

Oxford Cambridge and RSA Examinations

General Certificate of Secondary Education

PHYSICAL EDUCATION (GAMES)

1971

Specimen Paper 2003

Additional materials: None Candidates answer on the question paper.

TIME 1 hour 45 minutes

Candidate Name	Candidate Name Centre Number			

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name in the space above.
- Write your Centre number and Candidate number in the boxes above.
- Answer all the questions.
- Write your answers, in blue or black ink, in the spaces provided on the question paper.
- Read each question carefully and make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is 80.
- You will be assessed on the quality of written communication in Section B, questions B1 and B2.
- Four marks will be available for the quality of written communication.

Section A

Answer **all** questions in this section.

a)	good flexibility;
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(b)	strength.
Exp	plain how participation in games can improve fitness and health.
Exp	plain one way in which smoking can reduce performance in games.
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-	ou were trying to persuade someone to take part in your favourite game what two sons would you give them for taking part?
(a)	If you were the Volleyball coach in your area name the body type (somatotype) you would expect most of the best Volleyball players to have.
(b)	Explain why this body type is important in Volleyball.
Give	e two reasons why it is important for games players to 'cool down' after a training
ses	sion.

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In a name	d game exp	ain the imp	ortance o	of a high ca	rdiac outp	ut.	
Game							
							

[TOTAL 20]

Section B

Answer **all** questions in this section.

B1: Factors affecting participation and performance.

sa	is a good Badminton player who competes for both her school and local club.
)	Which function of the skeleton will be most important to Lisa when playing Badminton?
)	Identify and explain two social factors that may have had a positive influence on Lisa's success in Badminton.
;)	Explain two ways in which Lisa's coach could motivate her to improve her performance in Badminton.
l)	One of Lisa's greatest strengths is her speed of movement around the court. Identify which muscle fibre type is important to a Badminton player, such as Lisa, and explain why.

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B2: The relationship between health, fitness and games.

At the start of the Under-16 Hockey team's pre-season training Jon, Paul, Kevin and Ajay took part in a series of fitness and skill tests. Each test was timed and the results recorded on the table below.

HOCKEY FITNESS AND SKILL TESTS

	Shuttle sprint	Dribble	Target shooting	4 laps of the	Sit ups
	10 x 10 m	round	(Shots on goal	Hockey pitch	(in 1 minute)
		cones	in 1 minute)		
Jon	24 secs.	31 secs.	14	5 mins. 30 secs.	14
Paul	15 secs.	25 secs.	9	6 mins. 6 secs.	20
Kevin	18 secs.	35 secs.	12	6 mins. 45 secs.	18
Ajay	21 secs.	28 secs.	4	5 mins. 23 secs.	35

If you have to choose one of the Hockey players to play in a position where some dribbling ability are important considerations, which player would you choose?					
	Running continuously for long periods of time is important to mid field players. Based on the test results which of the boys is most suited to this role?				
	Each of the tests taken by Jon, Paul, Kevin and Ajay measures a specific component of skill or fitness. Identify those tests which are skill related and those which are fitness related and explain.				
	Skill related tests:				
	Fitness related tests:				

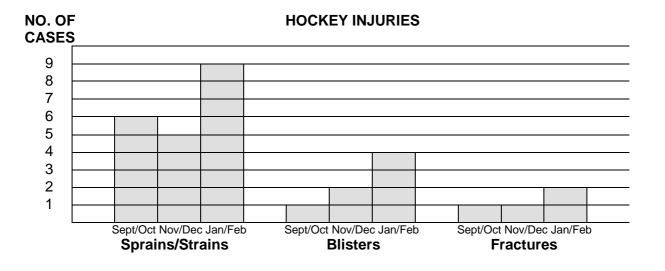
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)	Test results do not always provide the most reliable information about players' ability. Explain what factors may have affected the test results achieved by Jon, Paul, Kevin
	and Ajay.
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[TOTAL 18]

B3: Risk assessment in games.

Jane's GCSE PE group carried out an injury survey of all the teams in their local Hockey league. They recorded their findings over six months from the start of the season in September to February, noting the injuries every two months. The results are shown in the table below.



(a)	Which type of injury occurred the most times during the Hockey season from November to December?

Explain the of this type	-	s of blisters i	in Hockey ar	nd how the pl	layers might r	educe the risk

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(b)

laying or t	potential hazards that outdoor games players need to be aware of when raining outdoors during the winter. Suggest ways in which the players could effects of these hazards.

