# Welcome to Our World

At Little Kickers the focus is very much on fun. We offer a national network of informal yet professionally run training classes where enthusiastic boys and girls (18mths to 8th birthday) are given a helping hand to stand on their own two feet.

Of course we believe that a head start in sport is a fantastic investment in the future and naturally we'd be pleased as punch if any of our former pupils go on to greater glories in the golden game.

However, Little Kickers is not a guaranteed passport to soccer fame! The real goal of Little Kickers is to use soccer as a fun forum to instill in children a little extra confidence, coordination, control and sense of camaraderie, which we feel will stand them in very good stead for the future.

Guided by the likes of FA qualified coaches, nursery school teachers, child health specialists and proactive parents the Little Kickers programme is an ever-evolving quest to teach fundamental soccer techniques and elementary life skills in a vibrant group play environment.

Invaluable social skills like listening, sharing, taking turns and teamwork are conscientiously woven into an involving programme that places as much emphasis on simple learning concepts like colours and numbers as it does on fine-tuning a child's basic balance, agility and coordination.

## Get in touch with us now!

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Planting the seeds of grassroots soccer

Approved soccer training for children from 18 months – 8th birthday

## Our classes and our approach

We have four different soccer classes each tailored to a different age group. However, we have two core beliefs that we take into every session.

Firstly, we believe in something we call "Play not Push". It means teaching football in a fun, pressure-free environment. We want to give children a positive introduction to sport as a whole, not just soccer, so they're more likely to stay healthy and active throughout their lives.

Secondly, we believe soccer can be educational. Coached in the right way it can stimulate imagination and aid early development skills such as learning colours and numbers, mathematics and counting, social development, following instructions and playing as a team. Not only that, but it's great for confidence building too. Whilst our children are all having fun playing our imaginative soccer games they are also learning without even realising.

It's an approach that has bagged us numerous awards and helped us expand globally since we began in 2002. And like all our Kickers, we never stop learning. We're continually improving and updating our classes, based on feedback and input from child health specialists as well as our network of over 2,500 soccer coaches worldwide.



#### **Little Kicks**

 $18 \text{ months} - 2\frac{1}{2} \text{ years}$ 

#### **Junior Kickers**

2½ years - 3½ years









### **Mighty Kickers**

3½ years - 5th birthday

### **Mega Kickers**

5 - 8th birthday





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