

Careers in Sport - For High School Students

Athletic Careers

- Professional Athlete
- Coach / Assistant Coach
- Referee / Umpire
- Personal Trainer
- Strength and Conditioning Coach
- Athletic Trainer
- Physical Education Teacher
- Sports Official (e.g. linesperson, timekeeper)

Sports Health & Science

- Physiotherapist / Sports Therapist
- Sports Psychologist
- Kinesiologist
- Nutritionist / Dietitian
- Occupational Therapist (Sports-focused)
- Chiropractor (Sports Injury Specialist)
- Exercise Physiologist
- Biomechanist

Education & Research

- Sports Scientist
- Kinesiology Professor
- Academic Researcher (Sports-related topics)
- Athlete Development Specialist

Media & Communication

- Sports Broadcaster / Commentator
- Sports Journalist / Writer
- Social Media Manager (for sports teams)
- Sports Photographer / Videographer
- Content Creator (e.g. YouTube, TikTok)

Business & Management

- Sports Agent / Manager
- Event Coordinator (e.g. tournaments, leagues)
- Marketing Specialist (for sports brands)
- Sports Economist
- Athletic Director
- Ticketing & Sales Manager
- Merchandise Manager
- Facilities Manager (stadiums, gyms)

Technology & Innovation

- Sports Statistician / Analyst
- Performance Analyst (video and data)
- eSports Player / Coach / Manager
- App or Game Developer (sports-related)
- Wearable Tech Designer (fitness trackers)

Entry-Level / Student Jobs

- Scorekeeper at local games
- Youth sports coach or assistant
- Lifeguard at pools or rec centers

- Front desk at a gym or fitness center
- Volunteer at tournaments or school athletics
- Social media helper for school teams
- Ball kid for pro teams