

GCE

Physical Education

Unit **G453**: Principles and concepts across different areas of Physical Education

Advanced GCE

Mark Scheme for June 2018

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These are the annotations, (including abbreviations), including those used in scoris, which are used when marking

Annotation	Meaning
\checkmark	= Correct response
BOD	= Benefit of the doubt
REP	= Repeat
TV	= Too Vague
DEV	= Development (levels scheme)
SEEN	= Noted but no credit given
L1	= Level 1 (levels scheme)
L2	= Level 2 (levels scheme)
L3	= Level 3 (levels scheme)
L4	= Level 4 (levels scheme)
EG	= Practical example (levels scheme)
S	= Sub max

Here are the subject specific instructions for this question paper

Marking responses 'a - c'; points marked questions

An element of professional judgement is required in the marking of G453. Correct answers should always be rewarded irrespective of whether or not they appear on the mark scheme. If you are in doubt about the validity of any answer then consult your Team Leader (Supervisor) by phone or e-mail.

Marking response 'd'; levels of response marked question

It is quite possible for an excellent and valid answer to contain knowledge and arguments which do not appear in the indicative content on the mark scheme. Each answer must be assessed on its own merits according to the generic descriptors and discriminators.

The levels of response descriptors are cumulative, ie a description at one level builds on or improves the descriptions at lower levels. Not all qualities listed in a level must be demonstrated in an answer for it to fall in that level.

Candidates will take different approaches to achieve within the same level. Some will adopt a less focused approach but demonstrate a wide range of knowledge others may adopt a more focused approach using a narrower range of well-developed knowledge.

Approach to marking levels of response questions:

- read the candidate response in full;
- working from the top down and using a *best-fit* approach, refer to the generic descriptors and discriminators to determine the level;
- re-read the answer, highlighting credit worthy aspects of the response in relation to knowledge, understanding, development, examples, etc:
- confirm or revise initial decision re level;
- determine the mark within the level as per the guidance in 10 (above), with reference to the discriminators, and, again, using a *best-fit* approach.

Section A Historical Studies (Option A1)

Que	stion	Answer/Indicative content	Mark	Guidance
1	(a)	(Description of pedestrianism) Sub-max 3 Three marks for three of: 1. (Foot race) Race walking / walking races / foot races 2. (Class) Both classes participated / lower and upper	5	
		class 3. (Patronage) Gentry patronised/employed lower class as footmen/messengers 4. (Wagering) Wagering/gambling was widespread /betting 5. (Venue) Use of large venues/huge crowds/spectators 6. (Rules) Rules were set by organisers/agreed by parties involved 7. (Corruption) Corruption/cheating/fixing of results was common		Pt 6. Limited rules, agreed rules, lack of rules = TV
		(Reasons for its popularity) Sub-max 3		
		 Three marks for three of: 8. (Money) Rags to riches / prize money 9. (Status/role models) High status / fame / celebrity / Barclay Allardice / Deerfoot / Weston 10. (Challenge) Physical/mental challenge (for upper class) 11. (Festival) Exciting festival occasion/sporting contest / associated with other activities e.g. prize fighting/horse racing 12. (Cheap) simple/cheap activity to do / occupational (for lower class) 		Guidance: Accept Barclay or Allardice for point 9

Ques	stion		Answer/Indicative content	Mark	Guidance
1	(b)	4 marks for 4 f		4	
		1(non local)	Mix of activities (from home or from different regions)/start of standardised rules / allowed 'melting pot' of games or rules		
		2(boarding)	Time to play/impact on standards/games occupied boys outside of classroom/kept them out of trouble		
		3(fee paying)	Money for facilities/equipment /coaching/staff/transport		
		Sub max 1 fror	m:		Accept accurate/relevant comment about how one
		4.(non local)	Affects whether boarder or day student		characteristic continues to impact today
		5.(boarding)	Affects school experience and/or relationships with friends and family/more time to play sport		
		6(fee paying)	Affects choice of school/independent v state/can affect quality of facilities		

Que	Question		Answei	Marks	Guidance	
1	1 (c)		gnificance of social class	6		
		1.	(class) (amateur v professional)	Middle class were amateurs / working class were professionals Amateurs and professionals treated differently /names different in programmes/ ate separately / travelled separately/		
		3.	(captain)	they entered field of play from different door / different roles captain usually an amateur/captain always an		
		4.	(W G Grace)	amateur at national level WG Grace a 'shamateur' or fake amateur /		
		4.	(w G Grace)	he was paid to play / he earned a significant amount of money from cricket		
		5.	(William Clarke)	William Clarke employed professionals professionals / played for William Clarke XI / William Clarke XI toured country and promoted game (as spectator attraction)		
		6.	Influence of old boys of public schools	Influence of old boys on expansion of cricket through the church / industry / schools		Factor must
		Sul	o max 1		be described	
		7.	(cricket today)	Chance to Shine initiative / inspiration of the Ashes / indoor facilities / artificial wickets / 20:20 / world cups / increased entertainment at game / big bash / Sky Sports / media Accept any suitable factor		

