



### **Assessment -**

You are assessed on the strength of coursework for all units.

Evidence for coursework may be provided in a variety of formats including presentations, log books, videos, written portfolios and demonstrations. Pupils can achieve either a Pass (E grades)\*, Merit (C grades)\* or a Distinction (A grades)\*.

\* A2 Level equivalent

### **What the course can lead to -**

Students are welcomed warmly on Sports related degree courses. Higher education establishments such as Liverpool John Moores University and Edge Hill show preference to BTEC Sport qualifications due to their inclusion and encouragement of independent study by learners. The course also provides a comprehensive base if the student wishes to go into employment in the sports industry and beyond.

**Exam Board: Edexcel**

# Btec National Award & Certificate Sport

## What the course will involve -

The award is the equivalent of one A level and is made up of 6 units studied over 2 years.

The certificate is the equivalent of two A levels and here 12 units are studied over the two units. Exceptional students may find it possible to complete the national Diploma (equivalent to 3 A levels).

<b>3 mandatory units</b>	<b>Other units covered</b>
The Body in Action	Practical Team Sport
Health and Safety	Sports Coaching
Training and Fitness for Sport	Sports Development

Additional units to be covered by Certificate students in a 2nd option block could include:

Fitness Testing	Psychology for Sport
Rules, Regulations and Officiating	Sport and Society
Instructing Physical Activity and Exercise	Sports Nutrition



## Entry Requirements -

You should have a genuine interest in sport and be looking at it as a career possibility. You should be willing to participate practically in a range of sports and sporting scenarios, with at least five GCSEs in a range of subjects, including a good performance at GCSE English.