ASSESSMENT AND GRADING

Types of assessment Your BTEC Level 3 Nationals Sport and Sport and Exercise Science qualifications take a unit-by-unit approach and offer a combination of assessment styles.

This gives your learners the opportunity to showcase their skills and apply their knowledge in an appropriate, work-related context, and provides evidence of what they can do when they apply to enter higher education or employment.

Assignments (internally assessed)

Set and marked by : Centre Verified by: Pearson

Assignments are practical tasks set in work-related scenarios that can be tailored to local industry needs for your learners.

Learners demonstrate how they apply knowledge and skills to complete a practical project over a period of time, working individually or in groups.

Assignments (externally assessed)

Set and marked by: Pearson

Tasks are practical work-related scenarios completed in realistic, time-based situations. They are completed in controlled conditions and some tasks have pre-released information. Learners demonstrate how to apply learning to common workplace or HE scenarios. Tasks provide evidence of a consistent standard of assessment for all BTEC learners.

DID YOU KNOW ...

4 of 5 BTEC students go on to receive a First or Second class degree

(The outcomes associated with the BTEC route of degree level acquisition, London Economics 2013)

37% of businesses prefer recruits to hold a mix of academic and vocational qualifications or value them equally

(Inspiring Growth: Pearson/Skills CBI Skills Survey 2015)

Written Exams

(externally assessed) Set and marked by : Pearson

For written exams, leaners draw on essential information to create written answers to practical questions in exam conditions.

Learner demonstrate they can apply appropriate knowledge to a work-related challenge in timed conditions.



BTEC SPORT





INTRODUCTION

After 30 years of proven success, more and more employers and Higher Education institutions across the globe are choosing BTEC-qualified candidates for their practical knowledge and employability skills. More than a million learners choose BTEC each year.

What can BTEC Level 3 Nationals in Sport do for your learners?

- Work-related learning, giving learners an edge and opening the door to higher education or employment in sport sectors.
- Clear progression routes: such as BSc in Sport, Physical Education and Coaching Science. Also supports progression into direct entry level roles such as physical activity leader or fitness/leisure assistant.
- Transferable skills development such as communication, team working and leadership skills.

The requirements for this course are 5 GCSEs at Grade 9 - 4 (or equivalent). However, this is a very literacy heavy subject and students that pass have a 4 in GCSE English. Therefore, students that achieve below a 4 may very much struggle to pass this course.

The BTEC National is a practical, work related course. You learn by completing projects and assignments that are based on realistic workplace situations, activities and demands. As well as learning about the employment area you have chosen, you develop the skills you need to start a career.

YOUR BIEC NATIONAL SPORT QUALIFICATION EXPLAINED

TBTEC Level 3 Nationals Sport courses offer a flexible range of qualifications that can be studied alongside other level 3 qualifications such as A levels or other BTEC Nationals as part of a larger programme of study, or as the main focus of study.

They are designed for Post-16 Level 3 learners wishing to go on to further or higher level study of the sector or directly to employment.

All sizes attract UCAS points and are widely recognised by universities and employers.

HOW THE QUALIFICATION WORKS AT COLLINGWOOD

Extended Certificate 360 GLH Equavalient as 1 A Level Applied General

Total Units 43 mandatory units
PLUS 1 Optional Unit*

Purpose

A broad basis of study for the sport sector. This qualification supports progression to:

- Higher education
- Employment
- An apprenticeship

The new BTEC sport Extended Certificate specification now has a unit as an exam and a mandatory unit that is sent to an examiner. There are 2 other units that are produced as coursework.

Unit (number and title)

- Anatomy and Physiology
- Fitness Training and Programming for Health, Sport and Well-being
- Professional Development in the Sports Industry
- Sports Leadership

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