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Question	Answer	Marks
1	Examples may include:	1
	tennis serve / volleyball spike / overhead kick in football / headspring in gymnastics / smash in badminton / jump shot in basketball;	
	Accept any complex skill.	

Question	Answer	Marks
2	overweight / obesity / underweight / poor growth / diabetes / weakness of bones / rickets / lack of energy / cholesterol / heart problems / malnutrition / deficiency disease / named deficiency disease;	1

Question	Answer	Marks
3	people see more activities; (Accept examples.)	1
	makes sports more fashionable;	
	people more aware of health issues / benefits of exercise;	
	promotion of role models;	
	promotion / advertising of events / sports;	
	increases awareness of / interest in physical activities;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
4	increase in heart rate;	1
	more oxygen / glucose pumped to the muscles;	
	increase blood flow to muscles;	
	muscles become tense;	
	muscles may shiver;	
	pupils dilate;	
	increase in blood pressure;	

Question	Answer	Marks
5	Accept a positive or a negative effect.	1
	become fitter as more time to exercise;	
	less fit as less money to pay for activities;	
	lose motivation;	
	depression / boredom (can lead to smoking / drinking / drugs);	
	lack of confidence to try new things;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
6	fixtures secretary;	2
	membership secretary;	
	treasurer;	
	chairperson;	
	vice chairperson;	
	coach / team manager;	
	Accept secretary alone.	
	Accept other valid examples.	

Question	Answer	Marks
7	A (shape and) support / movement;	2
	B protection / blood production;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
8	soreness and joint pain when training / muscle cramp / minor injuries / longer recovery from injury;	2
	tiredness / loss of energy before / after performance;	
	short-tempered / irritable;	
	frequent colds;	
	loss of appetite / losing weight;	
	drop in performance / lack of concentration / lack of focus; (Accept examples.)	
	lack of motivation;	

Question	Answer	Marks
9	parents act as a coach / educator;	2
	parents provide a model for children to follow;	
	parents provide transport;	
	parents provide funding / equipment;	
	parents encourage participation through support / watching games / provide small rewards / help find a suitable activity;	
	parents may make choices about physical activities for their child;	
	send child to specialist sports school;	
	Negative responses accepted, e.g. parents do not encourage participation / funding etc.;	
	Accept other examples.	

