



Boroughbridge High School

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Dear Parent / Carer,

I am writing to inform you about the upcoming practical moderation for your child's GCSE PE qualification. The practical moderation is on Thursday 1st May and will involve external moderators from Edexcel coming to Boroughbridge High School to assess the pupils sporting performance in a range of sporting activities. It is essential that all pupils attend school on the moderation day as it this is part of the exam process for the qualification, if they cannot attend then a doctor's note may be required to provide evidence of absence to the exam board. On the moderation day pupils will be required to perform to the best of their sporting ability to demonstrate their level of performance in the given activity. Pupils should come to school in full Boroughbridge High School PE kit as they will require it for the full day, along with any specialist equipment (football boots, shin pads etc) that your child might need for the activities they are being moderated in. The activities each pupil will be observed in during the day has been shared with the pupils so they are aware of the practical sessions they will be fully involved in. Even if your child is not being moderated in an activity they may still be involved in the session to provide opposition / gameplay. A timetable of the day will be given to the pupils before the day so they are aware of timings and locations.

In the lead up to the moderation day there will be extra-curricular sessions on offer to help pupils fine tune their skills so that they are as prepared as possible for the moderation process. These will be as follows:

Netball – 25th & 30th April – Lunchtime – Sports Hall & 24th April – After school – Sports hall

Badminton – 23rd & 29th April – Lunchtime & After school – Sports hall

Handball - 24th & 28th April – Lunchtime – Sports hall & 30th April – After school – Sports hall

GCSE PE Theory revision will continue on Monday lunchtimes, starting again Monday 5th May, in S2 as it has done since January. It is hoped that pupils take full advantage of all of these sessions to enhance their performance on moderation day and in the exam. If you have any further questions regarding the moderation day please contact me at school.

I hope that you find this information useful to help your child perform their best throughout the upcoming examination processes.

Yours sincerely

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