

Sixth Form Enrolment Task
Subject – Physical Education
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Independent Learning Task

Due to be handed in first lesson in September

Learning Objectives:

1. Broaden knowledge of sporting disciplines and associated rules/history
2. Develop ability to analyse sporting performance

Success Criteria:

1. Produce a newspaper article reporting on three different sporting events from the Tokyo Olympics

Explanation of task..

The aim of the task is to broaden your experience of sport and encourage you to analyse performance. You need to watch three different sporting events and write a short report on each, presented in the style of a newspaper back page with photo's and graphics used to improve presentation. The report should provide a brief overview of the event (e.g. history, rules, past champions) and a short analysis of the performance viewed. You may wish to do a main article in more depth and two smaller articles or split the work evenly. The task duration is 4-5 hours – you should spend approximately 3 hours watching and enjoying sport and then 1-2 hours on your newspaper article. Ultimately, as PE student this task should be fun - please don't feel limited to 3 hours of viewing time!

Resources to support your work...

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/sport/olympics/18612325>

If you go onto the BBC website you can access the list of events and when they are on.

The BBC and Eurosport hold rights for broadcasting so all people will have access to view the events – you can use the iPlayer or Eurosport player (if you have it) to watch events on demand

This work is important because it leads to a broader knowledge of sport and an introduction to performance analysis and research. Ideally we would encourage you to choose 3 sports that you have less prior knowledge of.

If you do this you will then be able to provide more robust practical examples in exam questions, understand the concept of performance analysis in preparation for the non-examination assessment and develop your knowledge of the history of sport which will benefit you when studying the sociology modules of the course.