

Course Title	BTEC Tech award in Sport
Exam Board	Edexcel
Exam Board Website	www.edexcel.com
Course Code	603/7068/3
Controlled Assessment/Exam Weighting	3 Components in total 2 internal assessment (60%) 1 external assessment (40%)

<b>Course Description:</b>
<p>BTEC Sport is a Two-Year course. Pupils sit an examination in Year 11. Pupils will also complete 2 separate components in which they will submit coursework for internal assessment. The course has been designed to encourage pupils to encourage personal development through practical participation in a range of sporting activities. The course aims to give pupils a wider understanding of the importance of health, fitness and participation in sport. Pupils will be given opportunities to develop their team skills, communication and planning within a sporting setting. BTEC Sport encourages various techniques, personal skills, and attributes essential for working life.</p>
<b>Assessment:</b>
<p><b>Component 1: Preparing Participants to Take Part in Sport and Physical Activity</b> Focuses on types and provision of sport and physical activity, different types of participants and the barriers they face. They will also learn about equipment and technological advances in sport. Non-exam internal assessment set by Pearson, marked by the centre and moderated by Pearson. The Pearson-set Assignment will be completed in approximately 5 hours of supervised assessment. 60 marks.</p> <p><b>Component 2: Taking Part and Improving Other Participants Sporting Performance</b> Focuses on components of fitness and their effect on performance, taking part in practical sport, explore the role of officials in sport and learn to apply methods and sporting drills to improve other participants' sporting performance. Non-exam internal assessment set by Pearson, marked by the centre and moderated by Pearson. The Pearson-set Assignment will be completed in approximately 4 hours of supervised assessment. 60 marks.</p> <p><b>Component 3: Developing Fitness to Improve Other Participants Performance in Sport and Physical Activity</b> Focuses on the importance of fitness and the different types of fitness for performance in sport and physical activity. They will also develop an understanding of the body and fitness testing. External assessment set and marked by Pearson, completed under supervised conditions. The assessment will be completed in 1.5 hours within the period timetabled by Pearson. 60 marks.</p>
<b>This course is suitable for:</b>

People who: Have a keen interest in sport and fitness and pupils who enjoy and participate in a range of sports. BTEC Sport will enhance pupil opportunities in various roles in sport such as; participating, leading and training.

#### Careers/Jobs

This course supports careers within the sports industry such as; Physical Education teacher, sports coach, physiotherapy, sports nutritionist, sports performer. In addition it also provides pupils with necessary team building, communication and leadership skills, qualities that are transferable and vital in modern society.

At Etone College Sixth Form, pupils can continue studying a BTEC Level 3 qualification in Sport provided they meet the entry requirements of a merit or higher.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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