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MARK SCHEME

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Section A

1	а	Badminton/fencing/squash etc.	1 mark
	b	Basketball/tennis/judo etc.	1 mark
2		Feel good/strong heart/stronger muscles/greater	1 mark
		flexibility/improved CV endurance/muscular endurance/reduce	
		heart disease/heart attack/improve skill level	
3		It reduces the efficiency of the lungs, it kills cilia.	1 mark
		It increases the risk of heart disease, lung, throat and liver	
		cancer.	
		Narrows arteries to muscles.	
4		Quadriceps contract/concentrically/shorten/pulling/(via the	2 marks
		tendon attachment)/the bent lower leg straightens.	
		(allow reverse i.e. eccentric contraction to let leg bend)	
		contraction and relaxation of the quadriceps allows the lower	
		leg to bend and straighten at the knee causing movement.	
5		Helps other muscles/the prime mover to do its job by	2 marks
		holding/fixing other parts of the body in position while the	
		movement takes place.	
		e.g.: abdominals.	
6		Health/fitness/leisure interest/friendship/to socialise/peer	2 marks
_		pressure/vocation.	
7	a	Ectomorph/lean/thin and light.	1 mark
	b	Less weight to carry/lift off the ground.	1 mark
8		Helps remove CO ₂ and lactic acid (waste products).	2 marks for two of.
		Blood continues to circulate preventing pooling leading to light-	
		headedness.	
		Prevents muscle soreness.	
		Shortens recovery time.	0 1 (
9		Carbohydrates - provide main source of energy.	2 marks, one for
		Proteins - for muscular growth and repair.	each explained
		Water - maintain fluid balance, keeps us from dehydrating.	dietary
		Fats - warmth/protection of vital organs/reserve fuel supply.	component. No marks for
		Vitamins - regulate chemical reactions/growth and repair.	
		Minerals - each has its own role, e.g. calcium needed for muscles to work and for bones to be strong.	component only.
10		Soccer/hockey or other prolonged game.	4 marks. No mark
10		Explanation:	for naming an
		CO = max. amount of blood pumped by the heart in 1 min.	activity.
		Blood carries O ₂ to the working muscles which require it.	4 marks for four
		Can supply the same amount of blood at a lower heart rate.	of.
		High CO ₂ therefore means activity can go on longer at the same	01.
		intensity.	
		Delays the onset of lactic acid build up in the muscles.	
		Repay the O ₂ debt more quickly.	
		Recover after exercise more quickly.	
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Section B

B1: Factors affecting participation and performance.

1	а	Movement	1 mark
	b	Supportive parents/parents who are also Badminton players encourage participation. Supportive friends or peer group/friends also involved. School/teacher(s) has given a positive image of Badminton. No gender barriers put in front of her participation. The media portrays Badminton in a positive light. Badminton role models created to follow. Media/TV coverage given over to Badminton. Good facilities are available close by.	2 marks for two of.
	С	Coaches motivating strategies are largely extrinsic. Praise. Give rewards/prizes. Award badges/certificates. Set goals/targets (p.b.) Make it enjoyable.	2 marks for two of.
	d	Fast twitch. FT fibres have a fast contraction time. Making movements more rapid. Recruited in short duration/anaerobic activities.	3 marks. 1 mark for FT and 2 marks for any 2 explanations.
	е	Health. Body image improvement. Leisure interest/enjoyment. Friendship/socialise. Copy role model. Become a professional.	4 marks for four of.
	f	Open skills: Open to effects of the environment (weather/surface/opposition). Adaptable to suit specific situation. Largely perceptually controlled. Skills practised as closed skills because: The conditions are predictable and stable. The movements are repeated (replicated). Participant gets the 'feeling' for the movement. Teachers/coaches can concentrate and advise on the skill and technique.	4 marks. 1 or 2 marks for 1 or 2 reasons for open skills, 1 or 2 marks for 1 or 2 of the reasons why skills practised as closed skills.
	g	Lower resting heart rate. Heart muscle increases in size. Stroke volume increases. Cardiac output increases. Capillary network in the muscles increases. Blood pressure lowers. Minute ventilation increases/can take in more O ₂ per min. Gaseous exchange becomes more efficient. CO ₂ max. increases. Recovery rate after exercise shortens. Work longer before building up an O ₂ debt. Hemoglobin content of blood increases.	7 marks for seven of. (Answers must relate to training effects, not immediate short-term effects).

