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0413 PHYSICAL EDUCATION

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Paper 1, maximum raw mark 80

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question	Section A	Part mark
1	Give one definition of the term mental well-being.	
	 Able to cope with stress/ no psychological difficulties, illness Can control emotions Feel good about yourself / confident /positive 	[1]
2	Describe one effect on the blood that a person training at altitude may experience.	
	 Causes the body to adapt and increase the number of red blood cells Increases the amount of oxygen that can be transported 	[1]
3	Describe how the pelvis helps to fulfil one of the main functions of the skeleton.	
	Protection of the internal organs in the pelvic girdle	
	Support helps provide shapeMovement	[1]
4	What condition could result from excessive eating and taking little exercise?	
	 Obesity Heart problems Respiratory problems Mobility difficulties Problems with joints Being fat /overweight no credit given 	[1]
5	If a player in a tennis match suffered from a sprained ankle, what First Aid treatment would you administer?	
	 Sit the player down / immobilise the joint Raise the leg Place an ice pack or something cold on the joint Compress the joint Seek medical help/ call ambulance No credit given for RICE on its own 	[1]
6	What is the function of plasma and platelets in the blood?	
	Plasma – Acts as the transport system Maintains the correct balance of chemicals Maintains water content and temperature in the body Carries waste products	
	Platelets – Helps produce clotting when a blood vessel is damaged	[2]

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7	What type of movement is allowed by a pivot joint and give an example of where in the body this takes place? • Pivot joint allows rotational movement • The neck between atlas and axis Answers must relate to neck and not just spinal column	1 mark for name and 1 for example [2]
8	 Give a definition of the term Flexibility and describe how it improves performance. Flexibility – the range of movement at a joint Examples can be from a specific sport and describe movement that aids performance i.e. stretching to take a rebound in basketball, increasing the length of a stride when sprinting; gymnasts able to use complex movements on floor and apparatus Reduces the risk of muscle and tendon injury Examples must be sport specific Ans must make reference to bones rather than muscle movement 	[2]
9	Apart from sporting facilities give two different types of leisure facilities provided by private companies. Cinemas, theatres Theme parks / arcades Holiday facilities, hotels Restaurants / bars etc. Spas etc. Dance schools	
10	 Ans must relate to facilities and not activities Describe two ways that improved health care has influenced how people participate in sports. People participate for longer / longer life expectancy Early medical diagnosis allows people to get help before illnesses occur so recover quicker Physiotherapy more available so speeds recovery for certain injuries People are encouraged to be more active as a preventative measure / stay healthy Special classes for people with particular conditions (examples can be given) 	[2]
11	Describe two social benefits of being a member of a sports club. Joining a team / club help improves communication skills Prevents people from becoming isolated Joining a team could improve co-operative skills Meet new people / make friends increase your social circle Can relieve stress and manage aggressive behaviour in a positive way / increase self esteem / confidence	[2]

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12	In what ways do local clubs provide opportunities for participation?	
	 Opportunities are provided within local community / ease of access / competitions Coaching Activities provided reflect the needs of the community Costs are kept to a minimum as there is no profit Local facilities are used i.e. dual use facilities, church halls / provide equipment / transport Financial support through grants, lottery funds can benefit the whole community 	[2]
13	Describe one possible disadvantage when activities are provided by local clubs.	
	 Sometimes unqualified coaches are responsible for the club / activity Facilities can be limited Clubs often stop due to lack of numbers Clubs often stop due to lack of finance 	
	Difficult to get coaches to help with the club	[1]

[Total marks: 20]

Question	Unit B1	Part mark
(a)	Describe one way that adrenalin can cause a reduction in performance.	
	Unable to focus on the taskOver aggressive	
	 Muscles become tense Feeling nervous, feel sick and unable to relax/ anxiety Do not accept over arousal on its own 	[1]
(b)	How is Lactic Acid removed from muscles?	
	 Extra oxygen is needed Lactic Acid is turned into carbon dioxide and water Cool down / continue to exercise slowly Ans relating to oxygen must include the notion of extra, more etc. 	[1]
(c)	The points at which a muscle joins the bone is called the Origin or Insertion. Describe how each helps with movement.	
	 Origin – where the muscle joins the fixed bone Insertion – where the muscle joins the moving bone The insertion moves towards the origin 	[2]

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(d) Name two components of skill related fitness and give examples of how you would recognise these in a skilled performer. One mark awarded for the skill identified and one for the recognition of that skill. The definition needs to imply how this impacts beyond a novice performer. Agility – the ability to change body position and direction quickly i.e. a basketball player would be able to change hands and direction to beat an opponent when dribbling the ball. Balance – the ability to hold a position without wobbling or falling over i.e. a gymnast would be able to land following and movement on the mat and hold their position Co-ordination – the ability to move body parts smoothly and accurately in response to what your senses tell you i.e. a squash player would be able to hold a rally in a game regardless of how the ball came to him Power – a combination of strength and speed i.e. a power lifter would be able to lift heavy weights Speed of reaction, timing - speed of reaction is the time it takes to respond to a stimulus i.e. a sprinter would react quicker to the starter's gun than his opponents. [4]

