



The Muscular System

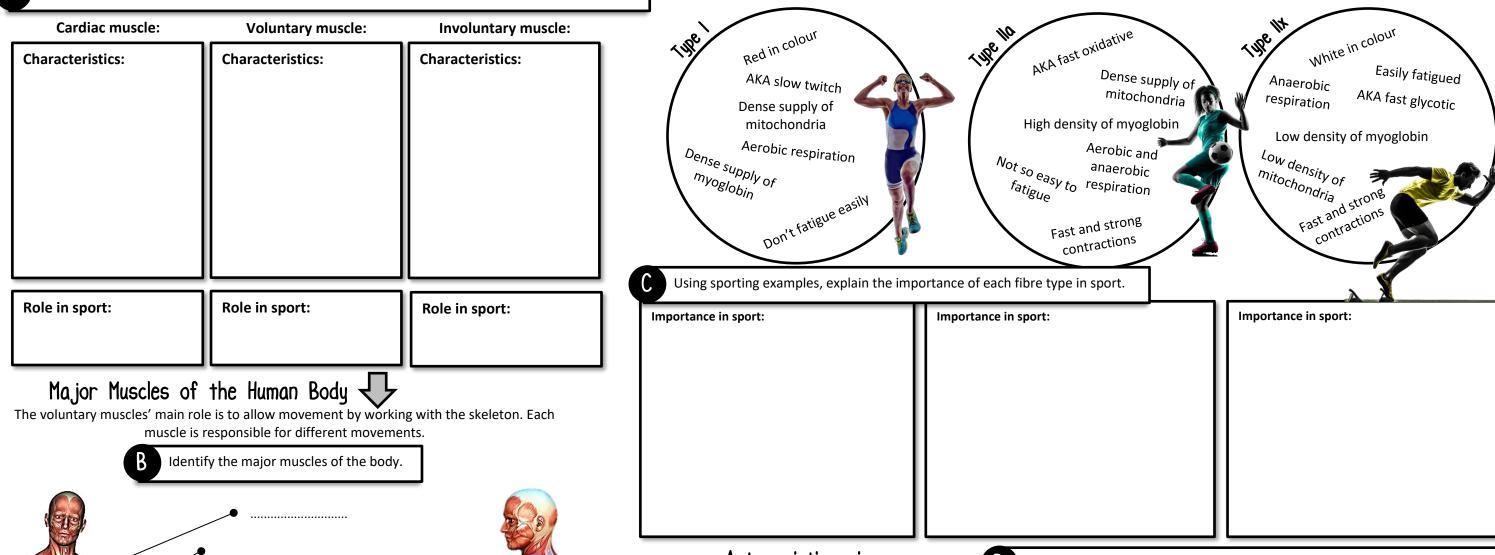
Muscle types

Outline the characteristics of each type of muscle and identify the role that each type plays in sport.

You may think there is only one type of muscle. However, muscles come in three main types and have different characteristics:

Muscle fibres

Muscles are made up of lots of tiny fibres. Each of the fibres can be classified into three types which impact on their use in physical activities.



Antagonistic pairs

Muscles work together in pairs in order to cause movement. Each pair is called an antagonistic pair.

Working example: Flexion and

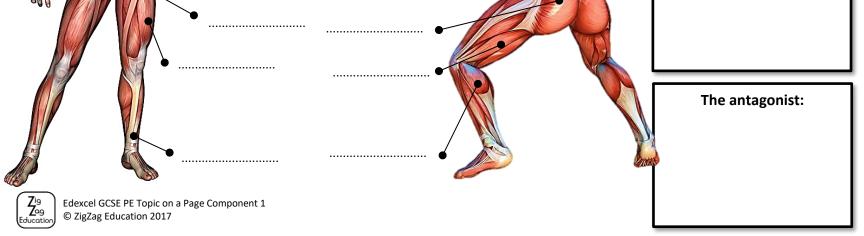
Extension at the Elbow

Explain the difference between the agonist and antagonist and then explain how this helps perform flexion and extension at the elbow. Then identify the agonist and antagonist at each of the other joints in the body.

The agonist:

Further examples of antagonistic pairs at different joints

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	Joint	Movement	Agonist	Antagonist
	Hip	Flexion		
	Ή	Extension		
	Knee	Flexion		
	Kn	Extension		
	Ankle	Plantar flexion		
		Dorsiflexion		





The Cardiovascular Systems



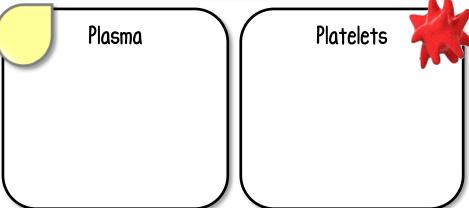
Identify the functions of the cardiovascular system and explain its importance during exercise.

