

BTEC Sport

Head of PE - Mr Locke

The Course:

Level 2 First Award in Sport has been designed to provide an engaging and stimulating introduction to the world of sport. The qualification builds on learning from Key Stage 3 for those who may wish to explore a vocational route throughout Key Stage 4. Pupils will complete the following units which include elements of both practical and theoretical learning:

Unit 1: Fitness for Sport and Exercise (Externally assessed unit)

Unit 2: Practical Sports Performance

Unit 3: The Mind and Sports Performance

Unit 4: The Sports Performer in Action

It is essential to study this qualification if you are considering studying a sport related subject in Sixth Form and have not chosen GCSE PE. All pupils will complete the externally assessed unit in Year 10 and this will be assessed in the form of an online examination. In Year 11, pupils will be assessed in a further two units, which are all internally assessed.

What could it lead to in Sixth Form?

A Level in Physical Education

BTEC Sport Level 3

What careers/university courses would this subject help me to enter?

Possible University Courses

Sports Science, Physiotherapy and Sports Development

Possible Careers

PE Teacher, Physiotherapist, Sport development, Nutritionist and Coaching

PE - Dance

Head of P.E. - Mr D Locke

Dance Teacher - Mrs Hall

The Course:

Pupils who have been chosen to study for this qualification will take this course during their two PE lessons. All pupils need to have a genuine interest and passion for dance and enjoy performing. Pupils throughout the course will experience dance in both practical and theoretical scenarios. They will be continually assessed throughout the two years. All pupils will be assessed in three units:

Unit 1 – Individual Showcase

Unit 2 – Preparation Production and Performance

Unit 4 – Dance Skills

What could it lead to in Sixth Form?

This course directly leads to a Level 3 qualification in BTEC Performing Arts. This qualification is the equivalent of one, two or three A Levels depending on the level that you pursue.

What careers/university courses would this subject help me to enter?

Possible University Courses

Dance, Performing Arts and Musical Theatre

Possible Careers

Dance Teacher, Professional Dancer and Sports Development

PE - GCSE

Head of P.E. - Mr D Locke

The Course:

Pupils will study a variety of sports and theoretical aspects relating to PE and sport over the two year period. A strong commitment to sport in both lessons and extra-curricular time is highly recommended as well as a good understanding of Biology and Chemistry. Pupils can be assessed in a variety of roles and not just as a performer. Officials, leaders and coaches are all recommended ways of assessment in practical units. During the theory lessons students will study a wide range of theoretical concepts. These concepts include: Anatomy, Physiology and Sport Psychology and factors that affect performance.. The assessments on the course are split 60% Practical with pupils required to submit 4 practical assessment from differing sports, with pupils completing a piece of linked coursework in which they must demonstrate the ability to evaluate their performance and plan how it can be improved. 40% of the course is assessed via an examination held at the end of the course which lasts 1hr30mins in which the pupils will be required to retrieve the knowledge and understanding they have developed through their theory lessons via a range of multiple choice, short answer questioning and scenario questions.

What could it lead to in Sixth Form?

A Level Physical Education as well as preparing pupils for a Level 3 BTEC Sport Qualification. This qualification is the equivalent of one, two or three A Levels depending on the level that you pursue.

What careers/university courses would this subject help me to enter?

Possible University Courses

Sports Science, Physiotherapy and Sports Development

Possible Careers

PE Teacher, Physiotherapist, Fitness Instructor and Sports Development