



Friday 22 December 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

I am writing to inform you about the GCSE PE practical marks assessment/moderation which will take place on three dates when we return in January. As part of their GCSE PE grade, pupils are assessed in three sports. Students must be assessed in one team sport, one individual sport and a third sport, which can be either a team or individual sport. The marks from these three sports will make up 40% of their final GCSE grade.

Your child is required to attend afterschool sessions where pupils will be graded on their performance in their chosen sports for the final time. This will be done by a number of teachers at the same time to ensure fairness and consistency with the grades given. We will be running three sessions to assess pupils in the following Sports: Football, Netball, Table-tennis, Badminton, Tennis and Basketball.

Date	Sport	Venue	Time
Monday 22 January	Football	All weather Pitch	3.30-5pm
Monday 22 January	Netball	Muga	3.30-5pm
Thursday 25 January	Table tennis	Gym	3.30-5pm
Thursday 25 January	Badminton	Sports Hall	3.30-5pm
Tuesday 30 January	Tennis	Muga	3.30-5pm
Tuesday 30 January	Basketball	Sports hall	3.30-5pm

Students need to attend the relevant assessment sessions based on sports that they would like to be assessed in and they must attend in School PE kit and suitable footwear. Students are welcome to bring their own bats or rackets, but the School will be able to provide any equipment required.

A reminder that pupils can be assessed in Sports they do outside of School, but they need to be able to provide video evidence of this (which they are already aware of). This evidence must be submitted to their PE teacher before 30 January 2024 please.

In addition to these practical sessions, pupils will be offered the opportunity to attend GCSE intervention/ revision sessions on a Wednesday each week, after February half term, up until their exams. This is where pupils will have the opportunity to receive further support understanding lesson content, revision, exam technique and exam practice.

If you have any questions about the GCSE PE course or anything else, please do not hesitate to contact me via email on mbrannan@northleamington.co.uk

Yours faithfully

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