> Functions of the cardiovascular system in sport

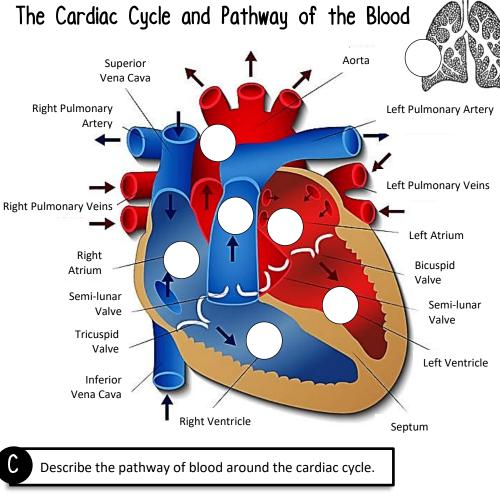
Role of Blood Cells

There are four components of the blood that help perform its functions.

Outline the role of each type of blood cell.



White Blood Cells Red Blood Cells



Describe the pathway of blood around the cardiac cycle.

Structure of Blood Vessels

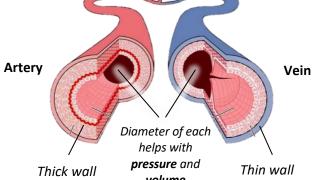
Blood vessels carry blood around the body and back to the heart. Each has a different structure and its structure is directly linked to its function.



Complete the table below to outline the structure of each type of blood vessel.

Vessel	Arteries	Capillaries	Veins
Size/ Diameter			
Wall Thickness			
Valves			
Function during Physical Activity			

Capillaries



Blood Redistribution during Exercise

Blood is redistributed around the body during exercise so more blood is taken to the working muscles and less to the internal organs. This is known as vascular shunting.

This occurs by the arteries' smooth muscle layer either:

- contracting (vasoconstriction) to reduce blood flow to a certain area, such as the internal organs
- widening (vasodilation) to increase blood flow to a certain area, such as the working skeletal muscles



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The Respiratory System

The Composition of Air

The amount of each type of gas in the air changes during inspiration and expiration. It also changes as a result of exercise as some gases are used more and some gases are produced by the body.



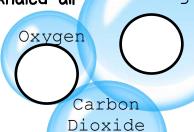
Fill in the gas bubbles below with the percentage of each gas in inhaled and exhaled air.



Carbon

Dioxide

Nitroge Exhaled air



Gas	Change during exercise
Oxygen	The amount of oxygen in inhaled air will remain the same and in exhaled air will decrease, as more is used up during exercise
Nitrogen	The composition of nitrogen in inhaled and exhaled air will remain at the same level as rest
Caula au	The composition of carbon dioxide in inhaled air will remain the

same and in exhaled air will increase due to its creation as a waste

The Mechanics of Breathing

In order for us to get oxygen into our bodies, we have to breathe.

product of aerobic exercise

Carbon

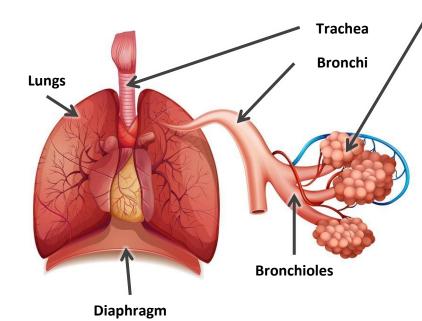
Dioxide

Fill in the table below by identifying what happens during expiration and inspiration.

Changes to our mechanics of breathing lead to changes in our Tidal Volume.

		Expiration	Inspiration	Changes during exercise	
muscles	External			More forceful contraction	
mus	Internal			of intercostal muscles	
	Ribs				
	Diaphragm			More forceful contraction of the diaphragm	
	Lung volume				
	Air pressure in lungs			Greater pressure difference between the	
	Air pressure is relatively high in			lungs and environment	

The Components of the Respiratory System



Define Tidal Volume and

during exercise, then, in

two spirometer traces to

illustrate the difference in the volumes between

rest and exercise

the space below, draw

Vital Capacity and outline their change Explain how the structure of the alveoli is suited to gaseous exchange.

Alveoli

Gaseous exchange and diffusion

- Oxygen breathed in moves from an area of high concentration (in the lungs) to an area of low concentration (in the capillaries).
- Oxygen combines with haemoglobin found in red blood cells to form oxyhaemoglobin.
- Haemoglobin also carries carbon dioxide.
- Carbon dioxide is taken to the lungs, passes through alveoli and is passed out.