1 (d)*	
Levels Descriptors	Levels Discriminators
Level 4 (18 – 20 marks) A comprehensive answer: detailed knowledge & excellent understanding detailed analysis and excellent critical evaluation well-argued, independent opinion and judgements which are well supported by relevant practical examples very accurate use of technical and specialist vocabulary	Discriminators at Level 4 are likely to include: detailed knowledge and excellent understanding of the 1933 syllabus excellent evaluation to include both positive and negative aspects of curriculum developments in school PE. all aspects of question addressed with balance
 high standard of written communication throughout. Level 3 (13 - 17 marks) A competent answer: good knowledge and clear understanding good analysis and critical evaluation independent opinions and judgements will be present but may not always be supported by relevant practical examples generally accurate use of technical and specialist vocabulary written communication is generally fluent with few errors. 	Discriminators at Level 3 are likely to include: • good knowledge and clear understanding of the 1933 syllabus • good evaluation of curriculum developments in school PE • all aspects of question addressed but not necessarily with balance
 Level 2 (8 - 12 marks) A limited answer: limited knowledge and understanding some evidence of analysis and critical evaluation opinion and judgement given but often unsupported by relevant practical examples technical and specialist vocabulary used with limited success written communication lacks fluency and contains errors. 	 Discriminators at Level 2 are likely to include: limited knowledge and understanding of the 1933 syllabus some evidence of evaluation of curriculum developments in school PE although likely to be more descriptive an unbalanced approach but at the top end of this level all parts of the question are likely to be addressed
Level 1 (0 - 7 marks) A basic answer: basic knowledge and little understanding little relevant analysis or critical evaluation little or no attempt to give opinion or judgement little or no attempt to use technical and specialist vocabulary errors in written communication will be intrusive. [0 marks] No response or no response worthy of credit.	At Level 1 candidates <u>are likely</u> to: show basic knowledge and understanding of the 1933 syllabus descriptive rather than evaluation of curriculum developments in school PE be unbalanced and not address all aspects

Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
1 (d)*	Indicative Content:		20	
	Description of 1933			
	1. Background (1930s)	A time of industrial depression, many working class men were unemployed and living in poverty 1930's were something of a watershed between the syllabus used in the past and the PE of the future		
	2. (Newman)	 Iast syllabus produced by Dr George Newman A detailed, respected syllabus Newman stated - good nourishment, hygiene and physical training was required for normal healthy development 		
	3.(Children)	Treating children as children • not treating children as 'little soldiers'		
	4. (Hadow Report)	Based upon Hadow report of 1926 suggesting greater need for differentiation between ages groups One section for under 11s One section for over 11s 		
	5. (Objectives)	 Physical fitness/strengthening or health or therapeutic benefits Acquiring skills Physique development / improving physique Development of (correct) posture Holistic development / development of mind and body / the whole child / create thinkers More varied in its aims 		
	6.(Content)	Athletics gymnastics, games skills, 'playground games' Emphasis on group work as a central part of the lessons All set out in a series of tables for teachers		

Answer						
7.(Methodology)	Centralised and direct for majority of the lesson • still had exercise tables which teachers used to plan their own lessons • Special clothing/kit • 5 x 20 minutes lessons per week recommended • Newly build gymnasia • Some specialist PE teachers • Syllabus identified the need for different activities for different groups • Children were encouraged to use imagination and develop skills • Increased interaction between teacher and pupil					
Positive points – deve	Specific amount of time available / National Curriculum • protected time /compulsory					
	• e.g. government targets/5 hour offer					
9. (teachers) 10. (balance/variety)	e.g. government targets/5 hour offer More specialist PE teachers A balanced PE experience/wider variety or broader range of skills developed thinking or analytical or social skills or creativity developed e.g. fair play/integrity/independence/problem solving Variety leads to great likelihood of lifelong participation / healthy lifestyles					
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10. (balance/variety) 11.(consistency) 12. (support)	More specialist PE teachers A balanced PE experience/wider variety or broader range of skills developed • thinking or analytical or social skills or creativity developed e.g. fair play/integrity/independence/problem solving • Variety leads to great likelihood of lifelong participation / healthy lifestyles Consistent experience wherever child goes to school/same in all schools • easy transfer between schools Support provided • especially to non-specialist teachers • e.g. by partnerships/by SSCOs Schools can adapt it					

Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
	Negative points - develo	opments in school PE since 1950's		
	16. (admin)	Burden of admin/record keeping		
		Restricts time for creative planning		
	17. (inadequate	Inadequate support		
	support)	Especially for non-specialist teachers		
		E.g. in primary schools		
	18. (lack of experience)	Lack of experience of assessment		
		Can lead to confusion or skewed results		
	19. (unbalanced)	Schools still able to offer unbalanced programme		
		E.g. no dance if teachers not keen		
	20. (constraints)	It can constrain or reduce creativity of teachers		
	21. (pressure)	It can put pressure on schools		
		E.g. to provide certain activities or facilities		

Section A Comparative Studies (Option A2)

Question Number	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2. (a)	(Effect of four of these geographical factors in Australia on sporting opportunity) Sub-max 4	5	Effect on participation must be given for each factor.
	Four marks for four of:		DO NOT ACCEPT – Tyranny of distance.
	 (size) Very large / 6th largest country / over 30x the size of UK so many open spaces to play sport (topography) Diverse environment / mountains and sea (and wilderness/desert) so suitable for summer and winter sports (climate) Favourable climate so sports can be played all year round (pop. density) Low population density / most of population live in urban areas/cities so easy access to urban facilities or reduced access to outdoor activities (transport) Extensive transport network so facilities are easily accessible 		
	(Compare one of these factors with the geography of the UK) Sub-max 1		
	One mark for one of:		
	 (size) UK much smaller than Australia (topography) Limited environment compared to Australia (climate) Unfavourable/Western maritime climate (pop. density) Higher population density / most of population also live in urban areas/cities (transport) Extensive transport network / all areas accessible within one days travel 		

Question Number	Ans	swer	Marks		Guidance
2 (b)	5 ı	marks for 5 from:		5	
	Sub max 3 from one section				
		The UK			
	1	(democracy	Society organised as a democracy/freedom of speech		
	2	(teamwork)	Working as part of a team is traditional/learning to interact with others		
	3	(individuality)	People treated as Individuals/each person unique		
	4	(fair play)	A sense of fair play/sportsmanship is important		
	5	(competitiveness)	Competitiveness/desire to achieve		
	6	(participation)	Participation/(traditionally)taking part more important than winning		
	7	(overcoming discrimination)	Overcoming discrimination/Multi- culturalism/fairness/egalitarianism/equal opportunity/social equality		

Question Number	Answer			Marks	Guidance
	The	USA			
	8	(Lombar	dianism)	Lombardianism/win at all costs/traditionally winning more important than taking part	
	9	(counter ethic)	culture	(less dominant) counter culture ethic/taking part more important than winning	
	10	(radical e	ethic)	(less dominant) radical ethic/taking part and winning of equal importance	
	11	(rags to i	riches)	Rags to riches opportunities/ref American dream/Land of opportunity/work ethic/frontier spirit	
	12	(pluralisr	n)	Pluralism/different ethnic or religious or political groups within one society/the theory that minority groups maintain cultural differences but share power	
	13	(hegemo	ny)	Hegemony(or control or domination or power or authority held by certain group)/key roles or positions held by dominant societal group/ WASP domination.	

