

Overview

Sport is a growing multi-billion pound industry with many diverse careers in performance, coaching and leadership, development and use of science and the media. This applied qualification will give learners the opportunity to study many of these areas at an advanced level in preparation for further education or the workplace.

Awarding Organisation: Pearson

Minimum course requirements:
GCSE Grade 4+ in Biology or 4-4 in Trilogy Science. Must be actively involved in competitive sport – to be discussed with Curriculum Leader

More information: Mr N Morris

Curriculum and assessment

YEAR 12

Mandatory units include:

- Anatomy and Physiology
- Fitness training and programming for health, sport and well-being
- Investigating business in sport and the leisure industry

YEAR 13

Mandatory units include:

- Anatomy and Physiology
- Application of fitness training, including the evaluation of validity and application of testing.

ASSESSMENT

Internal assessment: 2 units 25% each. Industry linked tasks. Students build a portfolio of work which is internally assessed and externally moderated.

External assessment: 2 units 25% each. Written exam in both units. Externally assessed.

Post 18 opportunities

This is aimed at learners who want academic experience and who are aspiring to university. Students will finish the course with a solid foundation to take up work in the sport sector.

Expenses

Students are required to purchase text books.