

BTEC L3 National Extended Certificate in Sport

Below you will find some information regarding the BTEC Level 3 Extended Certificate in Sport. Please note that there are some entry requirements for this course. Please speak to us if you have any queries or questions.

What is covered?

This is a specialist qualification that focuses on particular aspects of sport, including:

- Fitness Training and Programming – External exam – Year 12
- Anatomy & Physiology – External exam – Year 12
- Sports Industry – Coursework – Year 13
- Sports Leadership – Coursework – Year 13

This course provides a vocational emphasis on learning, and there is flexibility and choice available so that you can develop employment or further education choices as appropriate. The BTEC Level 3 Extended Certificate is equivalent to one full A-level.

What does the course involve?

Due to the nature of the course, there will be some level of physical activity. However, this BTEC predominantly involves theoretical work for exams and coursework modules.

This course features external assessment in the format of a written exam and controlled assessment at the end of the first year. Students will also have the opportunity to gain a qualification in leadership skills.

Quick course facts

You should have a minimum of five GCSEs graded at level 4 or above including English, Mathematics and Science.

It is desirable that students have a keen interest in physical activity and sport.

This BTEC course is coursework based with a variety of assessment methods.

This course prepares you for both the world of work and further education in the sporting industry.

The BTEC Level 3 is equivalent to one full A-level and works great alongside Biology, Chemistry and Psychology.