Question Number	Answer	Marks	Guidance		
2 (c)	5 marks for 5 of:	5			
		PE in USA Comparison with UK			
	1.(focus on)	Direct skill learning/fitness	Participation/skills/holistic development/educational emphasis		
	2. (assessment)	(focus on) testing or measurement	(less formal) teacher assessment		
	3. (exams)	Limited/none at school level	Widespread examinations in PE		
	4. (prof dev)	Provided by superintendent or state	Provided by public or private routes		
	5. (good practice)	Blue Ribband Schools/Beacon Schools	Specialist sports colleges/Beacon schools/independent schools that focus on sport		
	6. (admin)				
	7. (funding)				
	8. (control)	Controlled by school board	or seek additional funding Schools(increasingly) autonomous/ Academy status		
	9. (inspection)	Inspected by superintendent (of school board)	Inspection by Ofsted/ Estyn		
	10. (NC)	No National Curriculum/optional	National curriculum		
	11. (status)	PE lower status(than sport)	PE higher status		

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 high standard of written communication throughout. Level 3 (13 – 17 marks) A competent answer: good knowledge and clear understanding good analysis and critical evaluation independent opinions and judgements will be present but may not always be supported by relevant practical examples generally accurate use of technical and specialist vocabulary written communication is generally fluent with few errors. 	At Level 3 responses are likely to include: output good knowledge and understanding of most aspects of the question good direct and relevant comparison provision of sport and the pursuit of excellence in Australia and UK
 Level 2 (8 – 12 marks) A limited answer: limited knowledge and understanding some evidence of analysis and critical evaluation opinion and judgement given but often unsupported by relevant practical examples technical and specialist vocabulary used with limited success written communication lacks fluency and contains errors. 	 At Level 2 responses are likely to include: limited knowledge and understanding of some aspects of the question some evidence of direct and relevant comparison of provision of sport and the pursuit of excellence in Australia and UK
Level 1 (0 – 7 marks) A basic answer: basic knowledge and little understanding little relevant analysis or critical evaluation little or no attempt to give opinion or judgement little or no attempt to use technical and specialist vocabulary errors in written communication will be [0 marks] No response or no response worthy of credit.	 At Level 1 candidates <u>are likely</u> to include: basic knowledge and understanding of some aspects of the question little evidence of direct and relevant comparison of provision of sport and the pursuit of excellence in Australia and UK

2 (d) Indicative content 20 marks

Z (u) maicative co	intent	20 marks
	Provision of Sport in Australia	Provision of sport in UK
1. ASC / Sport England	 ASC Plays a central leadership role in the development and operation of the Australian sports system, administering funding innovative sport programs and providing leadership, coordination and support for the sport sector. 	Sport England wants everyone in England regardless of their age, background or level of ability to feel able to engage in sport and physical activity
2. Initiatives	 Play. Sport. Australia is the game plan to get more Australians, particularly young Australians, playing sport more often – at school or with mates at their local club. 	Sport England Objectives • Protect, enhance, provide • E.g. This Girl Can initiative
3. School Sport	Intra and Inter school games	Intra and Inter school games
4. School-Club Links	Sport Linkage scheme School club links sharing of facilities/pathway for talented children to progress to clubs	Similar
5. Award Schemes	 awarded for achievement in school sport school sports A state Blue The De Coubertin Awards 	Sports Mark for schools
6. Role Models	Use of role models to promote participation in sport • E.g.	Similar

	Pursuit Of excellence in Australia	Pursuit of excellence in the UK
7. ASC v UK	ASC	UK Sport
Sport	 Overall organisation and responsibility for sporting excellence 	 Overall organisation and responsibility for sporting excellence
8. AIS v UKSI	 AIS Clear networks set up to develop sporting talent Based in Canberra Funded by ASC 	UKSI / EIS/ WIS/SIS/ NIIS Based on Australian model
9. AIS (Role) UKSI (Role	 Provides world-class expertise and services to identify, develop and produce world, Olympic and Paralympic champions. Links sports investment to performance targets 	similar
10. Local	Institutes in each state	A number of EIS institutes
Institutes	E.g. VISEnable athletes to train in the locality	E.G. Sheffield
11. funding	Federal and state funding Supplemented by private funding	Government funding Lottery funding
12. Facilities	World class facilities	World class facilities
13. gov. support	Government or political support for sporting excellence • much Govt funding (funding through) ASC	 Government supports sporting success/ 'less' Gov funding than Australia National Lottery funds high performance sport 'issues' linked with recession/local authority cut backs central eg 'plug pulled' from 'free' swimming initiative
14. reflects well	Sporting success reflects well on government	Sporting success reflects well on government
15. Pathways into excellence	Other ways to get into professional sports Drafts – Aussie rules Rugby League – club academy Cricket – through clubs	Similar