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(e)	The diagram below shows a joint in the body.	
(i)	Name the type of joint	
	Synovial jointFreely moveable joint	[1]
(ii)	Name the parts of the joint labelled A and B	
	 A – synovial fluid B – cartilage 	[2]
(iii)	How do the parts labelled A and B help in effective movement of the joint when running.	
	 Synovial fluid Fills the joint capsule Acts as a lubricant and keeps cartilage supple Prevents friction/ pain when running Prevents wear and tear on the joint 	
	 Cartilage Helps in the production of synovial fluid Hyaline cartilage covers joint surfaces Hyaline cartilage is smooth and hard which helps movement Hyaline cartilage reduces friction Reduction in wear and tear so reduces injury Fibro cartilage is tough and elastic and acts as a shock absorber Reduces/ cushions the impact when running Through exercise the cartilage thickens, therefore, provides a better cushioning effect 	[2]
	Ans must in either part (i) and (ii) make reference to the term synovial to gain max marks	

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j)	Whe parts	en learning a new skill it is often best to break is.	t down into small	
(i)	Nam	e a skill and describe how it can be broken dow	n.	
	No n Skills com	Candidates can name any skill and need to brie might be broken down into components. i.e. Subreast stroke leg action using a float, arm action using float held between legs mark awarded for naming the skill substantial substantial substantial content parts. Only sports that are recognised in the top be accepted.	wimming teaching taught separately es and not a list of	[2
(ii)	whe	re are different types of input that can be recein developing a new skill. Name one type and g this might be provided.		
		Visual – by using demonstrations by the coach, vide		
		Verbal – the coach repeating instructions througiving times, positions etc.	ghout the activity,	
		Manual – the coach holds you throughout the movused to support i.e. climbing rope, harness in tramp		[2
(iii)	Expl	ain why breaking the skill down helps the learn	ing process.	
		You can only process a certain amount of informati is called Limited Channel Capacity	on at one time; this	
	•	Too much information can cause confusion		
		Breaking down the skill into smaller parts avoids co		
		By breaking down the information it allows you to most important aspects of the skill	concentrate on the	
		More complex skills need to be broken down ar separately/ combine component parts	d each part learnt	: [3
(iv)	Desc	cribe how the memory affects the learning of a s	skill.	
		Memory is split into short and long term		
		The information received is placed in the short-term	<u>-</u>	
		Information is only retained in the short-term m	emory for about 2	
		minutes If this information is not acted upon it fades so a sk	ill requires practise	
	1	to be retained. In the long-term memory we hold information relatir		
		sound and smell. This includes sports skills.	ig to images, taste,	
		Skills are transferred into the long term memory a	ftor a great deal of	:

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Skills are transferred into the long-term memory after a great deal of practise and reinforcement from the coach/ skills can be used again

When receiving information the brain concentrates on what is

This process interprets information and decides on a response by

important – this is called selective attention

scanning the long-term memory for a match

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Question	Unit B2	Part mark
(a)	Give one reason why teenagers need more energy than a very young child. Teenagers are more active than young children Teenagers generally sleep less than younger children Physically bigger	[1]
(b)	 Name one type of muscle and give an example Involuntary – works without any thought process i.e. the gut, stomach, arteries Voluntary – any example of a muscle that is attached to a bone and works when you want it to Cardiac – heart (if described as involuntary give credit) Credit can be given for intercostal muscles as an involuntary muscle 	[2]
(c) (i)	Why is it important to be prepared immediately before starting an event? Helps prepare mentally Increase heart rate and blood flow Warms muscles and makes them more flexible Warms and loosens joints Allows you to get used to conditions Involves skills practice i.e. lay up drills in basketball Helps prevent injuries Helps to improve performance.	[2]
(ii)	 How does a cool down help a performer recover? Helps prevent soreness by keeping the circulation up Helps clear away lactic acid / repay Loosens stiff muscles so they do not get stiff later It may help a player perform better next time, speeds the recovery process. Slows the heart rate down gradually to stop the feeling of being lightheaded No credit for injury and ans must be related to the effects on recovery. 	[1]

