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Dear Parent

**Re: AQA GCSE Physical Education Non-Examined Assessment – Practical**

I am writing to inform you about your son's Practical Non-Examined Assessment. This assessment accounts for 75 % of his Non-Examined Assessment grade, which equates to 30 % of his overall Physical Education grade. I hope the information below provides some clarity as to what will be required and will help begin the process.

- Your son can participate in either 2 team sports and 1 individual sport **or** 2 individual sports and 1 team sport.
- We highly recommend your son selects sports he regularly competes in for either School or Club. This makes assessing his performance and collecting video evidence much easier. We understand that your son may not perform competitively in 3 different sports. In this case we recommend he participates in the different sports we provide at school. As teachers, we will decide on the 3 sports your son has evidenced his highest grades in.
- We will be assessing the following sports live in school during PE, Games, after school sessions as well as fixtures where appropriate: Rugby, Hockey, Handball, Badminton, Table Tennis and Cricket.
- The table below outlines your son's options for his practical sport choices.

Non-Examined Assessment Practical Sport Options		
Individual	Team	Individual / Team
Badminton	Rugby	Badminton
Table Tennis	Hockey	Table Tennis
<b>Other</b> – This can be any other individual sport outlined in table below, on the condition that evidence can be provided of competing regularly outside of school to a high level. <b>Responsibility of student to provide video and supplementary evidence of performance level.</b>	Cricket	Rugby
	Handball	Hockey
	<b>Other</b> – This can be any other team sport outlined in table below, on the condition that evidence can be provided of competing regularly outside of school to a high level. <b>Responsibility of student to provide video and supplementary evidence of performance level.</b>	Cricket
		Handball
		<b>Other</b> – This can be any other sport outlined in table below, on the condition that evidence can be provided of competing regularly outside of school to a high level. <b>Responsibility of student to provide video and supplementary evidence of performance level.</b>

- If wanting to select an 'other' sport outlined in the tables below, it must be filmed outside school and must only be chosen if your son is performing regularly at a high level. Video and supplementary evidence of performance must be submitted by **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2022**.
- Summer sports such as athletics, cricket, tennis etc. must be filmed in **Summer 2022** as the 2023 season will not have started by the time practical grades will have been submitted.

- The reason for collecting video evidence.
  - If your son participates in a sport which cannot be performed and assessed in school
  - If your son participates in a sport which cannot be performed during a live moderation
  - If your son is not able to participate in the sport during a live moderation
  - If your son significantly underperforms during a live moderation
  - To aid the accuracy, consistency, and fairness of our internal assessment
- Video evidence must be unedited. The camera can be turned off between drills in Part 1 as your son has stopped performing. But whilst performing, the camera should remain on.
- All the skills for Part 1 should be shown in progressive challenging drills. In Part 1, drills must show progression and challenge so there needs to be more than one drill for each skill.
- In Part 2, the camera should run for all relevant parts of the footage when your son is performing. If your son momentarily goes out of shot that is acceptable.
- The length of Part 2 evidence depends entirely on what activity your son is performing and what his role is. Some positions in team sports may require longer evidence due to long periods of not being involved. In these circumstances, supplementary commentary describing their involvement should accompany the footage.
- Please click [here](#) for more information and further details on the assessment of specific sports.

#### 2020 List of activities applying to qualifications awarded from 2022

Team Activities	Comments
Acrobatic gymnastics	Cannot be assessed with gymnastics
Association football	Cannot be five-a-side. Cannot be assessed with futsal
Badminton	Cannot be assessed with singles
Basketball	Cannot be street basketball
Camogie	Cannot be assessed with hurling
Cricket	
Dance	This can only be used for one activity
Figure skating	This can only be used for one activity. Cannot be assessed with dance
Futsal	Cannot be assessed with football
Gaelic football	
Handball	
Hockey	Must be field hockey
Hurling	Cannot be assessed with camogie
Ice hockey	Cannot be assessed with inline roller hockey
Inline roller hockey	Cannot be assessed with ice hockey
Lacrosse	
Netball	
Rowing	Cannot be assessed with sculling, canoeing or kayaking
Rugby league	Cannot be assessed with rugby union (sevens or fifteen a side). Cannot be tag rugby
Rugby union	Can be assessed as sevens or fifteen a side. Cannot be assessed with rugby league. Cannot be tag rugby. This can only be used for one activity

Sailing	Royal Yachting Association recognised sailing boat classes only. The list can be found online at: <a href="https://www.rya.org.uk/racing/youthjunior/info/Pages/recognised-classes.aspx">https://www.rya.org.uk/racing/youthjunior/info/Pages/recognised-classes.aspx</a> . This can only be used for one activity. Students must perform as helmsman
Sculling	Cannot be assessed with rowing, canoeing or kayaking. Cannot be assessed with individual sculling
Squash	Cannot be assessed with singles
Table tennis	Cannot be assessed with singles
Tennis	Cannot be assessed with singles
Volleyball	
Water polo	
<b>Specialist Team activities</b>	
Blind cricket	
Goal ball	
Powerchair football	
Table cricket	
Wheelchair basketball	
Wheelchair rugby	

Individual Activities	Comments
Amateur boxing	
Athletics	Long distance track running must not exceed 5,000 metres. Cross country running must not exceed 6,500 metres
Badminton	Cannot be assessed with doubles
Canoeing	Cannot be assessed with kayaking, rowing or sculling
Cycling	Track, road or BMX cycling (racing, not tricks) only
Dance	This can only be used for one activity
Diving	Platform diving
Equestrian	
Figure skating	This can only be used for one activity. Cannot be assessed with dance
Golf	
Gymnastics	Floor routines and apparatus only
Kayaking	Cannot be assessed with canoeing, rowing or sculling
Rock climbing	Can be indoor or outdoor
Sailing	Royal Yachting Association recognised sailing boat classes only. The list can be found online at: <a href="https://www.rya.org.uk/racing/youthjunior/info/Pages/recognised-classes.aspx">https://www.rya.org.uk/racing/youthjunior/info/Pages/recognised-classes.aspx</a> . This can only be used for one activity. Students must perform as helmsman
Sculling	Cannot be assessed with rowing, canoeing or kayaking. Cannot be assessed with team sculling
Skiing	Outdoor/indoor on snow; cannot be assessed with snowboarding. Must not be dry slopes

Snowboarding	Outdoor/indoor on snow. Must not be on dry slopes
Squash	Cannot be assessed with doubles
Swimming	Not synchronised swimming, personal survival or lifesaving
Table Tennis	Cannot be assessed with doubles
Tennis	Cannot be assessed with doubles
Trampolining	
Windsurfing	
<b>Specialist Team activities</b>	
Boccia	
Polybat	

If you have any questions on the details outlined above, please feel free to get in contact.

Many thanks for your support.

Kind regards

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