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Question	Answer	Marks
10	Max. two marks for an explanation of how smoking affects the amount of oxygen.	3
	Max. two marks for the effects on performance.	
	how smoking affects the amount of oxygen:	
	red blood cells take up carbon monoxide rather than oxygen in the lungs;	
	less oxygen in blood;	
	tar collects in the lungs blocking alveoli;	
	mucus causes congestion in the lungs;	
	decrease in the surface area of the lungs that can absorb oxygen / reduced surface for gas exchange / reduced efficiency of gas exchange / reduces lung capacity;	
	effects on performance:	
	reduces cardio-vascular endurance / fitness;	
	reduces VO ₂ max.;	
	becomes fatigued quicker;	
	irritation / coughing reduces performance;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
11	wear appropriate clothing / tight-fitting clothing (to ensure it does not catch on equipment);	4
	remove jewellery / tie long hair back;	
	check equipment is appropriate for use / ensure floor is clean / not slippery / clear of equipment / ensure matting is in correct place;	
	wear safety grips / straps / use chalk / appropriate footwear;	
	do not try moves that have not been practised / learn correct techniques;	
	do not participate unless fit / healthy;	
	ensure supervision / spotters are in place (for difficult movements) / listen to coach / instructor;	
	know the rules of the competition / follow the rules;	
	be aware of competition areas so competitors do not collide;	
	do not continue if injured;	
	before the event make sure you are prepared / eat / drink / sleep appropriately;	
	performing at an appropriate level, e.g. age groups, weight categories;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
12(a)	movement;	2
	create force;	
	support / posture / muscle tone / provide stability (for joints);	
	heat production;	
	protection of organs / bones;	
	aid digestion;	
	cardiac muscle / arteries pump blood;	
	store glycogen;	
12(b)	examples may include:	3
	trophies / medals / certificates;	
	prize money / items of equipment / vouchers;	
	scholarship / bursaries;	
	involvement in sport reward schemes;	
	house / class points / competitions / credits;	
	recognition of success by providing badges to be worn with uniform / items of clothing;	
	celebration / awards evenings;	
	examination courses;	
	visiting speakers / celebrities / coaches;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
12(c)	performer happy with the level of their performance;	3
	group / team opposed to taking drugs / playing in a culture opposed to taking drugs / positive peer pressure;	
	an individual is morally opposed to taking drugs / not prepared to cheat;	
	activity would not benefit from taking drugs;	
	drugs not available / too expensive;	
	not prepared to take medical risks / dangerous to health / fear of becoming addicted;	
	not prepared to risk being banned / caught / against the law / get a bad reputation / let others down;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
12(d)	An explanation of each factor is required, for example:	4
	age – maximum fitness is generally highest in the twenties and reduced after this point;	
	gender – after the age of around 11 males grow taller and stronger but females are usually more flexible;	
	body type – may be more suited for certain sports;	
	diet – to meet energy needs;	
	exercises – type and regularity of exercise;	
	environmental / climate / altitude – living in areas of pollution can affect health;	
	illness / injury / fatigue – need rest and time to recover / sleep;	
	stress – lowers fitness as it harms health;	
	physical disability – limited movement can restrict type of activities;	
	drug taking – lowers fitness and damages health including socially accepted drugs;	
	motivation – affects willingness to train;	
	lifestyle – people who have physically demanding jobs are more likely to be fitter;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
12(e)	all information goes into the short-term memory / all information in short-term memory for a few minutes;	3
	limited channel capacity so can only process some information;	
	information can only be retained for a few minutes / can be forgotten;	
	execution of skills needs cues to be able to perform well;	
	skills must be practised to allow them to be moved to the long-term memory;	
	when skills can be done consistently they are established in the long-term memory;	
	the long-term memory will link and adapt skills to a game situation / skills are retrieved from the long-term memory;	
12(f)(i)	skill-related fitness is usually specific to a particular sport and needs to be practised in a specific setting / practised over time / specific equipment needed;	2
	skill-related fitness may need to be coach-led;	
	skill-related fitness involves the more technical aspects of a sport;	
	health-related fitness aspects can be improved in most environments / by everyday activities;	
	health-related fitness does not need to be specific to a sport / need specialist equipment;	
	some skill-related components are partly genetic and cannot be improved;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
12(f)(ii)	Examples can be taken from any sport.	4
	For example in rugby:	
	agility – the ability to side step an opponent;	
	balance – being able to run without falling when contact is made;	
	co-ordination – being able to catch a ball and pass in a single movement;	
	speed of reaction – diving onto a loose ball to secure possession;	
	timing – a hooker striking for the ball when it is put in the scrum;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
12(g)	junior athletes may have been physically well developed for their age and others catch them up at a later stage;	4
	physically unable to cope with the extra demands / competition becomes harder (due to more athletes involved) / loss of interest;	
	early success makes an athlete complacent;	
	high profile can cause media interest that is intrusive (and distract from training) / increased expectations / pressure;	
	loss of motivation (to continue with the demands of training);	
	unable to find a suitable coach / training group to move to a higher level;	
	unable to access centre of excellence / high-quality facilities;	
	unable to find the level of funding needed without moving area / unable to attract sponsorship to be able to train full time;	
	unable to access international competition and training;	
	stress / overuse injuries increase as the athlete's body develops;	
	athlete becomes physically and mentally burnt out from too much training / competition as a junior;	
	other interests take over / work / going to university / social life;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
13(a)	improvements in health, e.g. less likely to suffer from heart disease / stroke / diabetes / live longer;	2
	improve fitness, e.g. able to sustain exercise for longer / being stronger – accept examples;	
	improvements in mental health, e.g. more able to cope with stress / higher self-esteem;	
	improvements in performance, e.g. lift heavier weights / kick a ball harder;	
	Accept other examples.	
13(b)	unsteady on feet / dizzy / poor balance / headache;	2
	collapse / unable to continue / cramp;	
	weakness / exhaustion / tires quickly / lack of energy;	
	poor co-ordination / increased reaction time;	
	feeling sick;	
	heart rate increases / thicker blood / less blood to muscles;	
	lack of concentration / focus / poor decision making;	
	overheat / stop sweating / unable to cool body / risk of heatstroke;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
13(c)	Examples may include:	3
	have food to ensure energy to participate;	
	have friendships that might encourage participation / positive peer pressure;	
	feel supported by others to train and participate;	
	have confidence to be able to mix with others / join a club or team;	
	feel able to contribute to a team or club / take responsibilities within the team or club;	
	essential human needs are met to allow a focus on participation / to afford sport after these needs are met;	
	has friends and play sport together / improves teamwork / communication;	
	Accept negative examples.	
13(d)(i)	A isometric contraction;	2
	B isotonic contraction / concentric;	
13(d)(ii)	improves explosive strength in legs, which would aid drive from the blocks;	2
	improves arm strength, which would aid speed of arm movement;	
	improve muscle strength to maintain leg speed / maintain max. speed for longer;	
	improves muscular endurance so less reduction in speed;	
	athletes in 200 m / 400 m will have a better final kick;	
	weight training is very effective at maintaining an ideal body weight;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
13(e)(i)	pain / soreness / stiffness;	2
	restricted movement;	
	swelling;	
	inflammation;	
	discolouring / bruising;	
13(e)(ii)	immediate: rest / ice / compression / elevation;	2
	longer-term: massage / heat / physiotherapy / protein-rich diet;	
13(f)(i)	Accept any example of a sport that requires power.	1
	e.g. most track and field events / hurdling / sprints / jump events / throwing;	
	Also accept team games.	
	e.g. rugby / football / racket sports / martial arts / basketball / volleyball;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
13(f)(ii)	An exercise with a relevant explanation is needed for one mark.	2
	Exercises may include: (Any two of):	
	two-footed jumps;	
	hopping;	
	bounds;	
	steps;	
	side steps;	
	jumping over barriers;	
	jumping onto boxes;	
	jumping from static positions;	
	clap press-ups;	
	medicine ball throw;	
	benefits may include:	
	able to jump higher;	
	increased leg power / explosive power;	
	increased arm strength;	
	Accept sport-specific benefits.	

