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Question	Expected Answer	Mark
1	able to cope with stress ;	[1]
	feel good / positive about yourself / confident / motivated ;	
	control emotions / reacting to situations calmly ;	
2	bright lights / noise / crowd ;	[1]
	fear of the opponent ;	
	fear of failure / high rewards ;	
	pressure from parents / coach / friends / media ;	
3	free time ;	[1]
	time when not working / sleeping / doing essential activities ;	
	time when you can take part in activities for pleasure / time to take part in activities of choice ;	
4	plasma ;	[1]
	red cells ;	
	white cells ;	
	platelets ;	
5	examples of the following can be given:	[1]
	physical;	
	mental;	
	social;	
	health and fitness ;	
6	people live longer – more people can participate for longer ;	[2]
	people recover quicker – people can return to participation quicker ;	
	better understanding of the impact of sport on maintaining health ;	
	research – people encouraged to take part at an older age ;	

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7	pasta provides high levels of carbohydrates ;	[2]
	distance events need high levels of energy;	
	carbohydrates provide easily obtained energy;	
8	variety of venues / facilities ;	[2]
	greater variety of sports available ;	
	greater opportunities for team sports / more competitors / more clubs to join ;	
	ease of access / better transport ;	
	easier access to coaching;	
9	shape and support; provides a rigid framework that determines the suitability for certain sports;	[2]
	movement; allows movement by attaching to muscles which pull on bones; (examples of movement given credit)	
	protection; protection of internal organs, vital in contact sports;	
	blood production; produces red blood cells that transport oxygen to muscles to provide energy;	
10	reduces circulation and slows any internal bleeding;	[2]
	stops swelling ;	
	reduces pressure on the injured part ;	
	reduces throbbing;	
11	answers accepted that include power or strength activities, e.g. sprinting, power lifting, high jump, etc.;	[2]
	in a named sport, the situation when fast twitch fibres are a benefit, e.g. cricket – throwing the ball, must be given	

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12	local authorities (accept government / public);	[3]
	cheaper admission ;	
	easier to access ;	
	no membership required ;	
	wide variety of sports available ;	
	private companies ;	
	high quality equipment ;	
	specialist equipment and facilities ;	
	specialist coaching ;	
	team competitions often available ;	
	access often easier ;	
	voluntary organisations ;	
	locally based in the community so easy to get to ;	
	cheaper or sometimes free ;	
	links into the needs of the community;	
	reflects local interests / focal point for the community ;	
	Total:	[20]

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	Unit B1 : Factors affecting performance	
(a)	avoid confusion / easier to understand ;	[2]
	allow a performer to perfect aspects of the skill before progressing / commit to the long term memory ;	
	prevents developing bad habits / poor technique / allows better understanding of what is required / can be difficult to retain information in the early stages of learning a skill;	
	allows focus on the more important parts of the skill;	
(b)	joint movement is reduced / stopped ;	[3]
	limits extension and flexion at the knee ;	
	the ligaments no longer limit the rotational movement of the knee;	
	the ligaments no longer limit the amount the knee bends;	
	the ligaments no longer limit the extent to which the knee straightens;	
	joint lacks stability ;	
	joint not connected ;	
(c) (i)	a chemical substance that affects the way the body works;	[1]
(ii)	improve performance / gain an advantage ;	[3]
	able to train harder / longer ;	
	become stronger / faster / more energy / lose weight ;	
	become more alert / calmer / improves concentration ;	
	recover from training / performing ;	
	mask injury ;	
	able to calm a performer down (needed for certain sports);	
	win competitions / matches / prizes / medals ;	
	fear of losing a place in a team ;	
	fear of losing a sponsor / pressure from coach / media / team mates ;	
	think everyone else is taking drugs / doesn`t think they will get caught;	

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(d)	long term effects:	[4]
	strengthens the heart ;	
	walls of the heart get thicker;	
	resting stroke volume increases / more blood can be pumped in every beat ;	
	cardiac output increases / total amount of blood that can be processed can be increased;	
	resting heart rate becomes slower / working heart rate slower to increase;	
	recovery rate improves ;	
	blood pressure decreases ;	
	arteries become wider / more elastic ;	
	cholesterol reduced / lower levels of fat in the blood;	
	more red blood cells produced / greater supply of oxygen to the muscles ;	
	increased capillarisation ;	
	greater capacity to process lactic acid ;	
	improvements:	[1]
	athlete can perform for longer / less tired / better stamina;	
	athlete can work at higher levels of intensity for longer;	
(e) (i)	provides clear routes for progress / directs training ;	[2]
	motivates a performer to work harder ;	
	helps prepare a performer mentally / greater focus ;	
	allows a performer to check their progress;	
	having a goal can give a performer more confidence;	
	gives a performer a feeling of being in control / satisfaction of completion;	

