

A Level: Physical Education

Physical Education

Course Facts & Figures at a glance...

Subject Leader
Mrs Hardiman

Course Title
A-Level Physical Education

QAN Code
500/2587/9

Awarding Body
OCR

Number of Units
4

Unit Titles

- 1 An introduction to Physical Education
- 2 Acquiring, developing and evaluating practical skills in Physical Education
- 3 Principles and concepts across different areas of Physical Education
- 4 The improvement of effective performance and the critical evaluation of practical activities in Physical Education

**Number of Entrants
Last Year**
4

**Percentage Pass Rate
Last Year**
100%

The sporting industry is one of the fastest growing professional industries in the UK with many top universities offering several courses.

Students can gain entry into a variety of courses such as, *Physiotherapy, Sports Science, Physical Education Teaching, Recreational Management, Sports Studies and Professional coaching.*

There are at least 70 career opportunities through sport.



The A Level in Physical Education is multidisciplinary and encourages different methods of enquiry. It is based on the interaction between theory and practice and encourages students to become increasingly physically competent by...

- developing the skills and techniques they require to perform effectively in physical activities;
- applying a range of skills & techniques effectively in different types of physical activity
- developing in different roles, performer, coach, official within physical activities
- applying their skills in different contexts within a physical activity.

Unit 1
Written Examination
An Introduction to Physical Education.

Unit 2
Practical Demonstration / Assignment
Acquiring, developing and evaluating practical skills.

Unit 3
Written Examination
Principles and concepts across different areas.

Unit 4
Practical Demonstration / Assignment
The improvement of effective performance and the critical evaluation of practical activities.