Subject: GCSE PE	Subject Leader: Miss Dix	Year Group: 9	AUTUMN TERM
Торіс	Key Learning Points	Key Vocabulary	Assessments
Skeletal	Functions of the skeleton	Movement at a joint, Muscle Attachment, Shape, Storage,	Students will be
System		Support, Protection, Production	formatively assessed each
	Types of Bone	Short, Long, Flat, Irregular -	half term during an in
	Names & Locations of bone	Cranium, jaw bone, vertebrae, scapula, humerus, ribs,	class test using past exam
	Articulating bones	sternum, clavicle, radius, ulna, carpals, metacarpals, pelvis, sacrum, femur, tibia, patella, fibula, talus, tarsals,	paper questions.
		metatarsals, phalanges	Before each
		head/neck – cranium & vertebrae, shoulder – scapula &	assessment students
		humerus, chest – ribs & sternum, elbow – humerus, radius,	will complete a
		ulna, hip – pelvis & femur, knee – femur, tibia & patella.	revision homework
		ankle – tibia, fibula and talus	After each
	Joint types	Hinge & Ball and Socket	assessment there will
		flexion & extension	be an opportunity for
	Structure of synovial joint	plantar & dorsiflexion	students to review
	Joint types and movements	Abduction & adduction	their understanding
	Movement analysis	Rotation & Circumduction	• Full analysis of the
			paper to review strengths and areas
Muscular System	Names and Location of Muscles	Torso – latissimus dorsi, trapezius, abdominals,	of weakness linked to
		sternocleidomastoid, Pectorals	topic areas or styles
		Arms – Deltoid, bicep, triceps, rotator cuff	of questions.
		Legs - hip flexors, gluteals, hamstring group, quadriceps	
		group, gastrocnemius, tibialis anterior,	All assessments will be
			marked by teachers and
	Muscular Contractions	Muscles pull, attached by tendons	results recorded and used
		one contracts the other relaxes	to stretch and challenge
		Isotonic - Concentric & eccentric	as appropriate.
		Isometric	
	Antagonistic Pairs	Prime mover/agonists & antagonists	
		triceps & bicep	
		gastrocnemius & tibialis anterior, gluteals & hip flexors	
		deltoid & latissimus dorsi, Pectorals & deltoids	

Subject: GCSE PE	Subject Leader: Miss Dix	Year Group: 9	SPRING TERM
Торіс	Key Learning Points	Key Vocabulary	Assessments
Respiratory system	Structures of the respiratory system Mechanics of Breathing What is a Spirometry Trace Gas Exchange	Mouth, nasal cavity, trachea, bronchi, bronchioles, lungs, alveoli, diaphragm, intercostal muscles Inspiration & Expiration, chest cavity, lung volume, air pressure Spirometry Trace, tidal volume, expiratory reserve volume, inspiratory reserve volume, residual volume. surface area, diffusion, capillaries, concentration, haemoglobin, oxyhaemoglobin, oxygen, carbon dioxide	 Students will be formatively assessed each half term during an in class test using past exam paper questions. Before each assessment students will complete a revision homework
Cardiac System	structure and function of the blood vessels Structure of the heart Measures of the Heart	Veins, Capillaries, arteries, lumen, valves Atria, ventricles, Pulmonary artery, Pulmonary vein, Aorta, Vena Cava, Diastole (filling) and systole (ejection) of Pulse, Cardiac output, stroke volume, heart rate, anticipatory rise,	 After each assessment there will be an opportunity for students to review their understanding Full analysis of the
Principles of Training	Training thresholds Anaerobic Exercise	aerobic, anaerobic, training zone, maximum heart rate, circuit training, one rep max, repetition (reps), sets anaerobic exercise (glucose → energy + lactic acid), Short duration, High intensity, 80 – 90% percentage HRmax Speed, Agility, Strength, power 30 m Sprint test, Illinois agility test, handgrip dynamometer,	paper to review strengths and areas of weakness linked to topic areas or styles of questions. All assessments will be marked by teachers and
	Components of Fitness Tests Reasons & Limitations of testing	vertical jump test, plyometrics,	results recorded and used to stretch and challenge as appropriate.

Subject: GCSE PE	Subject Leader: Miss Dix	Year Group: 9	SUMMER TERM
Торіс	Key Learning Points	Key Vocabulary	Assessments
Training Variations	Training seasons	pre-season/preparation competition/peak/playing season post-season/transition.	Students will be formatively assessed each half term during an in
Principles of Training	Training Principles	SPORT to include: specificity, progressive overload, reversibility, tedium. Key principles of overload. FITT frequency • intensity • time • type.	class test using past exam paper questions.
	Effects of exercise	Long term, months/years, hypertrophy, bradycardia, Short term 24 – 36hrs DOMS,EPOC, Warm up, cool down, Immediate effects of exercise	 Before each assessment students will complete a revision homework After each
	Aerobic Exercise	aerobic exercise (glucose + oxygen → energy + carbon dioxide + water)	assessment there will be an opportunity for students to review
	Components of Fitness Tests	Cardiovascular endurance, multi stage fitness test, high altitude, Interval training/high intensity interval training, Muscular endurance, sit up bleep test, weight training, Reaction time, balance, co-ordination, ruler drop test, stork stand test, wall toss test, circuit training, flexibility, sit and reach test, Static Stretching	 their understanding Full analysis of the paper to review strengths and areas of weakness linked to topic areas or styles of questions.
			All assessments will be marked by teachers and results recorded and used to stretch and challenge as appropriate.

How parents can support learning in the subject this academic year

Take an interest in the subject

Support with Homework

Ensuring students have all the correct equipment including PE uniform for practical lessons

Keep PE teachers informed of any long term injuries or illnesses that may impact participation of practical elements

Recommended Reading

Text book GCSE bitesize

AQA specification

Points to note

Majority of these lessons will be classroom based giving lots of opportunity for foundation theory knowledge to be embedded.

Students should begin to consider which sports they might offer for grading. There is no obligation to take up anything additional, but please keep teachers informed of any sporting participation outside of school as this could count towards final grades.