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Dear Parents/Carers,

As Year 11 students prepare for a busy period of revision and assessment I am writing to you on behalf of the PE department with an update about upcoming work, coursework submission dates and the progress of your child.

We understand that this may be an apprehensive time for our year 11 students, but rest assured we are here to provide necessary support. Below are the coursework topics that need to be submitted by Monday 18th November. All work for this topic needs to be fully completed by this date and this will be the student's final submission date. This will then give staff time to mark and standardise work which then be submitted to the OCR exam board for moderation. R186 Sports and the media forms 20% of your child's overall grade.

Monday 18th November

R186 - Sports and the media (Athletics, Gymnastics or Hockey)

Task 1 - The different sources of media that cover sport

Task 2 - Positive effects of the media in sport

Task 3 - Negative effects of the media in sport

Below are the coursework topics that need to be completed by Friday 31st January 2025. Again, this will be the student's final submission date in order to give staff time to mark and standardise coursework prior to submission for moderation. Pupils have been provided with lesson time to complete this coursework throughout Year 10. If your child still has work to complete in any of these tasks, they will be expected to attend intervention sessions in order to catch up. R185 Performance and leadership in sports activities forms 40% of your child's overall grade.

Friday 31st January

R185 - Performance and leadership in sports activities

Task 1 - Practical performance in 2 sporting activities. Logbooks consisting of at least 1 term's worth of evidence for both sporting activities completed.

Task 2 - Applying practice methods to support improvement in a sporting activity

Task 3 - Organising and planning a sports activity session

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Task 4 - Leading a sports activity session

Task 5 - Reviewing your own performance in planning and leading a sports activity session

Following the submission of the 186 Sport and the Media coursework on Monday 18th November, the focus of lessons will move to the examination content of the course. Please see an outline of the content below. The examination forms 40% of your child's overall grade and will take place in May 2025. Therefore, it is imperative that all coursework deadlines are met in order for us to cover all content and allow time for revision, retention and improvement. Homework will be set weekly throughout this time and we ask that it is submitted on time to allow staff to mark and return to students in a timely manner. Homework allows us to identify gaps in knowledge that we then specifically aim to close prior to the examination.

R184 - examination. Contemporary issues in sport

Topic Area 1: Issues which affect participation in sport

Topic Area 2: The role of sport in promoting values

Topic Area 3: The implications of hosting a major sporting event for a city or country

Topic Area 4: The role National Governing Bodies (NGBs) play in the development of their sport

Topic Area 5: The use of technology in sport

R184 - examination revision guides

We will be offering a revision guide for Year 11 students to help them in their preparation for their examination in May 2025. The guide contains course material and we recommend this guide for its usefulness for any student who is studying the course. I have included a link for you to look at if you would like further information on the product we are recommending.

[Sport Studies Revision Guide](#)

The revision guide is available at a price of £5.00. If you would like to purchase a revision guide for your child, then please log onto your scopy account where there is an option to purchase.

Intervention

The PE department is currently running intervention coursework catch up sessions after school every Monday and Friday. This is a great opportunity for pupils to get support from their teacher, improve work and ensure coursework completion deadlines are met.

Your child's progress

After reviewing your child's coursework for units R185 & R186, we believe that it is vital they attend after school intervention catch up sessions. Their work is either incomplete or requires improvement and they are currently working significantly below their minimum expected grade. Attendance to these sessions is crucial and can have a significant impact on the overall grade for these units and therefore the overall grade for the Cambridge National Sports Studies course.

We fully appreciate your support in helping your child achieve the best possible grade they can in PE and reach their full potential. If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours faithfully

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