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(ii)	exemplar: named activity – long-distance running	[3]
	specific – set targets that are realistic to long distance running such as improving 5 K time by 20 seconds;	
	measurable – ensure that all targets can be measured by improving time or distance;	
	realistic – ensure the target time is realistic and is based on the ability of the performer, e.g. expecting a performer to improve 5K time by 20 seconds when the previous year there was only an improvement of 2 seconds;	
	agreed – coach and performer agree the times that should be targeted;	
	time-phased - training should be mapped against a programme so that there are short term targets to achieve at certain times;	
	exciting – training should be exciting so the coach will vary the training to include sprint training / weight training / fartlek training ;	
	recorded – times from training sessions are recorded as a means of monitoring progress and readiness for races;	
(f)	cardiovascular endurance / stamina ; increase in blood flow to muscles / reduces fatigue in muscles / increases muscle's ability to cope with lactic acid / able to repeat sprints ;	[6]
	muscular endurance; the muscle's ability to repeat contractions near maximum level – essential in the latter stages of a race;	
	strength; the force muscles can exert, essential for the drive out of the blocks / ability to push against the ground;	
	flexibility; the ability to increase stride length when running;	
	speed; the ability to move limbs quickly – leg speed essential in sprinting;	
	body composition; the athlete needs to have a muscular body to ensure that there is a high level of fast twitch muscle fibres / too much fat reduces the level of fitness;	
	Total:	[25]

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	Unit B2 – Health, safety and training		
(a)	avoid breaks in training ;	[2]	
	ensure training is interesting so performer works hard;		
	ensure training is specific to the sport;		
	regular training programme / application of FITT principles / if unable to train fully some low level work takes place ;		
	ensure rest periods ;		
(b)	blood vessels under the skin widen / vasodilation / blood vessels contract / blood moves from extremities to protect the core temperature / radiation occurs;	[3]	
	sweating / body will stop sweating if suffering from heat stroke;		
	body hair flattens / hair lifts to trap air ;		
	body starts to shiver to produce heat ;		
	through water vapour when breathing ;		
(c)	checks should include: weather / wind conditions ;	[4]	
	water conditions;		
	all planned equipment available / first aid equipment / safety equipment available, etc. / ensure everybody has all safety equipment;		
	all participants healthy / not injured ;		
	all supervisors available ;		
	check all participants understand the safety regulations / emergency procedures;		
	danger from boats / creatures in the water / other people on the water ;		
(d) (i)	weight can be easily adjusted ;	[1]	
	safer to use ;		
	does not need a spotter ;		
	easier to work on specific muscle groups ;		
	requires less technique to use ;		

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(ii)	isotonic training:	[2]
	muscles being trained are moved ;	
	muscles are strengthened throughout the movement;	
	weights are lifted through a range of movement;	
	isometric training :	
	muscles contract but do not shorten ;	
	weights are held in a fixed position ;	
(iii)	target specific muscle groups – accept examples ;	[2]
	target a specific aspect of sprinting action – accept examples, e.g. drive from the blocks;	
	use low weights / over long periods of time;	
	high frequency / speed of repetition ;	
	high number of repetitions;	
	increase weight over time;	

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(e)	increase in heart rate ;	[6]
	increase in stroke volume ;	
	increase in cardiac output ;	
	increase in blood pressure ;	
	more blood / oxygen reaching the working muscles;	
	increase in body temperature ;	
	sweating / vasodilation occurs ;	
	skin goes red / increase in blood supply to the skin ;	
	blood is shunted from unused tissue to the working muscles;	
	increase in gas exchange ;	
	increase in carbon dioxide production ;	
	change from aerobic to anaerobic respiration ;	
	lactic acid starts to be produced ;	
	increase in breathing rate / heavier breathing / deeper breathing ;	
	increase in tidal volume ;	
	muscles become warmer / contractions increase / faster contractions / greater strain on muscles;	
	Total:	[20]

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Unit B3 – Reasons and opportunities for participation in physical activity		
(a)	taxation;	[2]
	sponsorship;	
	lottery funding;	
	ticket sales;	
	selling the transmission rights of the event;	
(b)	fewer opportunities for female performers / fewer clubs / some women feel uncomfortable in mixed training sessions;	[3]
	attitudes towards female performers ;	
	family commitments ;	
	lack of childcare facilities ;	
	religious beliefs ;	
	fewer role models ;	
	lack of sponsorship opportunities ;	
	lack of media coverage ;	
(c)	increase in income ;	[4]
	more people want to attend / watch ;	
	increase in people wanting to participate;	
	increase in the amount of sponsorship;	
	improvement in coaching opportunities ;	
	facilities improve ;	
	quality of equipment improves ;	
	standards of play / performance improves ;	

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(d)	skill – the more skilful the better the performance / has more time / adapts to situations; fitness – the fitter the player the longer they can perform at a high standard (examples of fitness components can be given credit); physique – the activity needs to suit the performer's body type / greater advantage for certain body types, e.g. height an advantage in basketball; age – activities that require speed / flexibility are more suited to younger players / physical depreciation as performers get older; body composition – if overweight the performer will be less able to play well; fatigue – lack of energy will reduce the quality of performance and cause errors / lack of recovery; illness and injury – can cause a player to stop or reduce training / limited mobility resulting from injury / lack of energy if not fully recovered from illness; diet – need to eat an appropriate diet / lack of carbohydrate could result in a lack of energy / muscles not repaired due to lack of protein / poor hydration results in a lack of energy; drugs – smoking / alcohol will impair performance / performance-enhancing drugs can result in being banned;	[6]
	Total:	[15]