

Coaching Certification Levels

There seems to be some confusion in regards to the proper titles of coach certification levels. Some of us are using the new terminology and some of us are using the old terminology. In order to create consistency and limit confusion, we request that all clubs and coaches utilize the following chart and begin using the updated titles.

Old Title	New Title	What you can Coach
Level 1 Phase 1	CanSkate Trained	Only CanSkate (max of 2 years at this level)
N/A	CanSkate Certified	Only CanSkate (indefinitely, as long as you are registered as a Skate Canada Professional Coach yearly)
Level 1 Phase 2 / Phase 3 / Level 1 Trained	Primary STARSkate Trained	Can coach any level (for a maximum of 2 years while you work on Primary STARSkate Certified status)
Level 1 Phase 4/ Level 1 Certified	Primary STARSkate Certified	Can coach any level indefinitely, as long as you are registered as a Skate Canada Professional Coach yearly
Level 2 Theory	n/a	n/a
Level 2 Technical	ISPC Trained	Can coach any level indefinitely, as long as you are registered as a Skate Canada Professional Coach yearly
Level 2 Practical/ Certified	ISPC Certified	Can coach any level indefinitely, as long as you are registered as a Skate Canada Professional Coach yearly
Level 3, 4, 5		Level 3, 4, 5