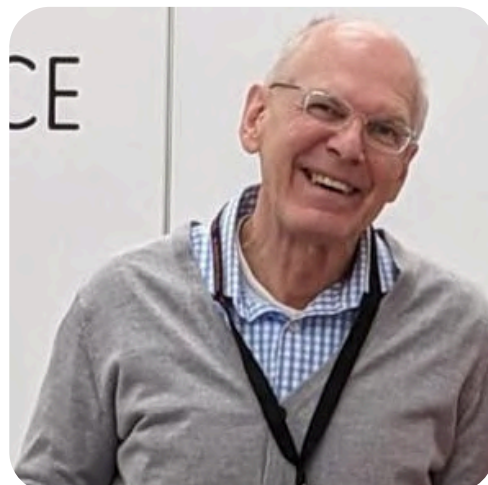
A huge thank you to **Ray Miah** for his commitment and support over the past six years. Ray played a pivotal role in establishing our inclusive football provision at Haringey Sixth Form and has generously dedicated his time to helping the inclusion team develop into what it is today. Always positive, dependable, and willing to lend a hand, Ray now continues his contribution as a trustee of the club. Thank you, Ray, for all that you do.



Maria Betancourt has been a constant source of support for the club, always willing to give her time and help wherever it is needed. She recently joined our walk for Horizons charity,, bringing along her baby and mum to support the cause and be part of the event. We are thankful to Maria for the help she continues to give the students and the club.



We would like to thank **Derek May** for the valuable support and guidance he provided during the club's early development. Introduced to us through amazing Sported's volunteer consultant programme, Derek generously shared so much of his time and expertise over more than two years, helping us build strong foundations for future growth. We remain grateful for his vital contribution. Thank you Derek and sorry we didn't put on a better performance when you came to watch us play!



THANK YOU TO OUR FUNDERS AND SUPPORTERS

WITHOUT YOUR SUPPORT, NONE OF THIS WOULD BE POSSIBLE



THANK YOU TO NORTH STANDARD

We are extremely grateful to NorthStandard for supporting Estudiantes throughout the year. Their generous funding has helped strengthen the club as a whole, enabling us to continue providing opportunities for young people and supporting the delivery of our football, education and community programmes. Their partnership has made a significant contribution to the continued growth and development of the club.



NorthStandard



THANK YOU TO THE NATIONAL LOTTERY COMMUNITY FUND



A huge thank you to The National Lottery Community Fund for their generous support through the Million Hours Fund. Their funding has enabled us to provide a fantastic range of sporting opportunities for young people in the area throughout the academic year.

Thanks to this support, more young people have been able to take part in regular physical activity, develop new skills, improve their fitness, and build confidence through sport.

We are incredibly grateful to The National Lottery Community Fund for helping us make such a positive difference to the lives of our students.



THANK YOU TO THE AMATEUR FA & LONDON FA

We are incredibly grateful for the continued support provided by the Amateur Football Alliance and the London Football Association. Their guidance, encouragement, and ongoing support play a huge role in helping us run our club. Thank you to all the staff for their help again this year.



THANK YOU TOTTENHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL FOUNDATION

THE TOTTENHAM GRAMMAR



SCHOOL FOUNDATION



We are extremely thankful to Tottenham Grammar School Foundation for their continued support for our club. Their support has been fundamental in allowing us to grow as a charity in recent years. It has allowed us to encourage young people to focus on securing the best possible education. One of the best examples is Isam Belmoudden, who has recently completed his degree at Loughborough and is now completing his PGCE so he can become a teacher. Thank you Tottenham Grammar School Foundation.



THANK YOU TO THE HARGREAVES FOUNDATION FOR OUR MINIBUS

Hundreds of opportunities in Education and Sport for hundreds of children have been provided. We are so thankful to the Hargreaves Foundation for providing us with the ability to take our students to various opportunities in the last 18 months, including a memorable trip to Paris for 15 young people. It has made a huge difference to provide safe transportation for all of our participants. Given we are now able to travel to play more away games it has also reduced our expenditure on hiring facilities.



Feedback from Hassan Drumev (below), our inclusion team captain

'Having the bus has helped us a lot, with having good and access to games, and also allowing some parents to feel more comfortable with letting their kid go to certain destinations.'



