

YMCA Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Supporting Delivery of PE in School Sport (601/6826/2)

Purpose Statement

Overview

Who is this qualification for?

The YMCA Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Supporting Delivery of PE in School Sport is aimed at learners who are either already working, or aspire to work, in a physical education and school sport setting. It provides the knowledge and skills required to support the delivery of low risk activities within physical education and school sport programmes in a school sport environment

What prior qualifications/levels of attainment are needed to take this qualification? Are there any age restrictions?

No prior qualifications are required however learners must be aged 16+

What does this qualification cover?

The YMCA Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Supporting Delivery of PE in School Sport is regulated by Ofqual and comprises a total of 54 credits. To achieve this learners must complete the following 12 mandatory units

- Communication and professional relationships with children, young people and adults (2 credits)
- Schools as organisations (3 credits)
- Understand child and young person development (4 credits)
- Understand how to safeguard the wellbeing of children and young people (level 3, 3 credits)
- Support assessment for learning (4 credits)
- Plan a physical education and school sport programme (5 credits)
- Deliver a physical education and school sport programme (4 credits)
- Review the delivery of a physical education and school sport programme (3 credits)
- Organise and lead a sports event or competition (3 credits)
- Preparing for the mentoring role (3 credits)
- Support gifted and talented learners (4 credits)
- Facilitate community-based sport and physical activity (16 credits)

Vocational content will dependent upon the units selected, however learner should have access to a real work environment

What could this qualification lead to?

Future employment possibilities

This qualification provides the learner with a solid foundation of both the knowledge and skills required for employment/career progression within physical education and school sport professions such as:

- School Sports coach
- Teaching assistant
- School Sports development officer
- School Sports leader
- School Volunteer

Progression to further/higher level learning

This qualification provides progression to qualifications such as

- Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Sports Development
- Level 3 Award in Supporting Teaching and Learning in Schools
- Further teaching and assessing qualifications
- A range of coaching qualifications

Who supports this qualification?

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The Association for Physical Education (afPE) has also stated they believe that “by 2015, coaches employed in or by schools supporting Curriculum time PE should qualified to a Level 2 National Governing Body (NGB) Award and be working towards a Level 2 and 3 Certificate in Supporting the Delivery of Physical Education and School Sport or equivalent, to comply with the forthcoming afPE Safe Practice Guidance for Schools” (March 2013).