

GCSE PE – Assessment Overview

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The course consists of 2 units

Unit 1 – The Theory of Physical Education (worth 40% of the final grade)

- Externally examined during June of year 11
- The exam is 1 hour and includes multiple choice, short answer and longer answer questions

Unit 2 – Performance in Physical Education (worth 60% of final grade)

This unit has 2 sections

Section 2.1 Practical performance in 4 sports as a performer, coach or official

Section 2.2 Analysis of performance

- This unit is continually assessed during practical lessons
- This unit is externally moderated during a final assessment in May of year 11