Quality of written communication

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1 mark

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2 marks

B2: The relationship between health, fitness and games.

2	а	Paul	1 mark
	b	Ajay	1 mark
	С	Skill related:	2 marks, 1 for one,
		Dribbling round cones, Target shots on goal.	two or three correct,
		Fitness related:	2 for four or five
		Shuttle sprint, 4 laps of the Hockey pitch, Sit-ups.	correct.
	d	Fitness related tests:	4 marks,
		Speed e.g. Short sprints.	2 mark for each
		Power e.g. jumping (Sargent Jump).	correctly identified
		Muscular endurance e.g. Pull ups or press-ups.	component, 2
		Skill related tests:	marks for providing
		Tests involving any of the skills of Hockey e.g. catching, diving,	correct explanation.
		kicking. Explanations:	
		Speed for movement about the goal, when defending.	
		Flexibility/agility for executing diving/reaching to intercept shots	
		on goal.	
		Power for generating spring and defending against robust	
		forwards.	
		Strength to withstand challenges in the goal area.	
	е	Training Principles:	4 marks, 2 for
		He must plan his training so that his fitness peaks at the right	principles of training
		time of the season (e.g. cup or league run).	and 2 for methods
		His training should gradually progress i.e. gets harder over	of training. Allow
		time.	one mark for each
		He should try to work harder each session so as to overload	of the FITT
		his body systems compared to what it is normally used to	principles explained
		doing.	with a suitable
		Allow them to adapt.	example.
		FITT e.g. run further/do more reps/lift heavier weights/train	
		more often/longer. All his training will need to be specific to the particular fitness	
		component he is working on.	
		Training methods:	
		Continuous or fartlek training will improve his CV endurance.	
		(Mention of appropriate heart rate training zone can be	
		credited.)	
		Active or passive stretching will improve flexibility.	
		Sprint training will improve his speed.	
		Weight training (isotonic) pliometrics will improve his	
		standing broad jump and aid speed.	
		Circuit training will help maintain his muscular endurance.	
	f	Good/poor diet or related answers e.g. not enough	6 marks for six of,
		carbohydrates in diet.	max. of 2 marks for
		Physique/somatotype	diet related
		e.g. overweight (endomorph) effect endurance tall, may effect flexibility	answers.
		mesomorph greater strength/power.	
		Injury reduced performance levels.	
		Illness reduced performance levels.	
		Smoking/drugs.	
		Too much alcohol.	
		Stress e.g. worrying about exams.	
		level of physical development, some develop earlier than	
		others.	

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2 marks

B3: Risk assessment in games.

3	а	Strain/sprain	1 mark
	b	Blisters caused by; Badly fitting shoes, too big or too small. Friction of skin against shoe caused by movement within the shoe. Hard playing surfaces. The nature of the movements of the athlete, e.g. sharp turning movements. Precautions: Wear good fitting trainers/running spikes or avoid tight fitting trainers/ running spikes (one of). Spikes are not too long for the surface. Wear in new trainers before running in them. Padded socks/socks that don't rub.	3 marks. Max. of 1 for causes and 2 for precautions or 2 for causes and 1 for precautions.
	С	Stop playing immediately (rest). Apply ice to the injured part to help reduce the swelling and restrict internal blood flow into the muscle (ice). Apply light support bandaging to the injured part (compression). Raise the injured part to help excess fluids drain away from the injury (elevation).	4 marks, 1 for each part of the procedure explained. Only 1 mark for RICE alone.
	d	Types of hazards: Frozen pitches or waterlogged areas. Badly rutted/uneven playing surface. Foreign objects on playing area (glass/cans/dog mess/etc). Post and corner flags not secured properly. Players not wearing correct kit (e.g. shin pads, mouth guards) Lime used for pitch markings. Players not wearing correct kit (e.g. correctly studded boots). Extremely cold weather - hypothermia . Solutions to the hazards: Transfer to another area if waterlogged/frozen or move training indoors. Get grounds staff to inspect and clear/sweep playing area. Do a visual search of playing area for objects before starting. Ground staff check goal posts and corner flags, playing areas and all equipment before game starts. Officials check length of studs/jewellery removed/not chewing. Players properly warm up in cold weather. Additional warm clothing, including gloves worn in cold conditions.	7 marks for seven of. A maximum of 3 marks for either types of hazards or solutions to the hazards.