

# PHYSICAL EDUCATION

GCSE Physical Education follows the AQA Specification.	
Course Description	This GCSE in Physical Education will equip pupils with the knowledge, understanding, skills and values they need to be able to develop and maintain their performance in physical activities.
Course Level	Level 2
Course Qualifications	GCSE
Examinations	Paper 1: Written exam: 1 hour 15 minutes 78 marks 30% of GCSE.  Paper 2: Written exam: 1 hour 15 minutes 78 marks 30% of GCSE.
Coursework	Pupils will be assessed on their analysis (15 marks) and evaluation (10 marks) of performance to bring about improvement in one activity.
Assessment	Practical performance in three different physical activities in the role of player/performer - one in a team activity, one in an individual activity and a third either in a team or in an individual activity.  Assessed by teachers Moderated by AQA - 40% of GCSE
Post 16 Education	A level Physical Education (AQA). Cambridge Technical Level 3 Sport and Physical Activity.
Careers	Sports Scientist, PE teacher, Physiotherapist, Chiropractor, Sports coach/consultant. Sports policy developer at local and national level, Diet and fitness instructor, Personal trainer.
Skills and Attributes	Communication skills, organisational skills, social skills, leadership skills, physical fitness, data analysis and evaluation skills.

**For further information please see Mr M Turner (Head of Physical Education)**