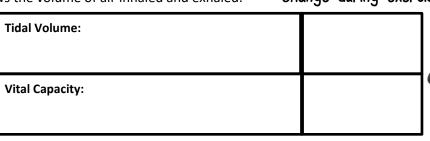
Respiratory Values at Rest and during Exercise

A spirometer trace shows the volume of air inhaled and exhaled.

Change during exercise

TV

VC





Anaerobic Exercise Describe anaerobic exercise and complete the equation that is used to summarise it. Then list as many sports as you can that use anaerobic respiration.

Using Both Systems

a competition. Below are different scenarios when an athlete would be required to use both of these energy systems when taking part in the same sport:



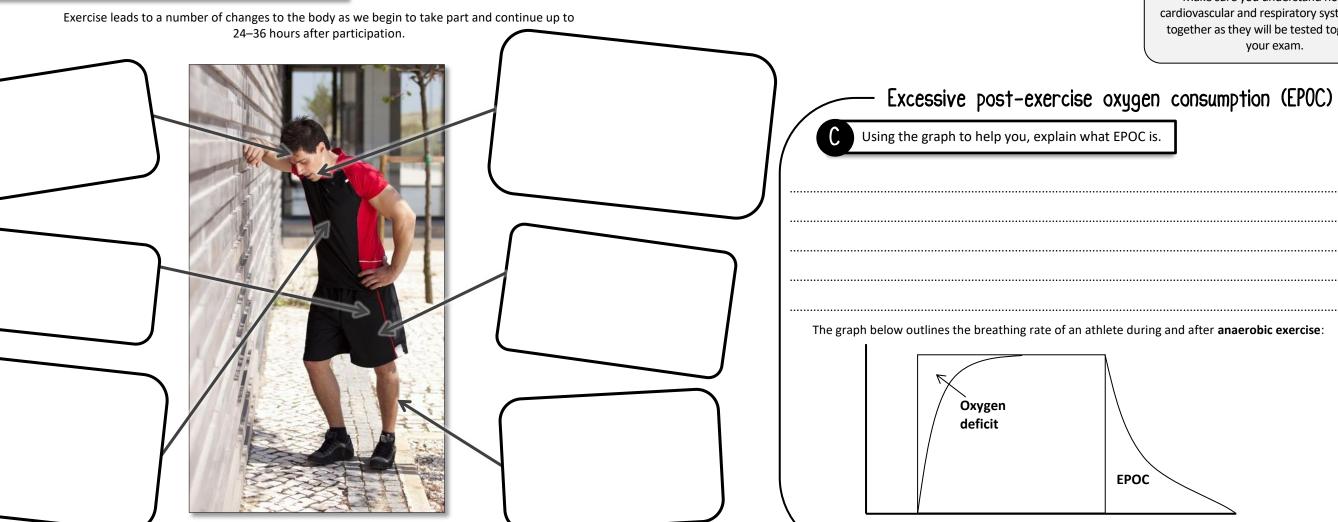
Describe the short-term effects of exercise in the boxes below.

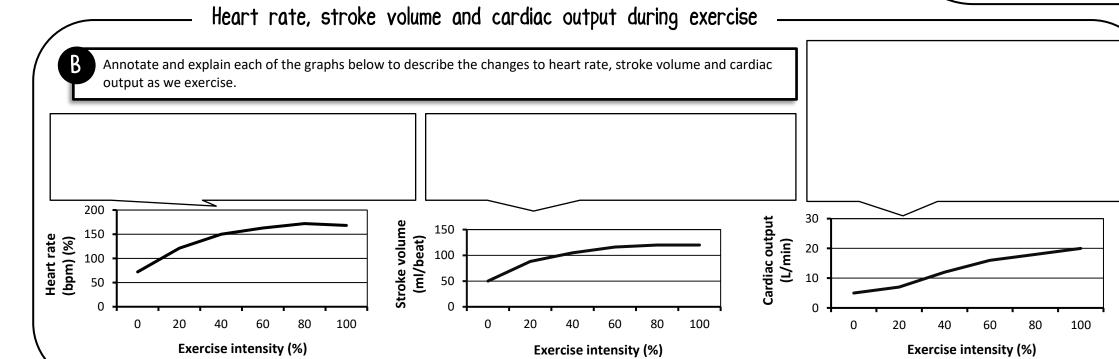
Short-term Effects of Exercise



Revision Success Tip!

Make sure you understand how the cardiovascular and respiratory systems work together as they will be tested together in your exam.





Cardiorespiratory function

End of recovery

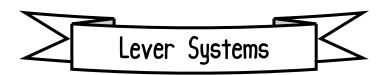
Explain how the cardiovascular and respiratory systems work together during exercise during recovery from exercise.

