



# A LEVEL PHYSICAL EDUCATION SUMMARY OF ASSESSMENT SUMMER 2021 ONLY

**Component 1: Exploring concepts in physical education**  
**Written examination: 2 hours**  
**35% of qualification**

To assess all A level subject content

**Question types**

Contextualised questions to include multiple choice, data response, short and extended answers

**Component 2: Evaluating physical education**  
**Written examination: 2 hours**  
**35% of qualification**

To assess all A level subject content

**Question types**

A range of questions to include data response, short and extended answers

**Component 3: Improving Personal Performance in physical education**  
**Non-exam assessment**  
**30% of qualification**

To assess

- practical performance in one activity as a player/performer or coach
- analysis and evaluation of personal performance

There will not be a change to the content and requirements of Component 3 for GCE. However, there will be a change in terms of process.

- (i) Moderation will be conducted remotely using videoed evidence for all activities.
- (ii) There will be a relaxation of the requirements for provision of evidence:
  - type and quality of videoed evidence
  - evidence of participation in competitive sport.

Candidates entering the qualification in 2022 should use the accredited [specification](#).