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(d)	(i)	Regular training increases a person's <i>vital capacity</i> . Describe the term <i>vital capacity</i> .	
		The maximum volume of air you can breathe out, after breathing in as deeply as possible.	[1]
	(ii)	Why is it important for gaseous exchange to be efficient for a performer be able to play well?	
		 Improve vital capacity – increase the volume of air that is breathed in and out in one cycle of breathing. Allows muscles to work harder/ longer/ play well. An increase in the amount of oxygen and CO₂ to be removed Increasing the amount of carbon dioxide delays the build up of Lactic Acid in the muscles. Tidal Volume – through regular exercise the capacity of the lungs will increase If Tidal Volume increases more oxygen can be delivered and carbon dioxide can be removed quicker By increasing the oxygen carrying capacity the body will be able to tolerate oxygen debt tolerance 	
		Improve the removal of waste products	[3]
(e)		There is a level of risk in all activities.	
	(i)	Explain how you would assess the risk.	
		 Complete a risk assessment Check the suitability of equipment, playing area / clothing / environment Ensure that competition is fair and appropriate 	[1]
	(ii)	Choose an activity and apart from following the rules, describe three safety requirements that you would expect participants to follow.	
		 The responses must relate to the named activity and not include rules / refereeing etc. Responses should relate to: Ground / surface condition Equipment suitability and condition Clothing Footwear Consideration of weather conditions Appropriate level of competition age, sex, weight Levels of ability of the participants How equipment will be lifted or carried Type of safety equipment needed by participants Level of safety / supervision 	
		Knowledge of safety requirements and procedures Do not accept warm up	[3]

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(f)	A performer takes part in the follow Activity Tim	ring training session. ne / distance	
	Sprints 6x 2 Rest 3 m Sprint 6x 2 Rest 2 m	200 m in 200 m	
(i)	What type of training is the perform	er using?	
	Interval Training		[1]
(ii)	Describe two advantages of this type	pe of training.	
	individualIt is easy to monitor progress by a	team sports idual / athletic sports / specific to the a coach required to complete training which	[2]
(iii)	With such a demanding training proimportant. Describe two benefits o	•	
	store in the liver may also get depstores.Depending on the type of ever	•	
	 Prevents over training 		[2]

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(iv)	Apart from time trials, describe one test that could be used to monitor progress.	
	 12 minute Cooper Run 1. Should be performed on a 400 m track, if not a measured track 2. Markers put down every 100 m 3. Candidates should set off and run for 12 minutes 4. Candidates can walk / run 5. Calculate the distance run using laps and markers as a measure Multi-stage Fitness Test 1. Equipment needed – gym with 20 m space; tape with pre-corded tape 2. Performers time their run to coincide with an electric beep 3. The test has 21 levels each of which last for one minute 4. The number of shuttles increase at every level of the test 5. When the athlete cannot complete a shuttle before the bleep the level is recorded Other tests can be used as long as they are recognised tests and they 	[3]
	are appropriate to measuring aerobic fitness.	

[Total marks: 22]

Question	Unit B3	Part mark
(a)	Give one reason why women might find it difficult to take part in physical recreation.	
	 Limited child care facilities Lack of opportunities Financial restrictions 	
	Cultural / traditional / religious restrictions	[1]
(b)	How has television promoted better understanding of sporting performances?	
	 Specialist programmes / documentaries TV programme promoting awareness Ex-players involved in presenting programmes and giving detailed information 	
	 Game analysis Replays of matches / events Just televising events/matches not given credit as this does not demonstrate an increase in understanding. 	[1]

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(c)	Describe three factors that should be considered when planning a new outdoor activities centre.	
	 Location – how isolated is the facility i.e. a climbing centre would need to be accessible for people to be able to visit. Location – nearness to similar facilities Environmental issues – would the development of the centre spoil the area Conservation – possible objections to the planning of any centre Accessibility – is there a road allowing access to the centre. If public transport is not available young performer will find it difficult to access the facility. How long would it take to get there? Costs – the area maybe expensive to develop Costs – equipment to establish the facility can be very expensive to purchase 	
	 Due to the above the cost of using the centre maybe very high Target group 	[3]
(d)	Describe three ways that a sports centre can help promote an increase in participation for performers with disabilities. The answers should relate to local initiatives and not national campaigns or the involvement of national competitions etc. Responses should be related to what is possible within an individual sports centre. • Access to the centre – use of ramps, wide doors, automatic sliding doors, easy access to changing areas, Braille signs on hand rails, hand rails etc. • Access to sports areas – hoists to swimming pools, etc. • Sports available that are adapted to enable participants with disabilities to participate • Modified equipment available • Create opportunities within mainstream sports • Ensure coaches with experience of working with participants with disabilities are available • Local campaigns to encourage performers with disabilities to attend the sports centre	
	the sports centre Links with local schools Create specific times when facilities are available	[3]

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(e) (i)	Explain some of the disadvantages that a country could experience when hosting a global event.	
	 If the games were not to be successful this could impact on the international standing of the host nation Increase in crime and vandalism 	[4]
(ii)	 Often the country that hosts a global event performs better than normal at the event. Explain why this should be the case. Feel-good factor in the host country inspires some performers to play better. Preparation for a major games takes many years and performers from host nations focus on peaking for this event rather than any other Support for the host nation is usually more enthusiastic Performers from host nations usually have access to the best of the training facilities available No need to travel and acclimatise 	
	Automatic qualification	[3]

[Total mark: 15]