End of exercise

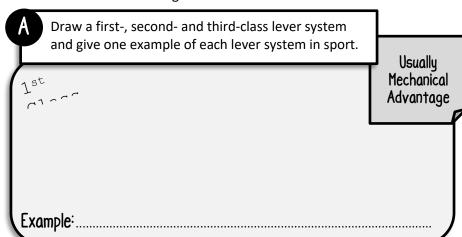
Start of exercise

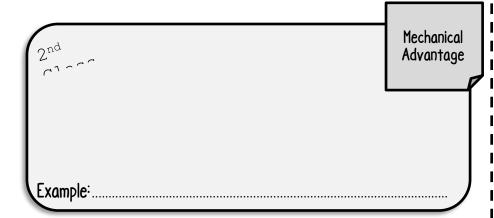
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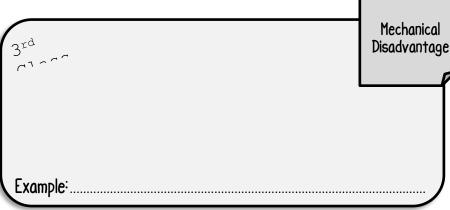




- Movement at the joints occurs by one of the three classes of lever.
- Depending on the lever system, the movement is either at a mechanical advantage or disadvantage.
- A mechanical advantage allows heavy loads to be moved with minimal effort, whereas a mechanical disadvantage allows loads to be moved quickly.
- **♦** Mechanical advantage = Effort arm ÷ Load arm







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Movement Analysis (Including Planes and Axes)

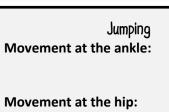
Analysis of Movement

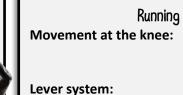
Identify the types of movement and the lever system that occurs during each phase of the five movements shown.



Cricket bowling
Movement at the shoulder:

Lever system:

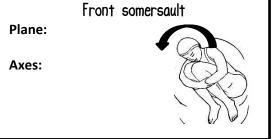






Tennis forehand Movement at the shoulder:

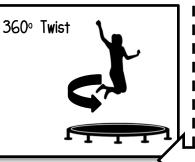
Lever system:



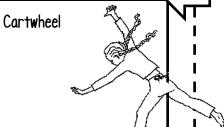
Plane: Axis:

Plane:

Axis:



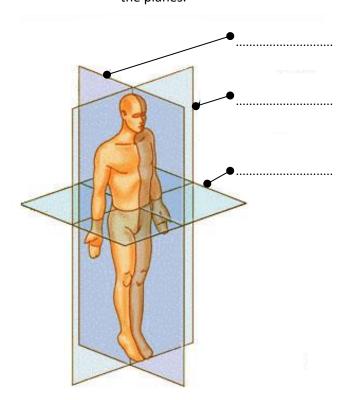
Identify the plane of movement and the axis of rotation in each of the three movements shown.



Identify the three planes of movement and the three axes of rotation (below).

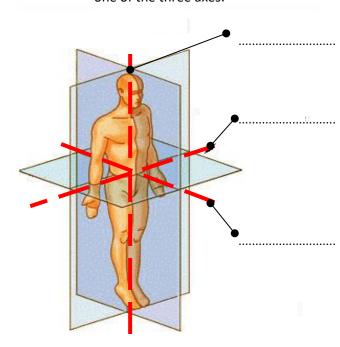
Planes of Movement

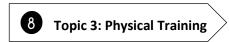
Any movement at a joint occurs in one of the planes:



