



# GIRONA FUTBOL CLUB

## 2 WEEK RESIDENCY PROGRAM

# ABOUT GIRONA FC



Over the recent years, the club's transformation process has been catalysed due to its integration into the City Football Group, on-the-pitch performance and a well-defined business-oriented vision.



These have resulted in a significant growth, turning Girona FC into a high-performing sports, social and business platform which has led to a top 3 finish in La Liga, qualifying for the UEFA Champions League 2024-2025.



# A CLUB IN CONSTANT GROWTH

## Top 3 LaLiga

Girona has recently secured a historic finish in the top 3 of LaLiga with notable wins against Madrid and Barcelona this past season.

## New Facilities

With success comes expansion! Girona is in process of building their own stadium, new training facilities and a bigger residency.

## Champions League

The club will compete in the biggest European competition of all next year. The UEFA Champions league. This year, the streets of Girona will be livelier than ever!



# THE PROGRAM

## *About the program*



- The **2 week residency program** gives players and parents a chance to **immerse** themselves in a European club and **assess** where they stand in comparison.
- This **experience differs** to most programs due to its **exclusivity** in limiting the **# of players** hosted yearly and eliminating the necessity to stay with an **independent** or **affiliated academy** like most programs.

- Our **mission** is to give players the **opportunity** at a full **authentic** experience as a **youth talent** living in the **residence**, **training** as Girona academy player and being **assessed** by their **coaches** for future development.
- Our **partnership** with **Girona FC & Tomo Sports** – creates a chain of opportunity for **Japanese** and **American** players to have a quality **experience**.

## *Vision*



# GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

## Immersion

We want to give players a full immersive and authentic opportunity to train and reside at a European club. If you were scouted and asked to join the club – this is what it would be like!

## Experience

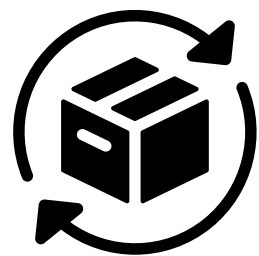
Often players experience these opportunities attached to “International Academies”. What makes this experience is you train with the actual academy teams!

## Evaluation

Complete your stay and receive a full comprehensive assessment from both your morning coaches and the team coaches.



# COST + WHAT'S INCLUDED



## **4,000 EUROS (21% VAT INCLUDED)**

- Full room & board in Girona Residency
- Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner buffets
- Girona FC Training Kit
- Transportation to and from Training
- Transportation to and from Airport
- 3-4 Weekly Team Eve sessions
- 4-5 Weekly Morning Group sessions
- LaLiga Matches (possible Copa Del Rey)
- Gaming Room
- Study Room



A group of young soccer players and a coach are gathered on a field at dusk. The players are wearing red jerseys and black shorts, while the coach is wearing a black jacket and a yellow vest. They are all smiling and talking to each other. The background shows a soccer field with a goal and a fence.

# PROJECT TIMELINE

This year, in partnership with Girona, we have gained access to 4 periods throughout the calendar year where players are eligible to reside for 2 weeks.

# RESIDENCY PERIODS

01

**AUG 25 – SEPT 9**

Each period is a **two week stay** in duration.

02

**OCT 20 – NOV 9**

Players will stay in the residency **during the week** with the option to venture out with parents during the weekends.

03

**JAN 12 – FEB 8**

Players will **share rooms** with other players, allotted **study** time periods, access to a **gaming** room and **meals** prepared by **chef**.

04

**MAY 4 – 24**

The **2nd** and **3rd** periods tend to be the most booked during the year.





# TESTIMONIALS



**Espie C.** (Parent of Ethan – Jan 2024 Attendee)



It's really been amazing! I was highly surprised! We've been on a lot of international trips and events. This is the first time I've felt this experience is more than anything I could ask for. He's told me multiple times he didn't want to leave but we have no choice. His speed of play and confidence has been night and day.



**Peter H.** (Parent of Dean – Jan 2024 Attendee)



You hear about a lot of these programs and often don't know whether you're gonna be with the B or C team and that's the risk. But then you see you're with the actual team and can get an honest assessment of where you are, and being from North America, how you compare to European talent.



**Blue D.** (January 2024 Attendee)



Not being able to understand the language during the team sessions was the most difficult thing because I like to be able to know what's happening so I can give 100%. The games in the Stadium, the intensity of the sessions and leaving as a champion in Teqball were all highlights for me!

# COACH REVIEW



## Pau Torres (Coach of U13 Team)



To be honest, I was very surprised about their quality. Their technical quality and ability. To come into an environment and train under a different methodology and way of training is very difficult. Even though players like Ethan and Dean were smaller, they demonstrated along with Blue that they have great technical ability to match the technical levels of the Girona players.

The biggest impression they left was their commitment to their desire to one day be able to be professionals and their perseverance to improve during the two weeks. During training both in the morning and in the afternoons.

My hope is that the next group that comes, if it does come and I can, I would like them to be as professional as this group was, both their involvement in terms of their commitment to football and all of this.



# PAYMENT REQUIREMENTS

**PLEASE BE ADVISED:**

UPON ACCEPTANCE OF YOUR APPLICATION - A NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT OF 21% OF THE TOTAL FEE IS DUE TO SECURE YOUR SPOT IN THE PROGRAM STARTING 2 MONTHS BEFORE.

**FULL PAYMENT:**

THE REMAINING BALANCE IS TO BE PAID BY ONE MONTH PRIOR TO YOUR ARRIVAL DATE VIA INTERNATIONAL WIRE TRANSFER. EX: IF YOUR ARRIVAL IS AUG 25TH, YOUR BALANCE IS DUE JULY 25TH.

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