

MARK SCHEME for the October/November 2013 series

0413 PHYSICAL EDUCATION

0413/12

Paper 1, maximum raw mark 80

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Section A

- 1 • Rest the injured area [1]
- 2 • Allows performer to rest
• Allows performer to recover / more energy
• Allows performer to concentrate / focus while playing [1]
- 3 • No mark for naming sport. Credit awarded for associated protective clothing, for example: gloves in cricket, gum shield in rugby, shin pads in football [1]
- 4 • Radio / books / newspaper / magazines / internet [1]
- 5 • Energy / repair of muscle tissue / good health
• Examples of the above can be given credit [1]
- 6 • Age / maturity / experience / younger performer lack experience / older performers will have previous performances to refer to
• Motivation / performers need a drive to want to perform / want to train when situations are difficult
• Anxiety / players may find it difficult to play in front of others
• Arousal / performers cannot control emotions
• Conditions / facilities are of poor condition / equipment of poor quality
• Facilities / access to training facilities limited
• Environment / access to natural facilities
• Teaching / coaching / quality of coaching / amount of time spent training / cost of coaching
[Candidates must name a factor and explain appropriately to gain 2 marks]
Answers should not relate to the quality of performance rather than skill level [2]
- 7 • All the body systems function well
• Person is free from illness
• Person is free from injury
• The ability to carry out everyday tasks [2]
- 8 • Movement towards the centre line of the body
• Examples must relate to specific aspects of a sport. For example: when legs are brought back together at the end of a straddle jump in gymnastics
• The contraction of the adductors on the inside of the leg [2]
- 9 • Offer intense / additional coaching / outside coaches coming into school
• Establish links with a range of clubs
• Offer inter-school activities
• Join leagues / competitions / tournaments
• Parent / pupil activities [2]

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- 10 • As a result of altitude, weather, challenge and terrain
- Activities that can only take place in a mountain area
 - Skiing and snowboarding could take place
 - Rock climbing / scree scrambling
 - Mountain biking
 - Hill / Fell walking
- [Must have 1st point to score 2 marks (and one other)] [2]
- 11 • Gives the body a rigid framework / accept examples of areas of the skeleton that gives structure, e.g. rib cage
- Provides surface for attachment of muscles
 - Holds vital organs in place
 - Enables good posture
- [2]
- 12 (i) Reversibility:
- Levels of strength, flexibility and stamina decrease with a reduction of training. Example: Gymnasts lose mobility if they do not constantly perform stretching exercises / performers may stop due to injury, holiday, close season
1 mark awarded for description and 1 mark for an example [2]
- (ii) • Specificity / progression / overload [1]

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Section B
Unit 1 Factors affecting performance

- 1 (a) • Pain from injury is masked and cannot be felt making injury worse and recovery time longer
• Injury could become permanent and end performers sporting career
• Narcotic analgesics are highly addictive and could lead to dependency
• Possible ban from sport if detected [2]
- (b) (i) • Input [1]
- (ii) • The (body's various) senses tell the performer what is happening [1]
- (c) • Allows movement of the arm in all directions at the shoulder / raises arm at shoulder / shoulder flexion / abduction
• For example bowling in cricket
1 mark awarded for description and 1 mark for the example [2]
- (d) (i) • Pear shaped body
• Wide hips
• Narrow shoulders
• Rounded head
• High proportion of fat on body, upper arms and thighs
• Wider body shape front to back as opposed to side to side
• Slim wrists and ankles [2]
- (ii) • Suited to sports which require strength and power but with limited movement, for example a wrestler / sumo / rugby prop forward [1]
- (e) (i) • Carries O₂ to working muscles
• Carries CO₂ to lungs for exhalation
• Blood clotting or coagulation, which is used to stop bleeding in event of injury
• White blood cells help fight infection [2]
- (ii) • Build up of lactic acid causes fatigue
• Build up of lactic acid causes pain in the muscles
• Breathing rate increases to replenish blood supply with O₂
• Performer may have to stop / could collapse [2]