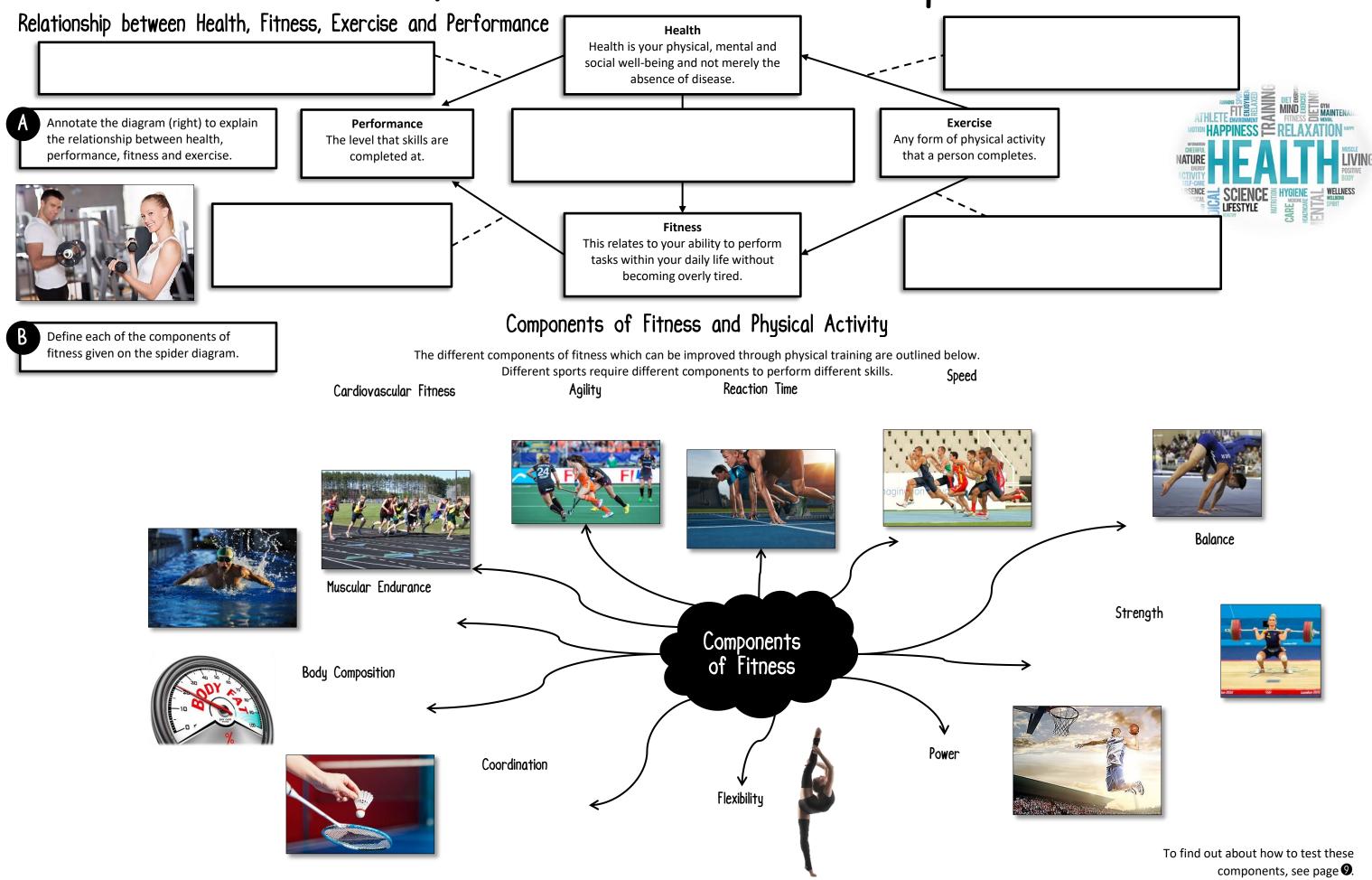
Axes of Rotation

Any time the body rotates, it does so around one of the three axes:



