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Question	Answer	Marks
1	the movements are always the same / predictable;	1
	the skill is not affected by the environment / opponents;	
2	allows the body to work more efficiently / boosts endurance / body systems work more efficiently;	1
	provides opportunities to socialise;	
	prevents illness / disease;	
	reduces stress and increases happiness / sources of fun;	
	enables a person to maintain a stable body weight;	
	maintains fitness;	
3	youth clubs / scouts / girl guides;	1
	churches;	
	national charities, e.g. YHA;	
	community organisations;	
4	production of adrenaline;	1
	increased heart rate;	
	increased breathing rate;	
	muscle readiness for action / become tense;	
	alertness;	
	sweaty;	
	butterflies / sickness;	

Answer	Marks
it clears the gut;	1
prevents constipation / bowel cancer;	
makes you feel full, so you eat less / adds bulk to food;	
earlier identification of injury / quicker treatment;	1
quicker recovery / access to physiotherapy;	
greater awareness of health factors / more publicity;	
improved links between health professionals and sports centres to introduce low-impact activities for older participants;	
flexion;	2
extension;	
lateral extension;	
rotation;	
plan the route / where to move the equipment to;	2
environment is safe;	
ensure a good hold position on the equipment;	
do not bend the back when lifting / do not twist when lifting / lift from squatting position / bend the knees when lifting;	
ensure equipment is not too heavy / students are strong enough / area is stable;	
ensure supervision during activity;	
appropriate number of students;	
make sure equipment is in good condition to be moved;	
	it clears the gut; prevents constipation / bowel cancer; makes you feel full, so you eat less / adds bulk to food; earlier identification of injury / quicker treatment; quicker recovery / access to physiotherapy; greater awareness of health factors / more publicity; improved links between health professionals and sports centres to introduce low-impact activities for older participants; flexion; extension; lateral extension; rotation; plan the route / where to move the equipment to; environment is safe; ensure a good hold position on the equipment; do not bend the back when lifting / do not twist when lifting / lift from squatting position / bend the knees when lifting; ensure equipment is not too heavy / students are strong enough / area is stable; ensure supervision during activity; appropriate number of students;

Question		Answer	Marks
9	increase the	amount of participation in sports;	3
	increase the	level of understanding of a sport / physiology etc.;	
	access to ext	ternal coaches;	
	access to hig	h-quality facilities and equipment;	
	opportunities	to play new / different sports to the basic curriculum;	
	motivates stu	idents to participate more in sport;	
	gives student	ts opportunities to pursue a career in sport / gain a scholarship to go to university;	
10	cause: overstretchin	g / overuse / lack of flexibility / twisting movement at a joint;	3
	treatment: (short-term) r	rest; ice; compression; elevation;	
	(long-term) h	ospital treatment; physiotherapy; steroid injections; heat treatment; surgery;	
11	Pectorals	Raise the arm at the shoulder. Draw the arm across the chest / adduction;	4
	Trapezius	Holds and rotates the shoulder. Moves the head back and sideways / abducts at the shoulder;	
	Gluteals	Pulls the leg back at the hip. Raises the leg sideways at the hip;	
	Deltoid(s);	Raise your arm forwards, backwards and sideways at the shoulder	

Question	Answer	Marks
12(a)	boosts confidence;	2
	reduces stress / relax;	
	helps obtain an appropriate level of arousal / remain calm;	
	allows the performer to concentrate on the task ahead / better focus;	
	allows a performer to go through routines which will improve the performance / reminds the performer of goals;	
12(b)	blood production – ribs and femur contain red bone marrow which makes blood cells / white blood cells / platelets; protection – the skull protects the brain / the ribs protect the heart and lungs;	3
	movement – muscles pull on bones to create movements, such as bicep pulling on the radius to bend the elbow;	
	support and shape – gives the body shape and support for organs, such as the vertebrae keeping the body upright;	
12(c)	Award examples of sports that demonstrate problems if a performer:	3
	lacks mobility / speed / balance;	
	lacks flexibility;	
	lacks endurance;	
	puts on weight easily / activities with weight categories that are difficult to maintain;	

