

CWS SIXTH FORM COURSE BOOKLET INFORMATION

SUBJECT: A Level PE

EXAM BOARD: AQA

COURSE DETAILS:

A Level Physical Education leads to a greater knowledge, insight and understanding of performance. Physical Education, whilst focusing on practical activity also develops aspects of all components of Sport Science. Physical Education can cater for different entry levels within Post-16 courses and across a number of specific subjects. A Level Physical Education is an ideal subject to be studied in conjunction with Biology and Psychology. There is an assessed practical element to the course, and you must be competing at a high sporting standard to be a suitable candidate.

EXAMINATION CRITERIA

A Level = 70 % Theory

Paper 1 35% (2 hours)

Anatomy and Physiology

Skill Acquisition

Sport and Society

Paper 2 35% (2 hours)

Exercise Physiology/Biomechanics

Sport Psychology

Sport, Society and Technology

30% NEA (Analysis and Evaluation of a Performer or Coach in competitive environment)

POTENTIAL CAREER PATHS IN THIS FIELD

PE Teacher

Sports Coach

Nutritionist

Sports Psychologist

Sports Therapist

Physiotherapist

Full Time Athlete

PT

Sports Development

Sports Journalist