THANK YOU TO HARINGEY 6TH FORM



**HARINGEY
SIXTH FORM COLLEGE**
SUCCESS AMBITION RESILIENCE

A huge thank you to Haringey Sixth Form College for providing our club with a home in the heart of Tottenham since 2018. Their support has helped create life - changing opportunities for young people. Principal Lisa Westway is pictured with Fabio Teixeira and Isam Belmoudden following their graduation from Loughborough.

We continue to see students from Haringey 6th Form achieve amazing things. The success stories of Owen, Isam and Terell are detailed in this report. Levin Dookhun continues to work full-time having progressed from an Entry-level study programme at Haringey 6th Form through his BTEC studies to secure full-time employment at his former school, Riverside. During this time, he became a qualified coach and official in both in football and futsal. His achievements were recognised in 2022 when he was awarded English Football's Young Volunteer of the Year. During his time at Haringey 6th form he achieved 100% attendance in all of his lessons.

We would also like to recognise the achievements of another fantastic graduate from Haringey 6th Form. Ashley Kasirye (right) has been a part of the inclusion team for over 5 years, and continues to lead the line for the team in their fixtures. Ashley has worked incredibly hard to progress from his Entry level qualifications, through his BTEC. He has recently gained employment for the first time. Credit to Ashley for this fantastic achievement.



THANK YOU TO THE FOOTBALL FOUNDATION

We are extremely thankful to The Football Foundation for supporting us to buy portable floodlights. It has created additional opportunities for our participants to train through the winter months. We would like to say thank you to Hariney Council, especially Lee and Iliyan at New River Sports Stadium for all of their support to help us run sessions this year.



Before...



After...



THANK YOU TO SPORTED



Thank you to Sported who continue to offer us a wide range of support. Since starting the club in 2018, Sported's support has been vital to help us grow. Their amazing volunteer consultant programme connected us to Derek May, who was influential in helping us secure funding, improve our infrastructure and become a registered charity. Beyond this Sported have provided funding, organisational development, and practical guidance to strengthen our capacity.

This year Sported were kind enough to provide us with 18 tickets to see the Premier League game between Arsenal F.C and Manchester City. The tickets were awarded to those who have shown a great attitude to their education at the start of the academic year. The average attendance of the students who went to match was 98.6% this academic year, with most attending Haringey Sixth Form College.



A special thank you to Onyinye Nkemdirim for this AMAZING opportunity!



THANK YOU TO THE JACK PETCHEY FOUNDATION

A huge thank you to the Jack Petchey for their continued support for our club. Their achievement award allows us to recognise outstanding performance of students. for the period July to December 2025, Diamend Gebrehiwet (below left) won the award for his commitment to improve his fitness, alongside his excellent start to his studies at Haringey 6th Form.

Our award winner for the period January to June 2026 was David Ripa (below right) for showing an excellent attitude throughout the year. An important part of our inclusion team for two years now, David has made great progress and has now created a disability football team for young players at Haringey 6th Form College. David has shown an excellent attitude to his studies, and has also worked hard to improve his fitness. David has developed a great deal of confidence through the year.



We were also able to present a leaders award to Jayden Clifford-Hamilton for his absolutely incredible commitment to creating a fantastic junior football programme for children in the local community. The £1000 award was put towards allow Jayden, his assistant coach Nathan Barimah and Jeremy Jonata to take their UEFA C coaching licence with the English FA. A huge thank you to the Jack Petchey Foundation for supporting our club and young people.



THANK YOU TO HORIZONS

We would like to say thank you to Horizons for the supporting our charity in 2025/2026.

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Horizons is a charity that creates equity of access to life-changing experiences for children and young people in Haringey and Enfield. Their support has helped to fund our football provision this academic year.



100 KILOMETRES

— 36 PEOPLE. 1 CHALLENGE. 1 CAUSE. —

OWEN	BERNI	GLORIA	MALAKAI
SEIDE	DJIBRIL	FRANEK	GIBRIL
NATHAN	RIPA	KAI	JASON
OSCAR	BEN	MAHREZ	ANDRE
MICHAEL	JUDE	AYO	NICO
EUYEL	JEREMY	MIGUEL	MATHEUS
SAHEED	DARREN	CRIS	YOTAM
ASHLEY	MARIA	ADIL	ZION
GOMES	SIENNA	ROY	RAILIN

#100kinMay



As part of the Horizons 100k in May fundraising challenge, in May 2026, we organised a 100k challenge for our participants. 36 people attended to walk and run a combined total of 100 kilometres. It was followed by a football match between supporters of Arsenal and PSG. We are thankful to Lee and Iliyan at Haringey Council for allowing us to use the New River stadium and track for the event.