Question	Answer	Marks
12(d)	affects co-ordination – less able to catch;	3
	balance – affects the ability to run, strike a ball etc. effectively;	
	unable to work for as long – cannot complete a match;	
	loss / reduction in cardio-vascular fitness;	
	loss of the drive to train and play sport;	
	affects the speed of reaction – unable to respond to catch a ball when fielding close to the bat in cricket, difficult to dodge punches when boxing;	
	poor decision-making;	
	lack of focus / concentration;	
12(e)	Award marks only for the features of the test. Candidates may use alternative recognised tests.	4
	agility – Illinois Agility Test, complete the course as fast as possible / run around a course of cones / run to a cone then zigzag through four cones / run straight to the last cone / times are converted to scores;	
	balance – Standing Stork Test, subject blind folded / stands on one foot with toes of raised foot placed against standing leg / time from the point when the candidate is stable / when the candidate wobbles stop timing;	
	co-ordination – Wall Toss Test, mark line 2 m from a wall / candidate stand behind line / ball is thrown underarm against the wall / caught in the other hand / thrown back against the wall and caught with the original hand / count the number caught in 30 seconds;	
	speed of reaction – Ruler Drop Test, hold a 30 cm ruler so that it falls between thumb and first finger / ruler is dropped / candidate catches the ruler at its highest point / repeat the test and take the average distance the ruler drops;	

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12(f)	resting heart rate will be lower – training increases the size and strength of the heart so it increases the amount of blood pumped to the muscles;	4
	increase of the working heart rate will be slower – as the blood supply will meet the demands quicker, the increase in stroke volume results in more oxygen being delivered to the muscles;	
	working heart rate would be lower – more blood is pumped in each beat / cardiac output maintains the oxygen demanded by the muscles;	
	recovery rate would be quicker – there would be a greater volume of blood supplied to the muscles carrying more oxygen, so lactic acid would be cleared more quickly;	
12(g)	Award a max. of 4 marks for the application of the FITT principles / SPOR / SMARTER.	6
	find out about the person / age / injuries / health / reasons for getting fitter / current level of fitness / likes and dislikes regarding exercises / fitness testing;	
	agree what aspects of fitness needs improving;	
	ensure that rest is included, in the early stages there needs to be substantial recovery times;	
	application of the FITT principles: Frequency – how often the person is going to exercise;	
	Intensity – intensity of training needs to reflect the level of fitness of the performer, the increase in the intensity of training should reflect progress being made;	
	Time – the amount of time that the performer is going to be able to commit to a training programme;	
	Training activity – depending on the type of activities that suit the performer / most performers wanting to get fit would use a variety of activities to make training enjoyable and avoid boredom / opportunities for alternative exercise if unable to train;	
	access to facilities / equipment needs to meet the demands of the programme;	
	how progress will be monitored / feedback given;	

Question	Answer	Marks
13(a)	have essential human needs food, clothing and shelter;	2
	have friendship and support;	
	have some value in society;	
	have a social life;	
	have little stress / be able to cope with stress;	
	have good communication;	
13(b)	benefit:	2
	helps in the transport of oxygen by red blood cells;	
	food source:	
	liver / beans / lentils / vegetables / added to bread;	
13(c)	prepare the athlete mentally / better focus;	3
	increases heart rate and blood flow;	
	warms muscles and increases flexibility;	
	warms and loosens joints;	
	practise some of the skills that are key to the activity;	
	become use to the conditions;	