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- (f) (i) Answers should relate to performances over time
- The ability to work for long periods of time / without becoming tired
 - The ability for the heart and lung systems to cope with activity (over a long period of time)
 - Efficient heart, lungs and blood vessels to keep muscles supplied with energy
 - Efficient removal of waste products
- [2]
- (ii)
- Perform a number of 20m shuttle runs in time to bleep from pre-recorded source
 - After each minute the bleep gets shorter so running speed needs to increase
 - Performer continues until they are no longer able to keep up
 - Level of performance recorded
 - Scores compared to published table to calculate VO_2 maximum
- [Candidates must give a full description of the process in order to gain 2 marks, 1 mark awarded if the candidate demonstrates an understanding of the majority of the above points)
- [2]
- (iii)
- 1 mark can be awarded for a detailed description of the data in the table
 - Gives an accurate measure of current aerobic capacity / in an event lasting a period of time the candidate with the higher scores would have an advantage
 - Repeated testing can act as a guide to improvement in a person's stamina
 - Results can be compared to national norms and standards
 - Identify appropriate training programme
- [2]
- (g) (i) Specific / Measurable / Accepted (or Agreed) / Realistic / Time phased / Exciting / Recorded
- [2]
- [Banded marking; 5–6 correct award 2 marks, 3–4 correct award 1 mark]
- (ii) Example: Basketball
- Specific: To achieve a set number of points scored per game
 - Measurable: Points scored
 - Accepted: Both performer and coach must accept the performance goal adopted
 - Realistic: Targets set must be achievable, for example a 70% success rate in shooting (7 out of 10 shots achieved)
 - Time phased: Targets need to be given a set period for completion and review
 - Exciting: Offer challenge, inspiration and reward for the performer
 - Recorded: Results should be recorded to evaluate progress, provide feedback and motivate performer
- [4]
- (1 mark awarded for the description of the target and 1 mark for the example which must link to the named activity)

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Section B
Unit 2 Health, safety and training

- 2 (a)**
- Meditation
 - Listen to music
 - Reading
 - Breathing techniques
 - Having a walk prior to event
 - Periods of relaxation / rest / sleep
 - Reduce tension
 - Avoid anxiety situations
- [2]
- (b)**
- Clean with running, clean water
 - Dab dry and cover with a dressing
 - Clean and dry around affected area
 - Hold dressing in place with plaster / apply pressure
 - Raise the injured part
- [2]
- (c)**
- Floor surface – if wet may cause slipping / surface suitable for activity / uneven / broken or damaged
 - Equipment – left out of place may cause obstruction / of suitable condition / good repair
 - Poor / insufficient lighting
 - Dual activities interfering with each other / enough space for activity
 - Inadequate supervision / space for spectators / non participants
 - Temperature in the hall / too hot or too cold / condensation on the floor if too cold
- [3]
- (d)**
- Age: young people who are growing need to eat more as a result of energy expenditure
 - Adults generally need less food as they become more sedentary (but tend to over consume)
 - Someone with a sedentary lifestyle, such as an office worker needs less food than someone such as a postman who is regularly active
 - Body composition: generally the “bigger” you are the more food you need to maintain metabolism
 - Sex: men normally require a greater calorific intake than women
 - Sports played / active healthy lifestyle: the more strenuous the sport the greater the intake of food required
- [3]

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- (e) Short term effects of exercise on the cardiovascular system:
- Increase in heart rate which prepares the body for activity
 - Increase in hormone stimulation improving anticipation
 - Increase in blood pressure
 - Heart rate continues to work at a steady period beyond exercise as a result of hormone levels before steadily returning to normal
 - During exercise heart rate increases rapidly
 - This provides the muscles with O₂ and nutrients to provide the muscles with energy
 - During exercise, cardiac output is increased. Cardiac output = stroke volume × heart rate
 - During exercise stroke volume increases
 - (because) more blood is sent back to the heart due to the muscles squeezing blood in the veins
 - As the heart fills up, it stretches as the muscle fibres stretch; they contract more strongly, pumping out more blood