C	Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3	(a)	Identify two characteristics of an effective leader in sport. Explain how good leadership can affect lifestyle behaviour. 4 marks for 4 of: Sub max of two marks for: 1. Good communication skills 2. Highly motivated / enthusiastic /positive attitude 3. Clear goal / vision 4. Empathy / gets on well with team mates / can see others' points of view 5. Good at sport themselves / experienced 6. Good knowledge of the sport 7. Charismatic / has presence / commands respect / influential /confident /good decision making 8. Is flexible in the styles used or can adapt	4	Accept first two characteristics given Sub max 2 marks for identification: Accept other relevant characteristics of effective leadership.
		Sub max 2 marks for two effects of leadership on lifestyle		
		behaviour:		
		 Can help to motivate /influence others to follow healthy lifestyle or encourage achievement motivation. Can focus others on positive lifestyle behaviours or on activity/balanced diet or healthy activities. Can educate others/convince others to follow healthy lifestyle Can create a role model (showing healthy lifestyle) or be a significant other so others can copy. You would follow a healthy lifestyle to keep the leader happy or that you want to remain part of the group. By helping others to be more organised or to make the right decisions or to manage others effectively To set goals (re healthy lifestyle) that others will follow To give effective feedback on lifestyle to improve lifestyle behaviour. 		

Qu	estio	Answer	Marks	Guidance
3 3	(b)	Describe strategies that might promote mastery orientation and help to avoid learned helplessness in sports performance. 5 marks for 5 of: 1. Attribute success to controllable / internal factors 2. Empower them/ convince that they can control part of future performances. 3. Attribute failure to unstable factors or changeable factors or external factors /or aspects that are not permanent / enduring (examples may include effort/luck/tactics / developing skills etc) 4. Use role models / significant others/leaders/coach/other players. 5. Use relevant vicarious experiences or to see those of similar ability succeed in the task. 6. Positive reinforcement / encouragement/ verbal persuasion. 7. Raise (general) self-confidence	Marks 5	Accept strategies described that promote MO as relevant to avoiding LH and visa versa. Accept relevant examples as descriptions
		Enable success to be experienced / give success / enable positive outcomes		
		 9. Control arousal / calm them. / use of positive self-talk / thought stopping /control anxiety 10. Use mental practice or mental rehearsal / imagery of successful movement. 		
		11. Use SMART goals or goal setting that is specific or measured target/goal setting or goal setting that is realistic / achievable or that goals must be challenging.		

Question	Answer		Marks	Guidance		
3 (c)	performance in sport. 1 marks for 6 of:	escribe these faulty processes related to team	6	Candidates may relate more than one point to the same practical example of team		
	Motivational losses			performance.		
	1 (social loafing / lack of motivation)	Team performance/productivity is affected by social loafing / lack of individual motivation/ poor motivation can decrease performance/productivity		Relevant and detailed practical example alone may gain credit for description		
		eg The hockey team did not win because one key player did not try hard enough				
	2 (learned helplessness)	Called learned helplessness/attributions of failure to internal stable factors/ losing and blaming themselves/ lacks self-confidence/ low self-efficacy /inexperience				
		eg A netball player who does not try could lack confidence in her own ability.				
	3 (lack of role)	Lack of identifiable roles for team members				
		eg players in a rugby team are not sure of their role within the team.				
	4 (accountability)	Insufficient accountability/individual efforts not recognised				
		eg a member of the cricket team does not feel that his contribution to fielding is being appreciated.				
	5 (injury/illness)	Injury/illness of players may lead to lack of motivation/fatigue				
		eg A member of a volleyball team may be injured and therefore cannot contribute fully.				

Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
	6 (Cohesion)	Lack of team cohesion/ lack of social cohesion/ disputes/perceptions that others are not trying e.g. some members of the football team dislike each other and cannot work together effectively.		
	7 (incentives)	Insufficient incentives to work together/work as a team / lack of common goals / group incentive e.g. The individuals in a hockey team have different personal goals.		
	8 (anxiety)	Too high a level of competition / anxiety of team/individuals /goal perceived to be unachievable/losing e.g. One player in a basketball team feels that the opponents will be too good for them to win.		
	9 (others)	Negative effects of an audience/crowd/coach de-motivates/criticises performer/officials' decisions e.g. The football team lose motivation because the crowd are criticising them.		
	10 (environment)	Environmental factors/stressors may lead to lack of motivation e.g. the cold weather demotivates the players in a rugby match		

Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
	Co-ordination Looses			
	11 (co-ordination)	Team performance affected by lack of co- ordination/working together/lack of communication		
		eg the players in a rounders team do not work together effectively.		
	12 (Ringelmann)	Ringelmann effect/individual performance decreases as group size increases		
		eg the hockey squad seems to be too big for some players who are losing motivation.		
	13 (leadership)	Inadequate leadership		
		eg the football team do not have a team		
		captain and so the team lacks co-ordination.		
	14 (tactics)	Poor team tactics/strategies		
		eg the coach of a handball team has chosen ineffective defensive strategies and players are not aware of who they should be marking.		

(d)* Levels of Response	
Level 4 (18-20 marks) A comprehensive answer: detailed knowledge & excellent understanding detailed analysis and excellent critical evaluation well-argued, independent opinion and judgements which are well supported by relevant practical examples very accurate use of technical and specialist vocabulary high standard of written communication throughout.	Discriminators from L3 are likely to include: A good range of relevant and detailed practical examples for both CU and AS Detailed explanations of both CU and AS Good links throughout with effective performance
 Level 3 (13-17 marks) A competent answer: good knowledge and clear understanding good analysis and critical evaluation independent opinions and judgements will be present but may not always be supported by relevant practical examples generally accurate use of technical and specialist vocabulary written communication is generally fluent with few errors. 	Discriminators from L2 are likely to include: Relevant and detailed practical examples for both CU and AS Explanations of both CU and AS Relevant links throughout with effective performance
Level 2 (8-12 marks) A limited answer: Ilmited knowledge and understanding some evidence of analysis and critical evaluation opinion and judgement given but often unsupported by relevant practical examples technical and specialist vocabulary used with limited success written communication lacks fluency and contains errors.	Discriminators from L1 <u>are likely</u> to include: Relevant practical examples for both CU and AS but lack detail Limited explanations of both CU and AS Some links with effective performance
Level 1 (0 – 7 marks) A basic answer: basic knowledge and little understanding little relevant analysis or critical evaluation little or no attempt to give opinion or judgement little or no attempt to use technical and specialist vocabulary errors in written communication will be intrusive.	 At L1 responses are likely to: Very few or no practical examples for both CU and AS Limited explanations of either CU and AS Few or no links with effective performance Some inaccuracies / misunderstandings of CU and AS