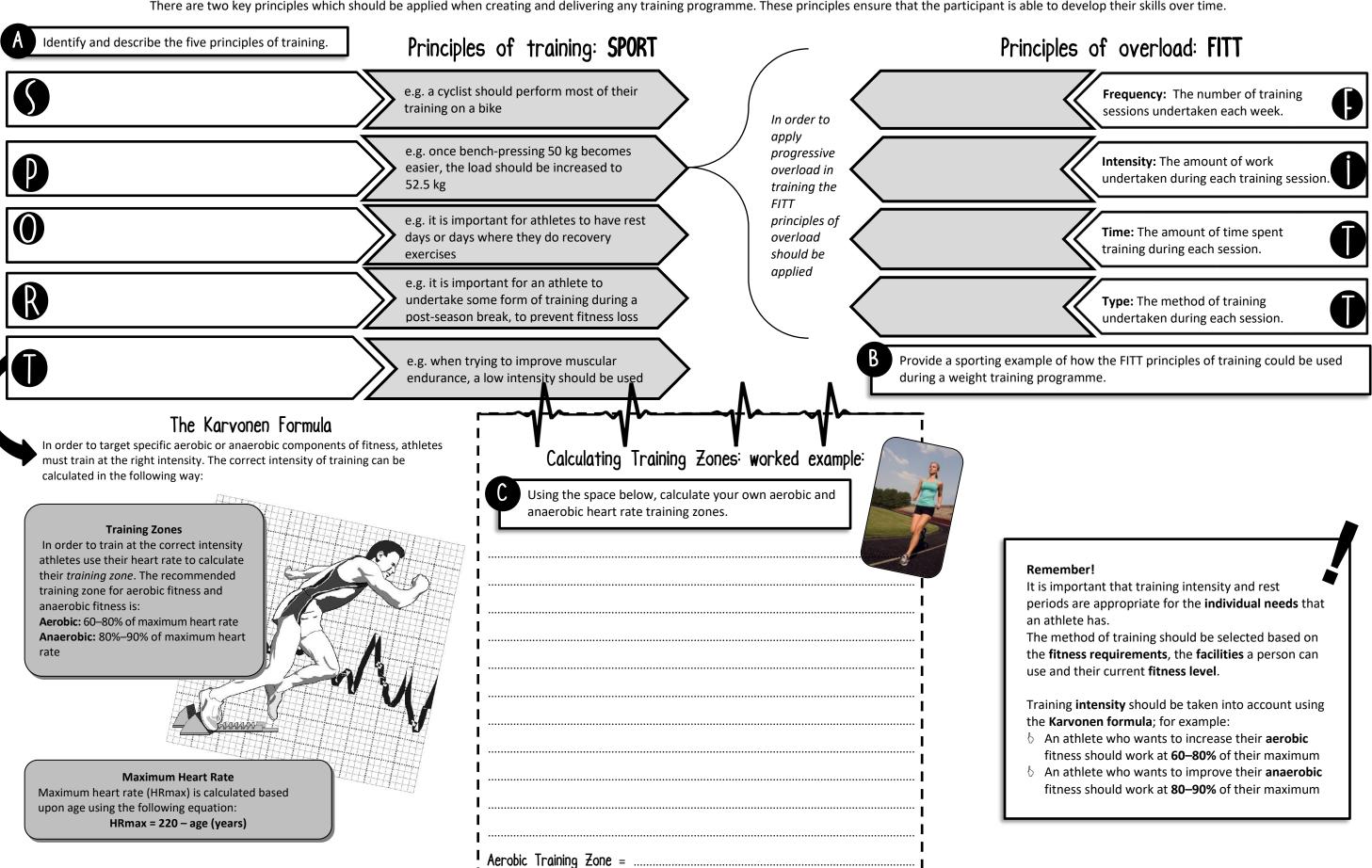


Health, Fitness and Fitness Components

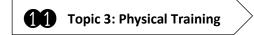


Principles of Training and their Application to Training Programmes

There are two key principles which should be applied when creating and delivering any training programme. These principles ensure that the participant is able to develop their skills over time.



I Anaerobic Training Zone =



Training methods

Circuit Training

A number of activities at different stations; the athletes move between each station with little or no rest



Fitness Components? All components

Advantages

Disadvantages

Useful for?

Weight Training

What?

Weights are lifted in a series of movements which target different muscle groups



Fitness Components?

Strength, power and muscular endurance

Advantages

Disadvantages

Useful for?

The type of training that is performed by athletes depends on the sport for which they are training. The different types of training and their uses are outlined below:

Fartlek Training

What?

Continuous Training

Physical activity which involves prolonged

periods of aerobic exercise, such as running

Cardiovascular and muscular endurance

What?

or cycling

Fitness Components?

Advantages

Disadvantages

Useful for?

A mix of continuous and interval exercise performed on different terrains, at different speeds or with different periods of high-intensity and low-intensity work



Fitness Components?

Cardiovascular and muscular endurance

Advantages

Disadvantages

Useful for?

Interval Training

What?

Intermittent periods of high-intensity exercise with periods of recovery or low-intensity exercise



Fitness Components?

Power, cardiovascular and muscular endurance

Advantages

Disadvantages

Useful for?

Plyometric Training

What?

An eccentric contraction is performed and followed by a larger, concentric contraction



Fitness Components?

Advantages

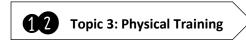
Disadvantages

Useful for?

