BTEC SPORT LEVEL 3



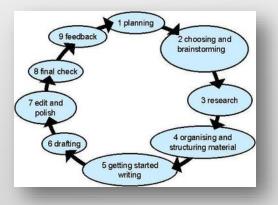
WHY SELECT THIS SUBJECT IN THE SIXTH FORM?

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WHAT IS THE LEVEL 3 SPORT?

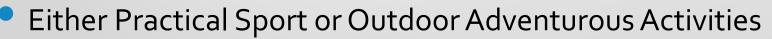
THIS CAN BE SELECTED IN 2 WAYS

- THE **SINGLE OPTION** IS EQUIVALENT TO 1 A LEVEL AND IS CALLED THE SUB-SIDARY DIPLOMA
- THE **DOUBLE** IS EQUIVALENT TO 2 A LEVELS AND IS CALLED THE DIPLOMA
- BOTH COURSES ARE ENTIRELY COURSEWORK BASED.... THERE ARE NO EXAMS!
- WORK CAN ONLY BE SUBMITTED ONCE.. BUT THIS FOLLOWS FORMATIVE FEEDBACK FROM THE TEACHER TO YOU ADVICE FOR IMPROVEMENT



WHAT DOES THE COURSE ENTAIL?

- WE STUDY A NUMBER OF DIFFERENT AREAS
- THE COMPULSORY AREAS FOR BOTH COURSES INCLUDE:
- Anatomy and Physiology
- Physiology of Exercise
- Fitness testing in sport
- Risk assessment in sport and



OPTIONAL UNITS INCLUDE

WE SELECT THE OPTIONAL UNITS FROM

- Sports Coaching
- Sports Injuries
- Fitness Training and Programming
- Sports Leadership
- Rules Regulations and Officiating
- Sports Massage
- Outdoor and Adventurous Activities
- Practical Sports Performance





WHY OPT FOR BTEC SPORT?

- Enjoyable
- Interesting
- Links well to areas covered in Key Stage 4
- Chance to teach younger children
- Chance to organise events for the community
 - Chance to get out of school!

WHAT DO I NEED TO HAVE TO DO BTEC LEVEL 3 SPORT?

- A genuine interest in Sport and Physical Education
- Have studied a PE based course in KS4 and achieved a MERIT or Grade B
- Good ICT skills
- Have a mature attitude to learning
- Be able to organise your learning and study
- Be able to work to deadlines

WHAT CAN I DO WITH THE BTEC SPORT?

- The Level 3 qualification carries EXACTLY the same amount of UCAS points as A levels
- A Distinction* grade is FULLY equivalent to an A* at A level
- Universities and Employers recognise it as a qualification
- Most University course accept the BTEC Sport but it is YOUR responsibility to check that it accepted on a course you are interested in.
 - This can be done on the website https://www.ucas.com/

Check the section that says undergraduate courses, if in doubt..... ASK!

WHAT IS EXPECTED OF ME ON THE COURSE?

- You will need to purchase the PE DEPARTMENTS NEW KIT. FULL DETAILS OF THIS WILL BE GIVEN AS SOON AS IT IS AVAILABLE
- This PE kit is the only kit you will be allowed to wear within the lessons and around the school
- The course involves a residential trip this trip should cost £120 per pupil, we as a department try our best to subsidise this course. All other costs are kept to a minimum and we aim to ensure plenty of notice is given to parents about any up and coming costs.
- You will need to purchase a memory stick or hard drive to save your work and know how to back it up!

THESE ARE EXPECTATIONS OF THE COURSE.... IF THERE ARE ISSUES WITH YOU BEING ABLE TO AFFORD THESE OR YOU HAVE PROBLEMS STAYING AWAY FROM HOME, DISCUSS THIS WITH THE DEPARTMENT BEFORE YOU SELECT THE COURSE



PEOPLE WITH THE BTEC SPORT GO ON TO :

Study at University

- Teaching
- Police Studies
- Sport Studies
- Environmental sciences
- Sport and Exercise Science
- Nutrition
- Sports Therapy
- Social Worker





JOBS OF PREVIOUS STUDENTS

- Policeman
- Teacher
- Personal Trainer
- Retail Manager
- Social Worker
- Youth Worker
- Child Care
- Sports Therapist
- Office Manager
- Ski Instructor







What our past students say.....



Any questions?

If you need any help or advice on this course please come and chat to the PE department or email

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