C	Question	Answer		Marks	Guidance
3	(d)*	Indicative Content:		20	
		(Cue utilisation)			Accept opposite view
		1. focus	This focuses attention (Easterbrook)		of negative influences
			 (concentration) selective attention / perceptual narrowing. Eg a goalkeeper will keep her eye on the ball during a penalty kick 		
		2.arousal	as arousal increases so does concentration. Eg when a hockey player is about to start a competitive game		
		3 optimum arousal	When arousal is moderate/optimal / at the right level then performance can increase • because important cues / signals / stimuli can be attended to. • Eg a tennis player will be psyched up to return the serve but is under control		
		4. ZOF	 Enter zone of optimal functioning peak flow experience effecting performance positively building confidence/well-being leading to good performance. Eg the swimmer will feel that she is confident during the race 		
		5.high arousal so miss cues	If arousal continues to increase or is high then this results in narrowing of attention • leading to the missing of vital cues / signals / reduction in performance / poor performance. • Eg a netball player loses her opponent because she is too anxious		

Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
		 rousal is high then processing system could be erloaded information overload / performer cannot sort out all the information leads to confusion or the performer 'freezing' Eg A tennis coach shouting out too many instructions in an important match 		
	miss cues lead	w levels of arousal / wide field of attention can d to poor performance because cues are ssed. • Eg a volleyball player will miss the ball		
	8.hypervigilance Hig	because he is not paying enough attention h arousal can lead to hypervigilance that can be good if very narrow attention needed eg archery but bad if other cues missed		
		eg as a midfield player in football. al styles affects attentional control		
	 external and 10. (broad) - attention to peripheral st eg open skill 			
	concentratecan enable p	is on very few stimuli on small amount of stimuli/information/cue performer to focus on important elements in the environme ball/take aim.	nt	

Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
	12.	(external) - Focus is on environmental stimuli		
		focus directed outwards		
	13.	(external) can enable performer to concentrate on external factors (other than internal)		
		 can escape inner pain/exhaustion. 		
	14.	(Internal) - Focus on themselves/emotions/thoughts		
	15.	(internal) - performer can concentrate on feeling good		
		 zone of optimal functioning/ZOF/peak flow experience/control arousal 		
	16.	information overload		
		too much information can cause confusion		
	21.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
		Distraction		
	1	will not be put off		
	17.	· ·		
		improve reaction time/response time/movement time		
	23.	effective attention can prevent negative feelings		
	24.	enables positive attributions		
		focus on how well you felt about your effort rather than the fact that you lost the		
	25	game of netball		
	25.	good performers can draw on a range or combination of different styles		
		 eg good midfield footballer will be able to look wide, look for other players but also concentrate on his own skills. 		
		also concentrate on his own skills.		

Section B2 Biomechanics

Q	uestio	n	Answer	Marks	Guidance
4	(a)	4 marks for 4 of	The faster the cyclist moves the greater the AR. The greater the frontal/forward cross sectional	4	Guidance
		sectional area) 3. (surface of cyclist/bike)	area the greater the AR or the more tucked the cyclist the less AR. The smoother the surface of cyclist/bike the less AR or use of lycra clothing reduces AR.		
		4. (shape of cyclist/bike/hel met)	Streamlining reduces AR or (tear drop) shape of helmet reduces AR / tapering of the helmet reduces drag/ aerofoil shape		
		5. (Density of air)	AR		
		6. (slip streaming)	Cyclist tucks in behind lead cyclist to get dragged along		

C	uest	ion	Answer	Marks	Guidance
4	(b)	(i)	6 marks for 6 of: Defining impulse (sub max 1) 1. (definition) - Impulse = force x time / Ft / change in momentum / mv – mu	6	
		(iii)	Estimating value of impulse (sub max 2) 2. (method) - Impulse = area under curve or Impulse = ½ x 1000 x 0.1 3. (impulse) - Impulse = 50 N/s (units must be correct) Relationship between impulse and momentum (sub max 3) 4. (follow through) By using a follow through 5. (time) Increases time that force is applied 6. (impulse) Increases impulse acting on ball. 7. (momentum) Increases outgoing / final momentum of the ball 8. (velocity/control) Increases velocity of ball / distance ball travels / control over ball		

Question			Marks	Guidance
4 (c)	5 marks for 5 of:		5	
	Description of flight path of a golf ball (sub max 2)			Sub max 2 for description
	Description of hight path (or a gon ball (Sub max 2)		Sub max 4 for explanation
	1. (hang /float)	Causes golf ball to 'hang' / 'float' in flight or follow a non-parabolic / asymmetric flight path		
	2. (increase distance)	Increases the (horizontal) distance covered		
	3. (more predictable)	Flight path becomes more predictable to read / accurate (than a ball with no spin)		
	Explanation of bounce of 4. (Surface of ball)	of golf ball (sub max 4) (on bouncing) bottom surface of ball wants		
		to slide forwards		
	5. (Friction opposing)	Friction opposes this sliding motion		
	6. (Friction direction)	Friction acts in opposite direction to motion of golf ball / causes a backwards force		
	7. (Effect 1 – speed)	Causing ball to decelerate / hold up / sit up		
	8. (Effect 2 – height)	At a greater angle (than it would normally)		