Question	Answer	Marks
13(d)	wet surfaces around the pool causing slippery surfaces / running down the side of the pool, people slip;	4
	(Accept concerns over weather – 1 mark max.)	
	entering the pool without permission / how and when people enter the water / supervisors not knowing who or how many people are in the water;	
	ensuring swimmers do not get out of their depth / possible drowning;	
	ensure pool is clear of items, e.g. floats etc. – can cause obstructions to swimmers;	
	hygiene factors / pH levels are appropriate;	
	diving boards should not be used when the pool is in use – prevent divers landing on swimmers below;	
	using swimming aids should only be done under supervision – weaker swimmers should always be under supervision in the water to reduce chances of swimmers getting into danger / using aids incorrectly;	
13(e)(i)	resistance training: training that causes muscles to work against an external resistance;	2
	benefit: builds muscle size / strength / power / slows down the aging process / slows down the loss of bone density / raises metabolic rate which helps maintain body weight;	
13(e)(ii)	No mark awarded for naming a training principle. Examples must relate to the named activity.	2
	Specificity – an example of resistance training related to the named activity;	
	Overload – examples of how a method of resistance training can be overloaded;	
	Progression – examples of a programme that plans to bring about improvements;	
	Reversibility – example of the variety that can be added to a programme to prevent boredom, reduce possibility of injury;	

Question	Answer	Marks
13(f)	adrenaline is produced benefit – increases the heart rate;	5
	heart beats stronger and faster / stroke volume increases / cardiac output increases benefit – increases the speed that oxygen is delivered to muscles / provides greater energy / more blood is pumped in each beat;	
	breathing rate increases / tidal volume increases / minute volume increases benefit – increases the amount of oxygen reaching the muscles and removes more carbon dioxide, which slows the onset of lactic acid / allows to perform for longer;	
	blood gets shunted benefit – blood is provided to the muscles that need it the most;	
	start to sweat benefit – allows the temperature to be maintained and the body is cooled;	
	arteries widen benefit – blood pressure is prevented from increasing too much;	
	muscles become warmer benefit – greater flexibility, reduces chances of muscle injury;	
	increase muscles contraction benefit – puts pressure on veins to squirt blood faster back to the heart which increases the speed that blood circulates;	
14(a)	opportunities to play sport to a higher standard;	2
	receive a higher level of coaching;	
	opportunities to participate in competitive sports / variety of sports;	
	able to socialise with friends;	
	improve fitness;	
	raises confidence / self-esteem / reduces stress / easy access / free to play;	

Question	Answer	Marks
14(b)	limited range of skills required to take part / not as good as the natural environment;	3
	repetition of skills / difficult to progress skills;	
	facilities are often crowded;	
	facilities are limited in number;	
	participants get bored quickly;	
	lacks the beauty of the natural environment;	
	techniques may differ / not have the skills when in the natural environment to deal with weather changes etc.;	
	often attract less-skilled performers which results in more accidents;	
14(c)	technology has improved to allow sports to be televised live from anywhere in the world;	4
	more channels available to show sports / sports-only channels / more televisions / replay of events / colour televisions;	
	more formats to televise sports;	
	increase in the amount of sport played being played throughout the world / more international sport played;	
	greater demand from the public for sports to be shown;	
	sport has become more popular / more fashionable to play sports;	
	more female sports shown;	
	sports stars create a great deal of interest and publicity so people want to see them play;	
	television companies want to increase viewing figures by showing sports programmes of high interest;	
	branding of sports has increased sponsorship opportunities;	
	television encouraged sports to be played outside of the normal environment (shown worldwide), e.g. NFL matches played in England / Germany;	
	greater financial rewards for television coverage / increase in sponsorship;	

Question	Answer	Marks
14(d)	greater media coverage of disability sport;	6
	more competitions for performers with disabilities / more international competition;	
	legislation to ensure equal opportunities, e.g. access to facilities, braille signs etc.;	
	disability sports have been part of major events, e.g. Commonwealth Games 2014;	
	ex-performers become part of television / media presentation;	
	development of specific equipment, e.g. sports wheelchairs;	
	introduction of new sports, e.g. goalball, wheelchair rugby;	
	sports clubs having specialist coaches to support performers with disabilities;	
	greater government funding for elite performers;	
	more disability performers able to access sponsorship so they can train full time / become professional;	
	greater awareness of the benefits of sport for disabled performers;	
	more role models;	
	greater acceptance / awareness of disabilities / improvements in technology;	