

ITTF COACH ACCREDITATION SYSTEM

The ITTF Coach Accreditation system began in 2004, as a means to assist those countries without their own Coach Accreditation system in place.

The ITTF Level 1 Coaching Manual was released and has sold over 18,000 copies in English, French, Spanish and Arabic. In subsequent print runs ParaTableTennis Level 1 was added.

More than 400 ITTF Level 1 Courses have been conducted worldwide.

In 2008, the ITTF Advanced Coaching Manual for use in ITTF Level 2, ITTF Level 3 and ITTF High Performance courses became available in English, French and Spanish and in 2010 Arabic was released.

Over 50 ITTF Level 2 courses have been conducted to date.

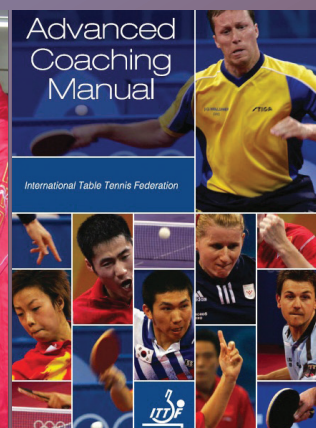
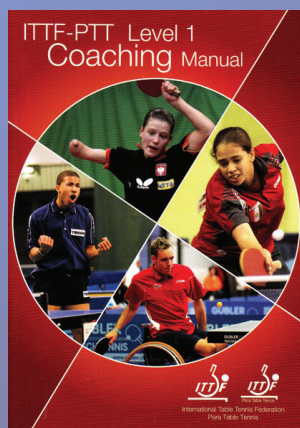
ITTF Level 3 commenced in 2012 and ITTF High Performance will start in the coming years.

COACH EDUCATION

COURSE	LEVEL	TARGET GROUP	DURATION (HOURS)	PRE-REQUISITES	HOW TO ACCESS
Community Leaders	Basic Introduction	Community Leaders	3	None	3 options: 1. Olympic Solidarity Technical or DNSS Course
School Teachers	Basic Introduction for School Teachers	School Teachers	6	None	
Club Coach	Basic Introduction for Club Coaches	Club Coaches	12	None	
PTT (Para Table Tennis) Level 1	Base Level	ITTF Development Program Courses	12	None	2. ITTF Development Program Course on rotation basis
ITTF-PTT Level 1	Base Level		30	None	
ITTF Level 2	Intermediate	State-Province Level Coaches	36	ITTF Level 1 Certification	3. Self-funded
ITTF Level 3	Advanced	National Level Coaches	48	ITTF Level 2 Certification + ITTF Level 2 Exam minimum 75%	
ITTF High Performance	High Performance	National Team Coaches	144	ITTF Level 3 Certification + ITTF Level 3 Exam minimum 75%	

COURSE CONDUCTOR TRAINING

COURSE	TARGET	DURATION (DAYS)	PRE-REQUISITES	HOW TO ACCESS
ITTF-PTT Level 1	Multi-skilled people with the following characteristics: Technical knowledge, Presentation and communication skills, open minded, solution oriented, flexible, organized but able to improvise, good administration and computers skills and open to other cultures.	2	ITTF-PTT Level 1 Certification	3 options: 1. Olympic Solidarity Technical or DNSS Course 2. ITTF Development Program Course on rotation basis 3. Self-funded
ITTF Level 2		2	ITTF Level 1 Course Conductor	ITTF Invitation only
ITTF Level 3		2	ITTF Level 2 Course Conductor	ITTF Invitation only



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COURSE	LEVEL	TARGET GROUP	ACCREDITATION REQUIREMENTS	TIME	RESOURCES	PREREQUISITE
Community Leaders Course	Basic Introduction	Community Leaders	Non accredited course-participation certificate presented	3 hours	ITTF-PTT Level 1 Coaching Manual	-
School Teachers Course	Basic Introduction for School Teachers	School Teachers	Non accredited course-participation certificate presented	6 hours	ITTF-PTT Level 1 Coaching Manual	-
Club Coach Course	Basic Introduction for Club Coaches	Club Coaches	Non accredited course-participation certificate presented	12 hours	ITTF-PTT Level 1 Coaching Manual	-
PTT Level 1	Base Level	ITTF Development Program Courses Olympic Solidarity Courses	1. Coaching Course-full attendance 2. Pass the Practical Coaching Presentation 3. 30 hours Coaching Practice [including 5 hours of supervised coaching]	12 hours	ITTF-PTT Level 1 Coaching Manual	-
ITTF Level 1 Course	Base Level	ITTF Development Program Courses Olympic Solidarity Courses	1. Coaching Course-full attendance 2. Pass the Practical Coaching Presentation 3. 30 hours Coaching Practice [including 5 hours of supervised coaching]	24 hours	ITTF-PTT Level 1 Coaching Manual	-
ITTF-PTT Level 1 Course	Base Level	ITTF Development Program Courses Olympic Solidarity Courses	1. Coaching Course-full attendance 2. Pass the Practical Coaching Presentation 3. 30 hours Coaching Practice [including 5 hours of supervised coaching and 5 hours with para-athletes]	24 hours 30 hours	ITTF-PTT Level 1 Coaching Manual	-
ITTF Level 2 Course	Intermediate	State-Province Level Coaches ITTF Development Program Courses Olympic Solidarity Courses	1. Coaching Course-full attendance 2. ITTF Level 2 Exam-minimum 50% 3. 50 hours Coaching Practice [including 5 hours of supervised coaching]	36 hours	ITTF Advanced Coaching Manual	ITTF Level 1 Certificate
ITTF Level 3 Course	Advanced	National Level Coaches Continental HPC	1. Coaching Course-full attendance 2. ITTF Level 3 Exam-minimum 50% 3. 80 hours Coaching Practice [including 5 hours of supervised coaching]	48 hours	ITTF Advanced Coaching Manual	ITTF Level 2 Certificate + ITTF Level 2 Exam minimum 75%
ITTF High Performance	High Performance	National Team Coaches	1. Coaching Course-full attendance 2. ITTF HP Exam-minimum 50% 3. 100 hours Coaching Practice [including 5 hours of supervised coaching]	144 hours	ITTF Advanced Coaching Manual	ITTF Level 3 Certificate + ITTF Level 3 Exam minimum 75%

- Community Leader, School Teachers and Club Coach Courses count towards ITTF Level 1 Course if upgrading within a 4 year period
- **Coaching Practice** must be completed **after** the course and all requirements must be completed within 4 years of the completion date of the course
- **Supervised Coaching** must be completed by a person agreed with the Course Conductor such as National Coach, School Principal, NOC member etc
- Accreditation is valid for a period of 8 years from date accredited, after which re-accreditation must occur
- ITTF Coach Accreditation Course Requirements:
 - Minimum 10, maximum 30 participants[ITTF-PTT L1], Minimum 10, maximum 20 participants[ITTF L2, ITTF L3]
 - Each participant must have their own copy of the ITTF Coaching Manual at the commencement of the course
 - A maximum of 4 coaches per available table tennis table
 - A minimum of 50 balls and 2 containers per table for multiball
 - At minimum a whiteboard and sit down theory area and projector and laptop for presentations as required
 - [Ideally one wheelchair, one pair of crutches, canadian crutches and walking sticks per table(Minimum one set of each)-PTT Level 1 only]

