

## Level 1 BTEC Diploma

# Public Services & Sport

### Why study this course at Cronton Sixth Form?

We have excellent industry links, and you will benefit from the opportunity to studying a variety of Sport and Uniformed Services units, go on industry visits and hear from guest speakers. Our staff have a wealth of sporting & Uniformed Services experience and will fully support your progress on the course and in your sport. In addition to your main qualification, you will also have the chance to gain coaching awards.

### What will I study?

You will develop the skills and knowledge you need for a career in the sport and leisure sector, through a series of practical units and work skills units which cover additional abilities such as self-management, communication and working safely. Successful completion of this course will enable you to progress on to a Level 2 Diploma in Sport or Uniformed Services.

### How will I be assessed?

Coursework, Group Seminars, Professional Discussions, Practical Delivery are some of the assessment's methods used to achieve the qualification modules.

### Entry Requirements

A minimum of 4 GCSEs at Grades 9 - 2 including English Language at Grade 2 and a Grade 2 in Maths.

### Can I study this course if I have not taken it at GCSE?

Yes, you do not need to have studied Sport at GCSE to study at College.

### Opportunities

You will also have the opportunity to join one of the college sports teams, including:

- Football teams
- Rugby teams
- Netball team
- Basketball team

You can also represent the college at AOC competitions



## Centre of Sporting Excellence

Students studying sport at Cronton will be part of a Centre of Sporting Excellence. Our coaches are committed to helping young athletes develop and excel both academically and professionally.

Our extensive elite sporting opportunities include individual coaching, prestigious and high profile sporting partnerships, scholarships, links with governing bodies and an international ski trip. The focus is on encouraging and supporting every student in maximising their performance in their chosen sport.



### Opening this year

Brand new facilities including:

- Modern gym
- Sports hall
- Changing facilities



### Talented Athlete Scholarship Scheme (TASS)

The Centre of Sporting Excellence at Cronton Sixth Form can support talented athletes studying any programme with their sporting and academic success with the TASS programme.

## Enrichment Opportunities

Students studying A level and Vocational Sport at Cronton had the opportunity to go Skiing in France and visit Barcelona, these experiences have provided them with the opportunity to travel, complete work experience, take in different cultures, grow on a personal level and make lifelong friendships.

Students can also take part in a full Sport enrichment programme and talented sports performers will have the opportunity to join our Centre of Sporting Excellence with access to the fitness suites. Our coaches are committed to helping young athletes develop and excel both academically and professionally. Our extensive elite sporting opportunities include individual coaching, prestigious and high-profile sporting partnerships, scholarships, links with governing bodies and an international ski trip. The focus is on encouraging and supporting every student in maximising their performance in their chosen sport.

## What can this course lead on to?

The majority of our student's progress onto the Level 2 Diploma. There are also opportunities to apply for the armed forces or to seek employment within leisure centres, health clubs or sport coaching within the UK or abroad.

Level 3 students can progress onto degrees including, policing studies, criminology, psychology and Philosophy & Politics.

## Any additional costs?

Students will be expected to purchase the course kit package that is £48.50 and make a contribution to trips and visits that are organised to support curriculum delivery.

## What have previous students said about this course?

"It is a great introduction into sport and the course also works on your confidence, team building and physical skills, whilst having the chance to re-sit your GCSE's."

## Scholarships

Talented sport students can also apply for our scholarships, worth up to £2000 each.

## Meet the Students

Name:  
**Charlie Pickering**

Vocational Results:  
**Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Sport - D\*D\*D**

Previously from:  
**Penketh High School**

Destination:  
**Edge Hill University, Physical Education & School Sport**