(d)* Levels of Response	
Level 4 (18-20 marks)	At level 4 answers are likely to show:
A comprehensive answer:	Accurate graphs of both angular velocity and moment of inertia
detailed knowledge & excellent understanding	with axes labelled correctly.
detailed analysis and excellent critical evaluation	Detailed explanation of the concept of moment of inertia.
well-argued, independent opinion and judgements which are well	Knowledge of all 3 analogues.
supported by relevant practical examples	Detailed understanding of the analogue of Newton 1 and its
 very accurate use of technical and specialist vocabulary 	application to a triple spin.
 high standard of written communication throughout. 	Detailed explanation of how moment of inertia and angular velocity
	change at take-off, during flight and landing.
Level 3 (13-17 marks)	At level 3 answers are likely to show:
A competent answer:	Accurately shaped graphs of both angular velocity and moment of
good knowledge and clear understanding	inertia
good analysis and critical evaluation	Good explanation of the concept of moment of inertia.
 independent opinions and judgements will be present but may no 	
always be supported by relevant practical examples	application to a triple spin.
generally accurate use of technical and specialist vocabulary	Good explanation of how moment of inertia and angular velocity
written communication is generally fluent with few errors.	change at take-off, during flight and landing.
Level 2 (8-12 marks)	At level 3 answers are likely to show:
A limited answer:	Graphs of angular velocity and/or moment of inertia attempted but
limited knowledge and understanding	with some inaccuracies.
some evidence of analysis and critical evaluation	Description of the concept of moment of inertia.
opinion and judgement given but often unsupported by relevant	Some understanding of the analogue of Newton 1 and its
practical examples	application to a triple spin.
technical and specialist vocabulary used with limited success	Some explanation of how moment of inertia and angular velocity Angular velocity Angular velocity
written communication lacks fluency and contains errors.	change at take-off or during flight or landing. Candidates at the top
	of this level should have covered at least two of these phases
Level 1 (0 – 7 marks)	At level 4 answers are likely to show:
A basic answer:	Graphs of either angular velocity or moment of inertia are
basic knowledge and little understanding	inaccurate
little relevant analysis or critical evaluation	Basic description of the concept of moment of inertia.
little or no attempt to give opinion or judgement	Basic description of changes in angular velocity or moment of
little or no attempt to use technical and specialist vocabulary	inertia that take place during performance of a triple spin.
errors in written communication will be intrusive.	

			Answer	Marks	Guidance
(d)*	Indic	eative Content:	Anguar memerina B. mement of Inuma tugular Munity	20	Guidanoe
	Grap	ohs (angular velocity)	Inverted U shaped graph • ω on vertical axis / radss ⁻¹ • t on horizontal axis / secs		
	2.	(moment of inertia)	U shaped graph I / moment of inertia on vertical axis in kgm² T on horizontal axis / secs		
	3.	(Concept of moment of inertia)	Resistance of a rotating body to change its state of angular motion • Greater MI means the greater the resistance to start rotating / stop rotating • Rotational equivalent of inertia		
	4.	(mass)	Depends on the mass of an object • The greater the mass the greater the MI		
	5.	(distribution of mass)	Depends on the distribution of mass about the axis of rotation • The further the mass is away from the axis of rotation the greater MI • MI = Σmr²		

		Answer	Marks	Guidan
6.	(Analogue of N1)	The angular momentum of a rotating body will remain constant unless acted upon by an external torque • Also known as the Law of Conservation of Angular Momentum • Angular momentum of the skater remains constant during the flight of the triple spin		
7.	(Analogue of N2)	The rate of change of angular momentum of an object is proportional to the size of the torque acting upon it And takes place in the direction in which the torque acts The greater the torque acting on the skater the greater the angular momentum of the skater		
8.	(Analogue of N3)	For every torque that is exerted by one body on another there is an equal and opposite torque exerted by the second body on the first. • The skater exerts a torque on the ground therefore the ground exerts an equal but opposite torque on the skater		
9.	(angular momentum)	Angular momentum refers to the amount of angular motion a rotating body possesses / is a measure of angular motion. • Depends on its moment of inertia and angular velocity. • AM = moment of inertia x angular velocity / Iω		
10.	(take off of skater) (MI)	MI is high • Skater's mass is distributed away from axis of rotation / centre of mass • Eg Skater has arms wide / leg out away from body		
11.	(axis of rotation)	 (Angular Momentum) given to skater about longitudinal axis of rotation. Reaction force from feet acts outside of the centre of mass/longitudinal axis of rotation of the skater or torque exerted on skater from ground 		

		Answer	Marks	Guidance
12. (ang	gular velocity)	Angular velocity is low • Rate of spin is low.		
13. (Dur (MI)	ring flight)	MI is reduced Skater's mass is brought closer to (longitudinal) axis of rotation Eg skater brings in arms / leg into side of body		
14. (ang	gular velocity)	Angular velocity / rate of spin increases		
•	st before / on ding)	MI is increased To increase resistance to rotation Eg Skater's arms / leg moves out		
16. (ang	gular velocity)	Angular velocity is reduced Prevents over rotation on landing Eg Skater more likely to stay on feet / scores better		

Question		Answer		Guidance	
5 (a)	5 marks for 5 of:		5	No credit given for: Bi-product of lactic acid.	
	1) (anaerobic)	anaerobic reaction/ anaerobic glycolysis/ no oxygen required			
	2) (fuel)	Fuel used is glucose/ glycogen			
	3) (site)	Takes place in muscle cell sarcoplasm			
	4) (yield)	Produces 2 ATP per mole of glucose			
	5) (stages)	Glycogen Phosphorylase / GPP breaks down glycogen into glucose			
	6) (stages)	During glycolysis Phosphofructokinase/ PFK breaks down glucose into pyruvic acid			
	7) (stages)	(Lack of oxygen results in) lactate dehydrogenase / LDH converting pyruvic acid to lactic acid			
	8. (duration)	resynthesises ATP for 2-3 mins/ peaks at 1 minute			
	9. (intensity)	resynthesises ATP during high intensity exercise			

