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Global Education & Sports Partnership

RESIDENTIAL BOYS SOCCER PROGRAM

Hoosac has deep roots in New England soccer, having founded the program over 50 years ago. Since then, the Owls have developed into a school well known for a multicultural soccer experience. Our Varsity team competes against NEPSAC member schools and takes part in the traditional New England Prep School league and tournament play. Our Residential Soccer Program competes against perennial powerhouse NEPSAC programs in addition to youth clubs who represent the MLS Youth League, as well as USYSA and US Club Soccer.

The focus of our program is to provide our players with an

immersive experience that emphasizes technical and tactical development, top physical fitness and nutrition, and athlete specific psychological training.

At the youth level, our players have represented top European clubs such as S.S. Lazio, Liverpool F.C. and Cádiz C.F. Others have competed in the top divisions of youth football in their home countries.

Hoosac's soccer players, both past and present, hail from some of the top soccer playing countries in the world including Brazil, Italy, Spain, Ghana, Bermuda, South Africa, Nigeria, the Dominican Republic, Russia and Serbia.



HOOSAC SCHOOL

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GESP Team College Placement History

Division 1

- Akron University
- Boston College
- Bucknell University
- Colgate University
- Missouri State University
- Northwestern University
- Seton Hall university
- University of North Carolina
- University of Harford

Division 2

- Colby College
- Connecticut College
- Emory
- Gettysburg College
- Hamilton College
- Middlebury College
- RIT
- St. Lawrence University
- St. Olaf College
- Washington and Lee University

The Hoosac Opportunity

- Year-round academy and tuition is \$52,000
- Financial aid available for domestic and international students
- Nine-month residential program August through May
- Twenty-two player roster grades nine through 12 and post-grad (PG)
- Play top boarding schools, club teams, and MLS academies
- Minimum five College Showcases annually
- College coaches invited to run practices and recruit on-campus year-round
- College recruiting advice and guidance
- Year-round speed and strength-training

Hoosac offers boarding and day students opportunities in academics, arts, and athletics. Our student to teacher ratio is 7:1, ensuring students receive individualized attention in a safe and enriching learning community. After class activities include clubs, internship opportunities, and field trips.



Sam DeMello,
Hoosac School Head Coach

The USSF C licensed coach occupies the role as Head Coach and Director of Soccer. DeMello has helped to organize games, friendlies and showcase events against Prep, MLS NEXT, as well as US Club and USYSA organizations. A graduate of Williston Northampton and St. Lawrence University (with a B.A. in Spanish Studies), he also previously worked for Global Premier Soccer MA as a Director of Coaching.

At Hoosac, we seek to develop our players in all areas of life and sport. Technical, Tactical and Psychosocial development are key pillars of our program as we seek to transform young players into those who want to make the step to the collegiate and professional levels.

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