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Question	Answer	Marks
13(f)(iii)	age of performer;	2
	level of intensity / start with low-level equipment;	
	exercise for short periods of time;	
	warm up / cool down;	
	ensure recovery time after each activity;	
	landing areas safe and energy absorbent / equipment safe for use / surfaces are flat / footwear that can absorb impact / extra support for joints;	
	have a good level of core strength;	
	develop good technique before increasing intensity;	
	equipment stable and suitable for activity;	
	progress slowly / avoid muscle injury;	
	appropriate supervision;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
14(a)	poor access to / lack of facilities / changing areas / pool etc.;	2
	lack of confidence;	
	lack of media coverage of disability sports / fewer role models;	
	lack of adaption of the sport to enable participation;	
	lack of coaches with specialist knowledge;	
	lack of specialist equipment / prosthetic limbs for sport and adapted wheelchairs etc. are expensive;	
	no commitment from organisation to provide disability sports;	
	severity of disability;	
	lack of role models;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
14(b)	reduces the risk of serious illness – accept examples;	3
	reduce the risk of social isolation / make friends;	
	maintain joint mobility / keeps muscles working;	
	maintain good mental health / keeps people alert;	
	reduce joint pain;	
	maintain levels of strength / stamina / suppleness / fitness;	
	maintain good posture;	
	reduce the possibility of injury, maintain bone density;	
	ensure people can maintain their independence for longer;	
	improvements in cardio-vascular / respiratory health / the heart;	
	maintain weight / prevent becoming overweight;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
14(c)	high levels of self-belief / confidence / pride in performance;	4
	able to deal with pressure / control emotions / copes with stress of competition;	
	intrinsically motivated;	
	maintain high levels of focus / concentration / arousal;	
	willing to take risks / makes good decisions under pressure;	
	mental strength / single-minded / competitive;	
	goal motivated;	
	enjoyment in performance / enjoyment in training;	
	copes with failure;	
	able to identify positive aspects of performance / perseverance / expects to do well;	
14(d)(i)	sports have become more popular / greater interest in sport;	1
	greater interest in sports personalities;	
	now able to broadcast instantaneous sporting action;	
	generally cheaper to broadcast than most other programmes;	
	technology has made sports presented more interesting;	
	more channels / more events / more sports;	
	people want to watch sports from around the world;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
14(d)(ii)	Examples may include:	5
	fee-paying channels increase more because:	
	minority sports are shown / greater range of sports shown;	
	there are more fee-paying channels than free-to-view channels to meet demands of viewers / more people may watch fee-paying channels;	
	events that last a whole day can be shown without disrupting schedules as the channel only shows sports;	
	fee-paying companies have greater funds to gain exclusive coverage of sport / make profits to enable increased coverage;	
	fee-paying companies are able to offer exclusive games / sports that creates interest and are more profitable / sponsor events / create new events;	
	fee-paying companies are able to cover sports from around the world on a regular basis;	
	high-profile sports clubs have their own fee-paying channel;	
	fee-paying channels have dictated when sports are played / created new and different competitions;	
	fee-paying channels make profit from coverage;	
	fee-paying channels may offer better quality coverage;	
	fee-paying channels may provide live games cheaper than attending the game;	
	more people than before may be able to afford fee-paying channels;	
	people who have paid a fee may want to watch more sport to make the most of the payment / willing to pay to watch sport;	

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Question	Answer	Marks
	free-to-view channels increase less because:	
	free-to-view channels can be restricted by legislation about the amount of sport covered;	
	free-to-view channels do not have as much funding available to bid for coverage of sports events;	
	free-to-view channels may not be able to afford the most expensive equipment;	
	Accept reverse arguments.	
	Accept alternative valid suggestions.	

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