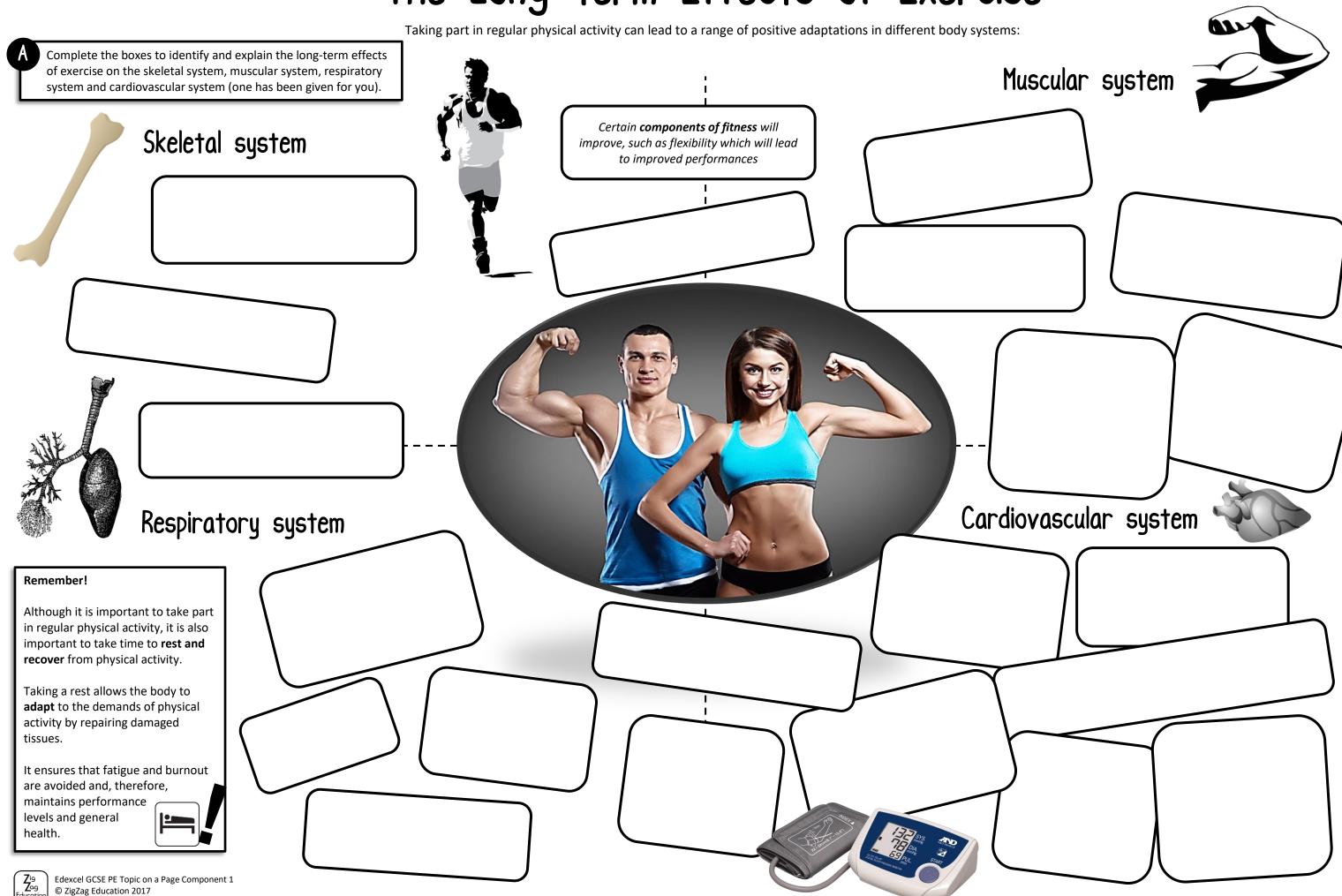
Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of each of the types of training and provide a type of sportsperson who would benefit from each type.

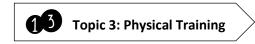
(Fitness Classes for Specific Components of Fitness

ī	Yoga	Pilates	Aerobics	Spinning	Body Pump	1
i	What?	What?	What?	What?	What?	l ı
÷	Performing a range of stretches in a	A range of exercises performed in a	A class exercise where aerobic exercise	A high-intensity cycling class led by an	A class exercise where weights are lifted	۱.
•	relaxing environment	controlled manner	is performed in time to music	instructor	in time with music	1:
•	Fitness Components?	Fitness Components?	Fitness Components?	Fitness Components?	Fitness Components?	1:
ı	Flexibility, balance and coordination	Strength, balance and coordination	Cardiovascular fitness and muscular	Cardiovascular fitness, muscular	Cardiovascular fitness, strength,	
I			endurance	endurance, power and speed	muscular endurance	
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The Long-term Effects of Exercise





Preventing Injuries

How to Optimise Training and Prevent Injury

Types of Injuries

Identify each of the injuries being explained.

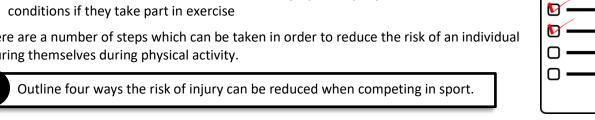
PAR-Q:

A PAR-Q should be performed prior to taking part in physical activity.

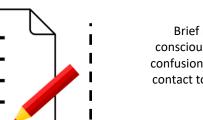
It is a physical activity readiness questionnaire.

It assesses whether the individual is at risk of injury or may experience a health conditions if they take part in exercise

There are a number of steps which can be taken in order to reduce the risk of an individual injuring themselves during physical activity.







Brief loss of consciousness and

confusion caused by contact to the head

A break in a bone caused by an impact, long-term wear or a disease The movement of a bone from the position within a joint in which it is normally held

> A muscle injury where the muscle or tendon has been slightly torn

Damage to the upper layers of the skin often caused by the friction experienced when falling over on a rough surface

> An overuse injury which causes the muscles and tendons which attach on the inside of the elbow to become inflamed and painful

An overuse injury which causes the muscles and tendons which attach on

the outside of the elbow to become

inflamed and painful

A muscle injury where the muscle or tendon has been slightly torn

Tearing of the cartilage often brought about by a sudden twist or as a result of osteoarthritis

Treatment Methods

Identify the techniques for the RICE method below and explain what each involves.