THANK YOU TO BOOSTING YOUR TALENT

Thank you to Claudio Garcia Lara and Boosting Your Talent for their support again this year. More than a shirt sponsor, Claudio has helped the club since the very start. It was absolutely fantastic to welcome him to our game against Fulham Academy this year. As a PRO Licence coach it was a great opportunity for our players and coaches to all learn and improve.

Claudio also spent time in Argentina developing opportunities for the club and our students. He was also kind enough to donate shirts and football equipment to our club here in London. Thank you for your ongoing support Claudio



THANK YOU ESTUDIANTES DE LA PLATA



We are proud to have the support of with the legendary Argentine sports club Estudiantes de La Plata, world champions in 1968. Based in La Plata, Argentina, Estudiantes de La Plata is one of the country's most historic and successful football clubs. Champions of Argentina in 2025, they have won the Argentine championship seven times and claimed the prestigious Copa Libertadores on four occasions.

We are incredibly grateful to Juan Sebastián Verón, president of Estudiantes de La Plata, for his support of our club here in London as well as Alejandro Mazaroni, Gabriel Pregal, and Luis Alvarez Gelves.

Thank you to Claudio Garcia Lara for helping to create the connection to Estudiantes de La Plata and for helping to strengthen the relationship this year during his trip to Argentina.



Allá hay una escuela

El origen está en Haringey Sixth Form, el instituto donde se apoya el proyecto, y en la iniciativa de Darren y Marous Foley, cofundador de Estudiantes London. Ambos buscaban unir fútbol y educación en una propuesta concreta para jóvenes del barrio. El nombre apareció por una afinidad directa: Estudiantes, en inglés, remite a students. En La Plata, además, remite a una institución que hizo de la formación una parte central de su identidad y que fue precisamente en Inglaterra donde tocó la cima del mundo aquel 18 de octubre de 1968.

Wiltshire ya tenía una relación previa con el fútbol argentino. Viajó por Sudamérica, miró partidos en Argentina y se formó como entrenador con una mirada muy marcada por el juego. También siguió la historia de Estudiantes y encontró en Juan Sebastián Verón una inspiración, una idea compatible con la suya: la de brindar oportunidades con educación, pertenencia y trabajo social.



We are incredibly grateful to Juan Sebastián Verón, president of Estudiantes de La Plata, for his support of our club here in the UK. We would like to place on record our thanks to Leandro Tomossi for his interest and enthusiasm for our club and for his article on our club.

We would like to also thank Nico Cocchiararo, for his contribution to help our club. He was instrumental in allowing us to develop a positive relationship with Estudiantes de La Plata. Nico, a keen marathon runner, has recently moved from London to Spain. We thank him for helping Estudiantes London grow and wish him well for his future.



CAPTURING THE MOMENT

Thank you to Paul Lamolony and Delmiro Blanco Lemos for their incredible photography again this year. It has allowed us to capture great moments at the club.



Reference and Administrative details

Estudiantes CIO

Registered Charity : 1204385

Registration Date : 17 August 2023 with the Charity Commission for England and Wales

Trustees

Darren Wiltshire

Marcus Foley

Raymond Miah

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Purposes of the Charity Operate in north-eastern Haringey using sport to drive academic improvement / boost life chances for young people

1. Weekly sports training
2. Access to Sports fixtures and competitions
3. School attendance/engagement monitoring
4. Coaching and refereeing training opportunities

Public benefit statement

The Trustees confirm that they have complied with their duty under section 4 of the Charities Act 2006 to have due regard to the guidance on public benefit published by the Charity Commission. In doing so, the Trustees have ensured that the activities of Estudiantes are carried out to further its charitable purposes for the public benefit.

The financial statements of Estudiantes have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out in notes to the accounts and comply with the charity's governing document, the Charities Act 2011 and Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland published on 16 July 2014.



Thank you for taking the time to read our annual report.

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