The short term effects of exercise on the respiratory system:

- During exercise, the body needs a supply of oxygen to release energy in the muscles

This is done by:

- Increasing breathing rate by about three times the normal rate
- Increasing tidal volume by five times the normal rate
- Increasing blood supply to and through the lungs
- Increasing oxygen uptake
- Breathing rate increases due to demands for more O₂
- Blood is immediately diverted from some functions (digestive system) to muscles

[4]

- (f) (i) • Carbohydrate provides the most ready source of energy
- Minerals are required by the body for building tissue, for example, calcium forms bones

(ii) Carbohydrate [2]

- No energy for endurance events / poor energy resources
- No stored glycogen for later use when required
- Reduced fat stores
- Reduced insulation / buoyancy

Minerals

- Calcium: weaker bones / reduced blood clotting / weaker muscles
- Iodine: poor growth / underactive thyroid gland / reduced energy
- Iron: less red blood cells / fatigue / low resistance to disease
- Potassium: weak muscle contractions / poor skin condition / unstable blood pressure
- Sodium: swelling due to fluid build up / cramps
- All of the above will result in being more prone to illness

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Unit 3

Reasons and opportunities for participation in physical activity

- 3 (a) • People work fewer working hours / more flexibility in working hours
• People work from home so can choose hours to work
• Longer holiday periods
• Increased unemployment / early retirement
• Use of technology results in many having less physically demands jobs so more energy for leisure [2]
- (b) • It gives players and supporters from different countries the opportunity to meet and develop friendship
• It unites people from different races, religions, cultures and classes in a shared interest
• Gives the world's top athletes the chance to compete against each other. This encourages excellence / provides greater challenge
• It spreads interest in sport and encourages more people to play / opportunity to watch the best performers / greater interest
• Improved infrastructure / use of high quality facilities [2]
- (c) • Rule changes: introduced through media pressure as a way of making the sport more exciting and appealing, for example the tie break rule in tennis
• Undermining officials decisions: use of instant replays in the studio can highlight official "on the spot" decisions as incorrect
• Intrusion
• The presence of cameramen / interviewers may impede or distract performers
• Timing of events: media pressure and financial support of an event may dictate changes to timing of event to maximize audience
• Popularity: if the media chooses to / not to feature certain events the sport may decline in participants and general interest / some sports are made more popular / creates greater awareness
• Intrusion of individual privacy
• Reduced attendance at the actual event
• Promotes sport / increases participation / rewards have greatly increased
• More people can see, hear and read about sport / changes in perception about certain sports
• Some sports become more about entertainment, e.g. WWF wrestling
• Creates sports stars which can have both a positive or negative effect on youngsters / more role models
• Can inform and entertain
• If seen on TV, sports can attract sponsorship, improving facilities, training and equipment / kits used to advertise
• Standards of performance increases / greater pressure on performers to play well / more competitions
[Candidates are awarded for both positive and negative responses to the question]

[3]

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- (d) • Legislation ensures equality
- Females have been positively encouraged to take part in sport
 - Money for facilities, growth in popularity of events targeted at females / female only sessions
 - Development of role models
 - Recognition that women can compete in events that were inappropriate
 - Men and women competing on equal terms
 - More women become coaches / referees
- [4]

- (e) • Health / prevention of illness / relieve stress / improve body shape / physique / weight / look and feel better / possibly live longer /
- Enjoyment / people may take up an activity for pleasure / enjoyment / excitement / experience develop skills
 - Social reasons / joining a team or club to meet or make new friends / to socialise with people you already know / prevent boredom / something to do that interests you
 - Business reasons / for example meeting with business associates on a golf course to leisurely discuss business matters / make new contacts / create a career
- Candidates can give up to three examples from one area
- [4]

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