

UEA Sport Colour Criteria Document

Colours are awarded to recognise the outstanding work and performance of our students related to their sport and their sporting clubs during their time at UEA. Colours are awarded for both high performance (Full and Half Colours) and club contributions (Club Colours) as follows:

FULL UEA COLOURS

To qualify for the award of Full Colours, individuals need to have met one or more of the following criteria for at least one academic year and be a regular member of the UEA 1st Team in their sport (where applicable):

Full Colours will only be awarded for sports recognised by Sport England, as part of the BUCS programme or the overall student sporting programme at UEA

NB: BUCS results, where possible, will be the primary competition from which decisions are made. For competitions outside of BUCS, full details must be listed (i.e. number of participants in competition, numbers of clubs/Universities that participated, how this fits into NGB performance pathway).

- Representing their sport at a national or international level (will accept 'senior squad' or 'age related' squads or British Universities competition).
- Awarded a Top 3 Medal Finish in an individual BUCS Championship level competition
- Awarded a Top 3 Medal Finish in a Junior/Age Group European/World Championship
- Individuals representing UEA 1st Team in a BUCS Premier division

HALF UEA COLOURS

To qualify for the award of Half Colours, individuals need to have met one or more of the following criteria for at least one academic year and be a regular member of the UEA 1st Team in their sport (where applicable):

Half Colours will only be awarded for sports recognised by Sport England, part of the BUCS programme or the overall student sporting programme at UEA

NB: BUCS results, where possible, will be the primary competition from which decisions are made from. For competitions outside of BUCS, full details must be listed (i.e. number of participants in competition, numbers of clubs/Universities that participated, how this fits into NGB performance pathway).

- Representing their sport in a National League or at Senior County Level
- Awarded a Top 10 finish in a BUCS Championship level Competition
- Awarded a Top 3 Medal Finish in a Junior/Age Group European/World Championship
- Team Medal in BUCS at Championship level competition
- Individuals representing UEA 1st Team in a BUCS Premier division

UEA CLUB COLOURS

To qualify for the award of Club Colours, a student needs to have demonstrated an outstanding contribution to their club. Each year sports exec and club committee members can nominate members for this award. The club president (or in the case the club president has been nominated, two club committee members) must submit the nomination via the uea+sport team by a set deadline. This must be justified using the following questions as a guide: -

- How has the student been instrumental in the day to day running of the club?
- What role has the student played in the organisation and running of the club's training, fixtures or events?
- How has the student contributed to the club's overall development?
- Was the student involved with fund raising and/or attracting sponsorship for the club?
- How has the student gone above and beyond for the club?