

MLS Elite Program Financial Aid Application – Instructions

Please complete form in full when applying for <u>Financial Aid for the **2020-21** South Florida Football Academy</u> <u>Please note that we have a limited amount of Financial Aid funds available</u>, therefore; we <u>may not</u> be able to <u>grant</u> you <u>the full amount requested</u>. To assist in paying your child's club fee we suggest parents attempt to solicit donations/sponsorships in part or in full from local businesses and/or family members. SFFA is a not-forprofit organization. Therefore, any such donations/sponsorships are tax deductible for businesses that make them. Please note that we can only offer a maximum 50% of the club fee in financial aid for those who qualify for aid. Also, Financial Aid <u>does not cover</u> the required deposit and/or tournament and travel fees.

In order to receive Financial Aid, Parents, and/or High School age players will be required <u>to provide a</u> <u>minimum of 50 hours of volunteer service</u> to SFFA. High School players can use these hours to satisfy their need for required community service hours. These hours can be completed during SFFA related events, during your child practices times, and may include a variety of activities associated with running the organization. When you apply for the Financial Aid you will be assigned tasks (with specific date and time when you will have to help the club). After completing monthly service hours SFFA will issue you a credit on your account.

<u>Failure to complete</u> these hours or <u>refusing 3 consecutive</u> requests to volunteer will result in the

SFFA Finance Committee withdrawing any financial aid given and you will be <u>responsible</u> <i>for full payment of all program fees.

Please <u>fill out</u> the attached <u>form</u> in its <u>entirety</u>.

Attach a copy of <u>last year's 1040 tax return</u>). You need to submit a copy of a utility bill, and last year's <u>report card for each child</u>. The \$500 deposit to secure your child's registration <u>is not included</u> in financial aid and must be paid. Payment arrangements can be made for the deposit amount.

Please mail these forms to: SFFA FINANCIAL AID

P O Box 880544 Boca Raton, FL 33488-0544

Please Email these forms to: sffa_registrar@sffada.com

If you have any questions regarding this application or club financial matters in general please email <u>sffa_registrar@sffada.com</u> Thank you,



South Florida Football Academy

MLS Elite Program

Application for Financial Aid

Player's Name	Age Group	:
Mother's or Guardian's Name: Father's or Guardian's Name:		
Home Address :	~	
Street	City	Zip
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	
E-mail address:		
Family Size:		
No. of Children in GBYSA/Boca Untied Programs/	/SFFA:	
Please Explain Your Need for Financial Aid and/or	any other relevant circums	tances ¹

¹ The SFFA Board of Directors reserves the right to request income verification before completing its review and taking action on any financial aid request. Information obtained from this application and/or the income verification process shall remain confidential and will be reviewed only by the SFFA Financial Aid Sub-Committee.



\$2300.00 –MLS Elite Program Boys U12, U13, U14, U15, U16/17 & U18/19 (Maximum aid amount is 50%)

Non- Refundable Deposit	\$ 500.00 (not part of financial aid request)	
Balance	\$ 1800.00	
Amount You Can Pay	\$	
Amount of Aid Requested	\$	
How will payments be structured?		

We (I) certify that to the best of my knowledge the above information is true and accurate. We (I) understand and agree to the volunteer requirements associated with receiving financial aid.

Parent or Guardian Signature

Date

Mail form to: sffa_registrar@sffada.com

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Request Approved	Request Denied
Amount Requested	\$
Amount Approved	\$
Required Family Contribution	\$



\$2000.00 –MLS Elite Program HS Boys U15, U16/17 & U18/19 PLAYING High School (Maximum aid amount is 50%)

Non- Refundable Deposit	\$ 500.00 (not part of financial aid request)	
Balance	\$ 1500.00	
Amount You Can Pay	\$	
Amount of Aid Requested	\$	
How will payments be structured?		

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Parent or Guardian Signature

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uest Denied

SFFA Financial Aid Administrator

Date



Financial Aid Requested

I would like to volunteer for the following Tasks as part of my 50 Hour Community Service REQUIRED to receive the financial Aid I applied for.

- Field Lining (I will come to the fields to line the fields for games
- I will come to my child's games one hour before the game to set up for said game.
- I will help the Administration with collecting paperwork for tournaments and away games.
- I will help with any events needing Volunteers
- I will help with clerical work, either helping in the office or at Registration and or soccer events.

I understand that I must complete 50 Hours Community service hours during the course of the 2020-21 Season to receive Financial Aide

Signature	 Date
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