

PSYC: Sport and Exercise Psychology 2

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Module Title:			Sport and Exercise Psychology 2				
Language o	of Instru	ction:	English				
Credits:		5					
NFQ Level:		8					
Module Deli	ivered Ir	n	2 program	me(s)			
Teaching & Learning Strategies:			Sports Psychology will be taught in three theory classes of one hour duration per week. The theory classes will include lecture, Q&A, group discussion, problem-based learning, case studies, and guest lecturers where appropriate				
Module Aim	1:			e an understanding of the major psychological determinants of human behaviour in sports ce and exercise participation			
Learning Ou	utcomes	6					
On successf	ful comp	letion of th	nis module ti	he learner should be able to:			
LO1	Synthe proces		osychologica	al factors that determine sport and exercise performance and outline the theories underlying these			
LO2	Critiqu	ie and app	ly psycholo	gical concepts and skills for the enhancement of performance			
LO3	Identif	y the role	of psycholog	gy in growth and development of young athletes			
Pre-requisit	e learni	ng					
Module Rec			tical skill) th	nat is recommended before enrolment in this module.			
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Incompatibl These are m			e learning o	utcomes that are too similar to the learning outcomes of this module.			
No incompat	tible mod	dules liste	d				
Co-requisite	e Modul	es					
No Co-requis	site mod	lules listed					
Requiremen This is prior		(or a prac	tical skill) th	nat is mandatory before enrolment in this module is allowed.			
No requirem	ents liste	ed					



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Module Content & Assessment

Indicative Content

Section 1 Introduction to Sport Psychology

History and evolution of sport and exercise psychology. Role of a sport and exercise psychologist; Introduction to key psychological concepts such as personality, motivation, arousal, anxiety, stress, attitudes, confidence, leadership, group dynamics, physical activity and health psychology; Introduction to psychological skills training (e.g. goal setting, imagery, self-talk etc.)

Section 2 Facilitating Psychological Growth and Development Children and Sport Psychology, Aggression in Sport, Character Development and Good Sporting Behaviour

Section 3 Factors Affecting Performance

Personality & The Athlete, Motivation & Participation, Arousal & Anxiety, Concentration in Sport, Confidence, Self-Efficacy

Section 4 Improving Performance Intervention Strategies – Arousal Adjustment, Increasing Intrinsic Motivation, Visualisation, Imagery, Goal-Setting

Section 5 Group Processes Group & Team Dynamics, Leadership

% Assessment Breakdown Continuous Assessment 100.00%

Continuous Assess	sment			
Assessment Type	Assessment Description	Outcome addressed	% of total	Assessment Date
Case Studies	Athlete Psychology Case Studies	1,2,3	60.00	n/a
Essay	Psychology Essay on Efficacy of a Specific Intervention Strategy	2	40.00	n/a

No Project

No Practical

No End of Module Formal Examination

SETU Carlow Campus reserves the right to alter the nature and timings of assessment



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Module Workload

Workload: Full Time		
Workload Type	Frequency	Average Weekly Learner Workload
Lecture	Every Week	3.00
Estimated Learner Hours	Every Week	6.00
	Total Hours	9.00

Module Delivered In					
Programme Code	Programme	Semester	Delivery		
CW_BBSMC_B	Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Sport Management and Coaching	8	Elective		
CW BBSBC B	Bachelor or Arts (Honours) in Sport, Business and Coaching	8	Elective		