# ★ FIGHT SPORTS ★ SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME

REMOVING BARRIERS. BUILDING FUTURES.

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Martial arts is the vehicle. Youth development is the outcome.

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## 2 ABOUT FIGHT SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP CIC

### WHO WE ARE

Fight Sports Scholarship CIC is a community interest company dedicated to removing financial barriers and creating life-changing opportunities for children and young people through martial arts.

### OUR MISSION

To empower young people through martial arts, mentoring and community support so they can build confidence, resilience and positive futures.

We believe no young person should miss out because of cost.

### OUR VALUES

- **INCLUSION** We welcome everyone.
- **RESPECT** We treat everyone with dignity.
- **EMPOWERMENT** We help young people believe in themselves.
- **DISCIPLINE** We build focus, commitment and responsibility.
- **COMMUNITY** We are stronger together.



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## 3 WHY THIS PROGRAMME EXISTS

**FINANCIAL BARRIERS**
The rising cost of living means many families cannot afford extracurricular activities like martial arts.

**MISSED OPPORTUNITIES**
Without access to positive activities, young people can struggle with confidence, wellbeing and belonging.

**EARLY INTERVENTION MATTERS**
Providing the right support at the right time helps prevent future challenges and creates positive life outcomes.



We help remove financial barriers so more young people can access life-changing opportunities through martial arts.

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## 4 THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME

**WHO CAN APPLY?**
Children and young people experiencing financial hardship referred by schools, youth organisations or professionals within our community who meet our eligibility criteria and show commitment.

**HOW REFERRALS WORK**
Referrals come from schools and trusted partners. Contributions are ensured support is fair, transparent and impactful.

**WHAT'S INCLUDED?**
Individually tailored martial arts training, coaching, mentoring and development support, based on each young person's needs and goals.

**HOW LONG DOES SUPPORT LAST?**
Each scholarship is tailored to the individual, typically reviewed every 6–12 months.

**WHAT DOES SUCCESS LOOK LIKE?**
Young people growing in confidence, skills and resilience, progressing in martial arts and in their community.

Each annual scholarship is valued at £1,500 per young person.

Full details of what is included on the next page.

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## 5 WHAT SCHOLARSHIP SUPPORT MAY INCLUDE

- Weekly martial arts training
- Private coaching where appropriate
- One-to-one mentoring
- Structured development planning
- Wellbeing support
- Goal-setting, advice and guidance
- Progress reviews
- Family engagement and support
- Grading and competition support where appropriate
- Volunteer and leadership opportunities
- Equipment support where needed and funding allows



BUILDING SKILLS FOR LIFE | SUPPORTING WELLBEING | CREATING POSITIVE FUTURES

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## 6 MEASURING SUCCESS

We measure more than attendance. We measure impact.

**PARTICIPATION**
- Attendance
- Retention
- Consistency

**PROGRESS**
- Grading achievement
- Skills development
- Leadership
- Goal achievement

**PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT**
- Confidence
- Resilience
- Behaviour
- Emotional regulation

**FAMILY OUTCOMES**
- Parent feedback
- Family engagement

**COMMUNITY OUTCOMES**
- Reduced isolation
- Positive peer networks
- Volunteering
- Community contribution

Real stories. Real change. Lasting impact.
Case studies and testimonials available on request.

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## 7 SCHOLARSHIP INVESTMENT

COST OF ONE SCHOLARSHIP

**£1,500**

PER YOUNG PERSON, PER YEAR

This investment provides up to 12 months of individually tailored martial arts training, coaching, mentoring and development support.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

| INVESTMENT | IMPACT |
|---|---|
| £1,500 | Sponsor one young person for one year |
| £7,500 | Sponsor five young people |
| £15,000 | Sponsor ten young people |
| £30,000 | Sponsor twenty young people |
| £75,000 | Sponsor fifty young people |

Every contribution creates opportunity. Every young person benefits for life.

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## 8 WHY INVEST?

Investment in the Fight Sports Scholarship Programme helps:

- Remove financial barriers
- Provide young people with confidence
- Build stronger families
- Build stronger communities
- Reduce youth risk factors
- Create safer, healthier futures
- Support long-term positive outcomes



EVERY SCHOLARSHIP REPRESENTS AN INVESTMENT IN A YOUNG PERSON'S FUTURE.

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## 9 WORKING TOGETHER

We welcome partnerships with:

- Local schools
- Local businesses
- Housing associations
- Charitable trusts
- Businesses
- Community groups
- Health & wellbeing organisations

Together we can ensure more young people access opportunities that transform lives and strengthen our community.



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## 10 GET INVOLVED

- **SPONSOR** Partner a new scholarship.
- **PARTNER** Work with us to support young people.
- **REFER** Refer a young person who could benefit.
- **DONATE** Your donation changes lives.

Together we can remove financial barriers and create life-changing opportunities.

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