

FAW / UEFA C LICENCE FAQ'S

What is the FAW/UEFA C Licence?

The FAW/UEFA C Licence has been designed to support coaches transitioning from the FAW C Certificate. It will further enhance the coaching tools developed on the FAW C Certificate and is the first UEFA recognised grassroots award.

Is the FAW/UEFA C Licence a requirement to apply for the FAW/UEFA B Licence?

Yes, the FAW/UEFA C Licence will be required from the 1st January 2024.

What are the prerequisites to access the FAW/UEFA C Licence?

Coaches wishing to access the FAW/UEFA C Licence must have the following qualifications.

- FAW C Certificate
- FAW First Aid
- FAW Safeguarding

I currently hold an FAW C Certificate Youth or FAW C Certificate Senior, can I access the FAW UEFA C Licence?

To access the FAW/UEFA C Licence, coaches are required to hold the Youth and Senior pathways of the FAW C Certificate. You can access the Youth/Senior transition workshops via www.fawcourses.com and complete online.

When are the FAW UEFA C Licence courses dates?

Courses dates will be continuously accessible across the year via www.fawcourses.com and will be available from Monday 30th January 2023.



What is the duration of the course?

You will need to complete x1 online introductory webinar and x2 practical days to include a practical assessment.

What is included in the practical assessment?

Coaches will be required to work in pairs to deliver a 20-minute practical session. The assessment process will be supported by an FAW mentor who will also provide written feedback post course. The assessment is a pass or fail process.

What happens if I don't pass the assessment?

Coaches who are deemed unsuccessful in the first practical assessment will have a further two opportunities to complete a re-assessment.

How long can I wait between assessments?

This is an individual journey for coaches and therefore guidance on the timeframes will be provided within the feedback document.

Does the course include any distance learning?

Yes, coaches will be required to complete x1 online task as well as x4 session plans and reflective logs.

After completing the FAW C Certificate is there a timeframe to apply for the FAW/UEFA C Licence?

Coaches are provided with feedback on completion of the FAW C Certificate, which will include a suggested timeframe between courses. This is only a guide to support a coaches development and there is no fixed timeframe.



What is the cost of the course?

The cost of the course for domestic coaches is £500 and the cost for non-domestic coaches is £400. The discount is applied to coaches who meet **two out of three following criteria:**

- Coach in Wales
- FAW educated
- Live in Wales

Can funding be accessed to support a place on the course?

Yes, all grassroots clubs can apply for funding to cover the cost of the course through the Sport Wales Be Active fund. www.sport.wales/grants-and-funding/beactivewalesfund/

On completion of the FAW/UEFA C Licence, when can I apply for the FAW/UEFA B Licence?

UEFA recommends a 3–6-month period of working at UEFA C Licence level before accessing the FAW/UEFA B Licence. You will also be provided with guidance on timeframes within the feedback document.

I would like to apply for the FAW/UEFA B Licence as I already have a valid FAW C Certificate and I don't want to access the FAW/UEFA C Licence. Can I access the FAW/UEFA B Licence?

You can apply for the FAW/UEFA B Licence during 2023 with a valid FAW C Certificate. However, we cannot guarantee acceptance on the course. The FAW/UEFA C Licence will be mandatory to apply for the FAW/UEFA B Licence from the 1st January 2024.

How long does the FAW/UEFA C Licence last for after successfully completing the course? How do I revalidate?

The FAW/UEFA C Licence is valid for 3 years. For example, if you complete the course in October 2023, it will be valid until December 31st 2026. To revalidate, coaches will need to gain 15 credits through our Grassroots CPD programme or access the FAW/UEFA B Licence.

