Physical Education Curriculum Guide

Year 13

What will my son learn?

AS-Level. OCR Exam board

70% Theory & 30% practical.

The course will be taught and delivered over two vears

Component (01) **35% of total AS Level**Physiological factors affecting performance

Component (02) **35% of total AS Level** Psychological and Socio-cultural themes in physical education.

Component (03) **30% of total AS Level** Performance in physical education One activity. These can be a team or individual activity.

A-Level. OCR Exam board

Component (01) **30% of total A- Level** Physiological factors affecting performance

Component (02) **20% of total A- Level** Psychological factors affecting performance

Component (03) **20% of total A- Level** Social- cultural issues in physical activity and sport

Component (04) **30% of total A- Level** Performance in physical education

BTEC Level 3 Diploma / Extended Diploma. Edexcel Exam board.

This vocational programme of study is 100% coursework. No external exam.

Students will have the option to study over two years completing either twelve units for the Diploma or eighteen units for the Extended Diploma.

Your son will study a combination of Core and Optional units. Units such as; Health and Safety in Sport, to Sport as a Business.

How will my son be assessed?

GCE; 6 periods a week

A01, Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the factors that underpin performance and involvement in physical activity. 1 hour 15 min written paper, 70 marks

A02, Apply knowledge and understanding of the factors that underpin performance and involvement in physical activity and sport. 1 hour 15 min written paper, 70 marks

A03, Analyse and evaluate the factors that underpin performance and involvement in physical activity and sport. Non-exam assessment 60 marks.

A04, Demonstrate and apply relevant skills and techniques in physical activity and sport. Analyse and evaluate performance.

BTEC; 4 periods a week

All units of work contain a number of different assignments that will be completed as coursework. All coursework will be internally verified by the teacher and externally standardised by the exam board.

Students can gain the following grade; PASS, MERIT or DISTINCTION. This is based on the quality of the coursework. Students will be asked to produce work using the following command word; Describe, Explain or Analyse.

Practical performances, presentations & written assignments will form the main basis for assessment.

How can I support my son with Games / PE?

- Parents should ensure their sons have the appropriate kit for their physical education and games lessons.
- If a pupil is unable to participate in a practical activity he should have a letter from home explaining the reason and he will be expected to wear kit and participate in one of the following roles; Umpire / referee, equipment monitor and time keeper. If the problem persists for more than one week he will need a letter from his doctor.
- Parents can help by ensuring that their son attends all lesson scheduled on the timetable.
- Parents can ensure their son logs on to OCR / Edexcel / Doddle learn websites.
- Parents can record sporting performances which can be used as evidence (Contact teacher).

