GCSE Physical Education







Why Should I Study GCSE PE?

- You have a passion for sport and want to explore it further.
- You participate in sport outside of school and attend extra curricular clubs within school.
- You want to explore the theoretical component of physical education.







What Will I Study?

In theory:

- Anatomy and Physiology.
- Exercise Physiology.
- Movement Analysis.
- Physical Training.
- Sport Psychology.
- Diet.
- Performance Enhancing Drugs.
- Socio- Cultural Influences.



In Practical:

- Climbing
- Fitness
- Rugby
- Hockey
- Netball
- Athletics
- Handball
- Trampolining





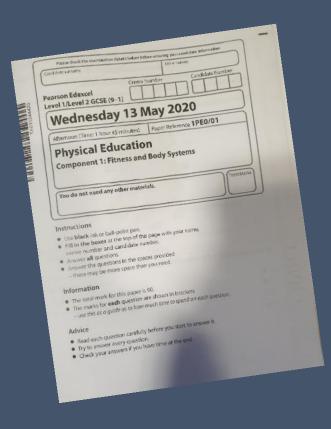
What Will PE Lessons Be Like?

- 3 theory lessons and 2 practical lessons a week.
- Theory will be delivered via one double lesson and one single lesson per week.
- Practical covers a range of sports, where students will be assessed.









How Will I Be Assessed?

Written exam one: Fitness and Body Systems. 1hour 30 minutes. 36% of the qualification.

Written exam two: Health and Performance.

1 hour 15 minutes. 24% of the qualification.



Practical Performance: 3 sports: 1 team activity, 1 individual activity and 1 free choice.

30% of the qualification.

Coursework: 6 week personal exercise program. 10% of the qualification





2 Team activities

Acrobatic Gymnastics*

Association Football

Badminton

Basketball

Hurling and Camogie

Cricket

Dance

Field Hockey

Figure Skating*

Futsal*

Gaelic Football

Handball

Ice Hockey*

Inline/Roller Hockey*

Lacrosse

Netball

Rowing

Rugby League

Rugby Union

Sailing*

Sculling*

Squash

Table Tennis

Tennis

Volleyball

Water Polo*

Practical sports

1 Team

1 Individual

1 Free choice

3 Individual activities

Amateur Boxing

Athletics - Field Events

Athletics - Track Events

BMX Cycling*

Canoeing

Track Cycling

Road Cycling

Diving

Figure Skating*

Golf

Gymnastics

Equestrian

Kayaking

Rock Climbing

Sailing*

Sculling

Skiing

Snowboarding

Swimming

Trampolining

Windsurfing*





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Most Common

- 1 Team
- 1 Individual
- 1 Free choice

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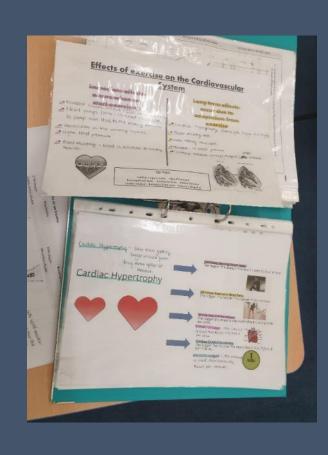


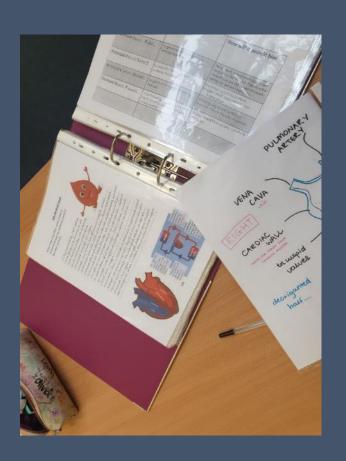


Includes

cross country

What Does Work Look Like In Physical Education?









What do exam questions look like?

11 Dexter plays basketball.

A basketball game is played at different intensities. Dexter's body uses different muscle fibre types as the intensity of the play increases and decreases.

Figure 6 shows three different intensities of play in basketball.



Jumping to reach the ball at the start of the game

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Jogging back to position

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Sprinting to the basket

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Figure 6

Evaluate the importance of **three** different muscle fibre types during the different intensities of play in **Figure 6**.

10 Some athletes risk being banned from their sport by taking performance-enhancing drugs (PEDs).

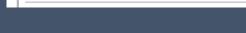
Complete Table 8 by:

- (a) Stating a sport or physical activity where the effects of the PED would be an advantage.
- (b) Stating an advantage of the PED to a performer in that sport or physical activity.

| | Performance- enhancing drug (PED) | (a) Sport or physical activity where effect of PED would be an advantage | (b) Advantage to performer in that sport or physical activity |
|---|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| | Erythropoietin (EPO) | (1) | (1) |
| ŀ | | (1) | (1) |
| | Anabolic steroids | | |
| | | (1) | (1) |

Table 8

(Total for Question 10 = 4 marks)







How Do I Find Out More Details?



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 Speak to older students who are already taking the course



