

GCSE PE Newsletter

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Welcome to the latest edition of the newsletter from the Sport & PE Department, we would like to keep you as up to date as possible with the course content and topics students are covering. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at college.

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What are we studying?

Year 10 - Have made a fantastic start to the GCSE Sport Science course starting with anatomy and physiology (cardiorespiratory and musculoskeletal system). We have combined note taking, quizzing and practical lessons to deliver the specification. Both classes have started the course very well and have shown the ability to apply their existing scientific knowledge to sporting contexts. Through our practical lessons, we have also started to introduce training methods and the principles of training in preparation for the coursework they will do in the spring term (this is worth 10% of their final grade).

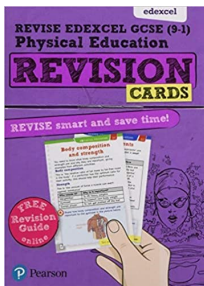
Year 11 - This term, we have been focussing on a variety of different topics. We started by looking at health from a holistic point of view (physical, social and mental health) and how sport and physical activity positively effect on all elements of health. We have researched the effects of living a sedentary lifestyle and looked at diet, nutrition and hydration.

Questions you could ask at home.....

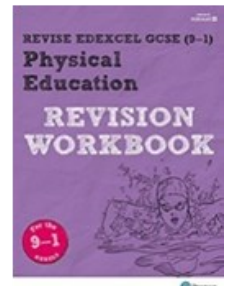
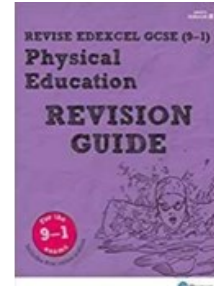
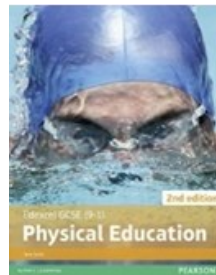
Your son/daughter should be able to confidently talk to you about these topics:

Year 10 - What are the names of 5 muscles and 5 bones? What are the components of blood and how to they allow for physical activity to take place?

Year 11 - Please ask your child about the risks of living a sedentary lifestyle, components of a balanced diet, how athletes might manipulate their diet, and the importance of hydration. Finally – please ask your child when their next revision session is (Fridays at lunchtime). These sessions are an excellent way to reinforce and embed knowledge across various topics and a really a fun and positive way to round off the week for staff and students alike!



£8.99 Revision Flash Cards
100 Revision Cards
Multiple choice questions and answers
Worked examples
Topic summaries and key facts to remember



<https://www.amazon.co.uk/Revise-Edexcel-Physical-Education-Revision/dp/1292182431>

Need help?

- Sport Science SharePoint site: <https://honitoncollegedevonsch.sharepoint.com/sites/PE%20Students%20GCSE/default.aspx>
- Seneca learning: <http://www.senecalearning.com>
- Twitter - encourage your son/daughter to follow the PE department – we will share lots of useful links to help them revise @ataylor_PE

Key Dates:

Year 11 GCSE PE Revision – Weekly from November 2022
Year 11 Mocks – January 2023
Year 10 Mocks – June 2023
Year 10 Sport Science trip to Bath University – March 2023
Year 10 PEP Coursework – April 2023
Year 10 Sport Science trip to Exeter University – Summer Term 2023

Year 11 Exams, Summer 2023: (provisional)

- **Component 1: Fitness & Body Systems**
17th May 2023. 36%
- **Component 2: Health & Performance**
26th May 2023. 24%

Practical Performance 30%, PEP Coursework 10%