There are four simple steps which should be followed when treating an injury:

Technique	What Happens
R	
C	
E	



Some athletes resort to using banned substances in order to gain an advantage due to the benefits of sporting success. Below are the different types of PEDs that can be used:

Identify the performanceenhancing drug outlined below and suggest an athlete who would benefit from using it.

Name:

- + Increases muscle mass Kidney problems
- Cardiovascular disease
- High blood pressure

Name: .

Athlete:.....

+ Improve fine control

- + Lower arousal and anxiety
- Heart problems
- Dizziness

Athlete:..

Name: Weight loss

In juries

- Help athletes hide other drug use
- Dehydration
 - Kidney problems
 - Cardiovascular problems

Athlete:....

Dizziness

Addictive

Name:

Can lead to overtraining

Can exercise when

Can make injuries worse

Athlete:.....

Painkillers

injured

- + Increases muscle mass and strength
- Improved recovery
- Increased metabolism
- Reduced cardiovascular fitness
- Muscle pain

Name:....

- + Increased oxygencarrying capacity
- Exercise for longer
- Heart disease
- Stroke
- Infection
- Athlete:.....

- Increased energy
- Exercise for longer
- Heart problems
- Can lead to overtraining
- Addictive

Athlete:

Name:....

- Increased oxygencarrying capacity
- Increased aerobic endurance
- Infection
- Heart disease
- Stroke
- Allergic reaction

Athlete:.....



Warm-up

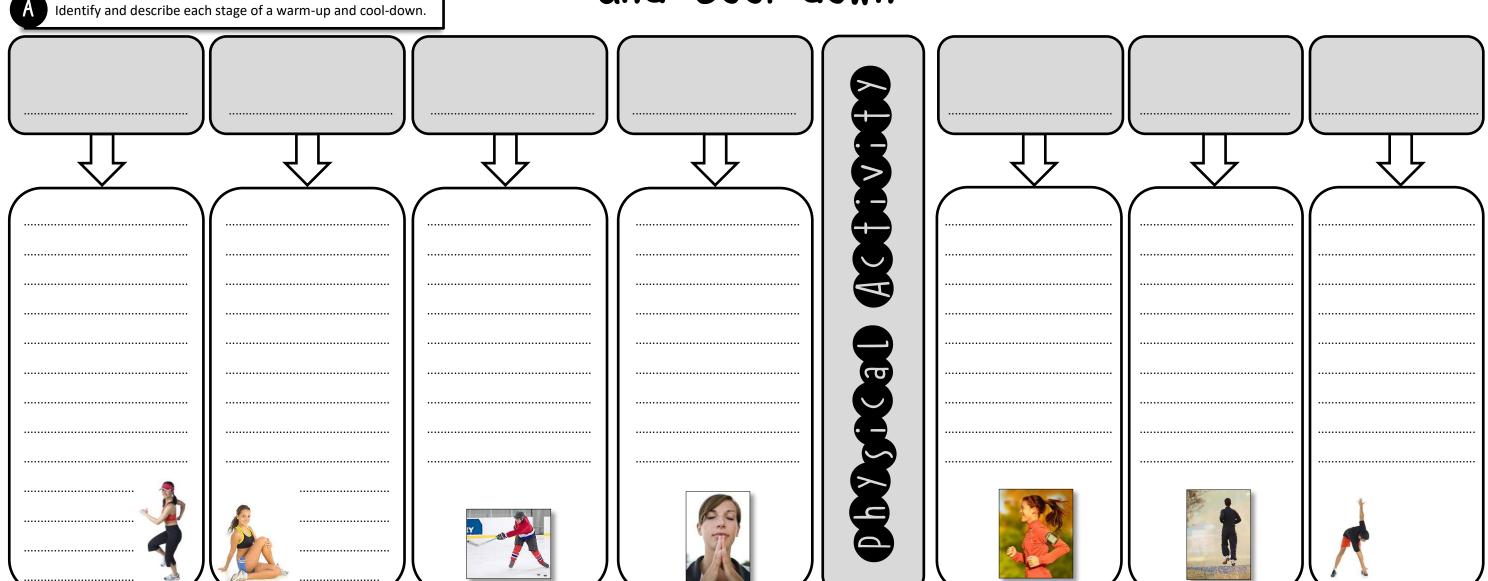
Effective Use of a Warm-up

Cool-down

It is important that a warm-up is performed prior to exercise in order to prepare the body for physical activity. A warm-up is designed to reduce the risk of injury and improve performance.

and Cool-down

It is important to perform a cool-down following physical activity in order to improve the recovery of the body.



B Explain the benefits of performing a warm-up and cool-down.

Benefits of Warming Up

Benefits of Cooling Down