

Kinetic Girls training session at Selhurst Park

It is not every day you get to train on a Premier League pitch but that is exactly what a group of lucky girls from our Kinetic Girls' football academy got to experience as we invited them to a training session at Selhurst Park, home of Premier League team Crystal Palace FC.

Girls from Harris Academies East Dulwich, Sutton, Battersea, Wimbledon, and Crystal Palace joined the session which was hosted by Miss Kick, a female football brand and community which was founded by former Liverpool and Manchester City youth player Grace Vella.

Women's football is the fastest growing sport in the world, but the Youth Sport Trust has identified that secondary age girls are more likely to experience barriers to participation than boys. This innovative football academy aims to inspire over 100 girls at federation schools to participate in organised football with the goal of staying active through to the end of key stage 5.

Additionally, four lucky students have been selected to be Visa Ball Kids at England fixtures during the Women's Euros this summer. Keep an eye out and follow their successes with us. All our participants will be coming together on the 18 July to celebrate the football academy project at a 7aside football festival.



More information to follow.