Q	uestion	Answer		Marks	Guidance
5	(b)	6 marks for 6 of:		6	
		Sub max 4 for how/ why			
		How (sub max 4)			
		1. (mega)	mega cycle-4 years – e.g. Olympics		
		2. (macro aim)	macro cycle – overall aim/ long term goal/ long term objective – to compete in Olympics		
		3. (macro time)	typically lasts one year		
		4. (meso aim)	meso cycle – intermediate block of training/ medium term goal/ objective		
		5. (meso time)	4-16 weeks		
		6. (micro aim)	micro cycle –number of training sessions that make a unit/ weekly training/ short term goal/ objective		
		7. (micro time)	1-3 weeks		
		8. Split into seasons	Pre season / Competitive season / Off season		
		Why (submax 4)			
		9. (Peak)	Can peak at the right time for competition		
		10.(Double peak)	Allows performer to peak twice if more than one competition/ rounds/ qualifiers		
		11.(Tapering)	Allows training to be tapered to allow rest before a competition/ allow for recovery		
		12.(moderation/ reversibility)	Helps prevent overtraining/ allows for recovery/avoid injury		
		13.(Specificity)	Can be specific to performance or specific aspect of training/ sport specific		

	Answer	Marks	Guidance
14.(Variance)	Avoids boredom/ maintains motivation by splitting training up into units		
15.(Overload)	Enables performer/ coach to easily change intensity, frequency, duration and rest.		
16.(Progression)	Allows progress to be monitored more often and necessary changes made to maintain progress		
17.(pre season)	To prepare the body for competition All round fitness training / progressive increase in intensity / build a training base		
18.(competitive season)	Maintain peak performance Aims to maintain fitness/ avoid injury		
19.(off season/ transition)	To avoid boredom / allow for recovery / maintain base fitness Focus on rest/ low level activity/ recovery/ cross training		
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5 (c)	4 marks for 4 of:		4	Points 9, 10,11,12 accept any value within the	
	1.(Karvonen/ Critical threshold)	Target HR %, often called critical threshold is calculated using the Karvonen principle= RHR + % (Max HR - RHR)		range.	
	2.(Karvonen)	Often max. HR is estimated using 220-age			
	3. (overload)	Allows for overload to occur so that adaptations occur			
	4. (individual difference)	Calculation (220 –age) does not account for individual differences, such as training			
	5. (different zones)	Different percentages of HR max/ training zones allow for different adaptations			
	6. (higher heart rate)	The higher the HR the greater the adaptations			
	7. (65-85%)	Work between 65-85% of max heart rate is target heart rate zone			
	8. (50-65%)	50-65% is fat burning zone			
	9. (85-100%)	85-100% - anaerobic threshold zone			
	10.(50% or less)	50% or less is recovery			

(d)* Levels of Response	
Level 4 (18-20 marks)	At level 4 answers are likely to include:
A comprehensive answer:	correct definition of aerobic capacity
 detailed knowledge & excellent understanding detailed analysis and excellent critical evaluation well-argued, independent opinion and judgements which are well supported by relevant practical examples 	 detailed explanations of a range of physiological adaptations to training, likely to include points from at least 3 categories (respiratory, cardio, vascular, muscular, connective) selection of relevant tests to measure aerobic capacity
 very accurate use of technical and specialist vocabulary 	a range of positives and negatives for selected tests
 high standard of written communication throughout. 	 evaluation/ independent opinion relating the tests to the performer's needs
Level 3 (13-17 marks)	At level 3 answers are likely to include:
A competent answer:	correct definition of aerobic capacity
good knowledge and clear understandinggood analysis and critical evaluation	 explanations of some physiological adaptations to training, likely to include points from at least 2 categories (respiratory, cardio,
 independent opinions and judgements will be present but may not always be supported by relevant practical examples 	
generally accurate use of technical and specialist vocabulary	some positives and negatives for selected test(s)
written communication is generally fluent with few errors.	 some evaluation/ independent opinion relating the tests to the performer's needs
Level 2 (8-12 marks)	At level 2 answers are likely to include:
A limited answer:	attempted definition of aerobic capacity
limited knowledge and understanding	limited explanation of some physiological adaptations to training
 some evidence of analysis and critical evaluation 	selection of relevant test to measure aerobic capacity
 opinion and judgement given but often unsupported by relevant practical examples 	 limited positives and negatives for selected test(s) basic/ limited evaluation/ independent opinion relating the tests to
 technical and specialist vocabulary used with limited success written communication lacks fluency and contains errors. 	the performer's needs
Level 1 (0 – 7 marks)	At level 1 answers are likely to include:
A basic answer:	attempted definition of aerobic capacity
basic knowledge and little understanding	identification/ description of limited physiological adaptations to
little relevant analysis or critical evaluation	training
little or no attempt to give opinion or judgement	selection of relevant test to measure aerobic capacity
little or no attempt to use technical and specialist vocabulary	limited or no positives/negatives for selected tests
errors in written communication will be intrusive.	 little or no evaluation/ independent opinion relating the tests to the performer's needs

Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
i (d)*	Indicative Content:		20	
	1. (definition)	The ability to take in , transport and utilise oxygen • For continued periods of sub-maximal activity		Definition requires all three aspects
	Cardiovascular			
	2. (cardiac hypertrophy)	Increase in size of the heart resulting in a greater stroke volume (SV)		
		lower resting heart rate (RHR)/ bradycardiaincreased cardiac output (Q)		
		 Resulting in increased blood flow and therefore increased O₂ transport 		
	Vascular			
	3. (blood pressure)	Lower blood pressure		
	4. (RBCs)	Increased number of red blood cells so more oxygen is transported around the body		
		Increase in haemoglobin		
		Increase in gaseous exchange		
	5 (1	Increase in cardiac output/ stroke volume	_	
	5. (plasma)	Increase in plasma volume so decrease in viscosity during exercise		
	6. (capilliarisation of	Increased capilliarisation of alveoli		
	alveoli)	 Increases surface area for diffusion Increased removal of CO₂ 		
	7. (arterial walls)	Increased elasticity of arterial walls helps regulate blood pressure/ decrease in resting/ diastole BP		
		 Increase in vascular shunt so more efficient redistribution of blood 		
	Respiratory			
	8. (respiratory muscles)	Stronger respiratory muscles so more efficient breathing mechanics		
	O (alveeli)	• increased VO ₂ max		
	9. (alveoli)	Increase in aleveoli surface area • Increase in diffusion		

Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
	Muscular			
	10. (muscle hypertrophy)	Muscle hypertrophy results in increased strength		
	11. (myoglobin)	Increased myoglobin stores improve O ₂ storage and transport to mitochondria		
	12. (mitochondria)	Increased number of mitochondria		
	13. (enzyme activity)	Increased aerobic enzyme activity increases metabolism of fat		
	14. (capilliarisation)	Increased muscle capilliarisation increases O ₂ transport • Increase in surface area		
		Increased diffusion		
		 Increased removal of CO₂ 		
	Connective tissue	_		
	15. (tendons/ ligaments)	Increased strength of tendons/ligaments		
	16. (Strength of bones)	Increased strength of bones due to increased calcium content		
	17. (Body composition)	Decrease in non-lean muscle mass/ fat mass		
	18. (synovial fluid)	Increased production of synovial fluid helps lubricate joints and reduce friction		
	Evaluation of tests			
	19. (MSFT	Multi stage fitness test		
	description)	Progressive, maximal running test20 metre shuttle run test		
		 Compares score to standardised tables Predicts VO₂ max 		
	20. (MSFT – positives)	Easy to administer/ simple procedure • Cheap- only requires CD and CD player		
		Easy to understandCompetitive		
		Easy to measure		
		 Not very time consuming Easy to administer to a team/ large group 		

Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
	21. (MSFT – negatives)	 Boring to perform so people give up Repetitive Running specific so might not be very good for a swimmer/ cyclist etc Only a prediction so not very accurate, especially for elite athletes Standard values might not very accurate/ old Quite intense for beginners Not challenging enough for elite performers Would depend on time of day and conditions Could be affected by fluid or food intake before the test Bad memories associated with school 		
	22. (PWC 170 description)	PWC 170 test Sub maximal test on a cycle ergometer Cycle at 3 progressive low to moderate work intensities Record HR values Plot HR values against work intensity to predict work rate when HR reaches 170 bpm/ anaerobic level		
	23. (PWC 170 positives)	Easy to administer/ simple procedure Not too strenuous so wouldn't put people off Only 6 minutes at a time so easy to complete Only need access to a cycle ergometer so not lots of complicated equipment Cycle ergometers are in most gyms		
	24. (PWC 170 negatives)	Cycling specific so people might not be motivated Requires cycle ergometer Takes over 30 minutes so time consuming Not used to cycling so could gain a poor result due to not being used to action Only a prediction/ estimates HR at higher levels Line of best fit is subjective/ open to errors		

Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
	25. (12 minute cooper run description) 26. (12 min positives) 27. (12 min negatives)	Performer might not be trying much as only working at low to moderate intensity so result might not be accurate Depends on time of day and conditions Could be affected by fluid intake or food intake before the test Not easy to administer to a large group/ team Measures how far the participant can run in 12 minutes Often based around a running track The distance achieved is then compared to standard values Easy to administer/ simple procedure Cheap – doesn't require much equipment Easy to administer to groups Competitive Could be adapted to walking if running is too hard Could be adapted to treadmill in gym Boring to carry out so might not be motivated Running specific Only as estimation		Guidantee
	28. (VO ₂ max test description)	 Pacing practice could affect scoring 12 minutes of running might be too difficult VO₂ max treadmill test Exercise is performed on a treadmill/ cycle ergometer. Workload increases gradually from moderate to maximal intensity. Oxygen uptake is calculated from measures of ventilation and the oxygen and carbon dioxide in the expired air, and the maximal level is determined at or near test completion 		

Question		Answer	Marks	Guidance
	29. (VO ₂ max positives)	Can be adapted to different ergometers to be more sport specific, e.g. treadmill, cycle, rower • Most accurate as it is actually a measure of oxygen consumption • Maximal test so gives elite athletes an accurate measure		
	30. (VO ₂ max negatives)	More complicated procedure due to gas analysis Requires specialist equipment Expensive Time consuming Requires accurate calibration Requires precision in process to get accurate result Depends on the skill of person administering the test Affected by quality of equipment Maximal test so not suitable for beginners/ injured/ elderly Hard to carry out with more than one person due to complicated procedure		
	31. (sport specific)	Which test is best is dependent upon how sports specific you want the test to be If for cycling – PCW 170 If running or more team sport based involving running then MSFT		
	32. (intensity/ fitness levels)	Perhaps for those who are new to exercise then the PCW 170 is best as it is less daunting than the multistage fitness test/ more trained athletes MSFT better as more demanding so better gauge		

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Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
33. (motivation) 34. (requirements	The most suitable test might be determined by how motivated they are. • If low motivation a shorter test of lower intensity might be better • If high motivation/ competition then less influence by time and intensity If an elite performer is after a very accurate measure then actually performing a VO ₂ max analysis would be most reliable measure • However if just a gauge of aerobic capacity to measure progress then any of the tests would be better • Would only do VO ₂ max testing when actual data/ analysis required/ not a measure for general progress		

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