

BA SPORT DEVELOPMENT AND COACHING

This is one of our broadest ranging sports degrees. You can tailor your experience towards your career aspirations and keep your options open. You'll learn how sport is used to develop communities, inspire young people and fulfil potential, from grassroots up to elite athlete levels. On the course you will examine the landscape of sport development, exploring sporting organisations, inclusivity, accessibility and under-represented populations in physical activity within community sport.



WHAT IS THIS COURSE ABOUT?



This course has been designed to meet the growing needs of society such as the increase of sedentary lifestyles, inactivity and the increasing agenda focussed on getting more people, more active. Whether this is running a local sports club, working on inclusive projects or providing opportunities for vulnerable populations, this course will give you the opportunity to be at the forefront of sport and physical activity provision.

Industry experience

Work placements, guest lectures and industry visits are core parts of the degree. Working with a range of partners such as Active Devon, Plymouth Argyle and Premier Education, this degree places at its centre work with industry.

The table overleaf gives an overview of the modules at each level.

KEY INFORMATION

96 UCAS tariff points Typical offers: CCC at A Levels, MMM at BTEC or Access 23-45 D/M with min 6D And GCSE English Language at grade 4 or grade C or above

Applicants with other qualifications and/or experience will be considered on an individual basis

Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
<p>Introduction to Sport Development and Coaching (immersive)</p> <hr/> <p>Foundations in Sport Development</p> <hr/> <p>Introduction to the Management of Sport</p> <hr/> <p>Organisations in Sport & Physical Activity</p> <hr/> <p>Sport in the Community</p> <hr/> <p>Coaching for Sport and Physical Activity</p>	<p>Sport and Physical Activity Policy to Practice</p> <hr/> <p>Event Management in Sport & Physical Activity</p> <hr/> <p>Engaging in Employability: Sport Development and Coaching</p> <hr/> <p>Inclusion in Sport and Physical Activity</p> <hr/> <p>Research and Critical Inquiry in Sport</p> <hr/> <p>Coaching Theory and Practice</p>	<p>Honours Project</p> <hr/> <p>Strategic Sport Management</p> <hr/> <p>Inclusive Coaching in Sport & Physical Activity</p> <hr/> <p>Leadership, Management and Mentoring in Sport</p> <hr/> <p>Graduate Employability in Sport</p> <hr/> <p>Physical Education and School Sport</p>

GRADUATE OPPORTUNITIES

You will find our BA (Hons) Sport Development and Coaching graduates in a variety of roles including development officers for national governing bodies, local authorities, school sport partnerships, community trusts, commercial sports centres, and as coaches and teachers. We have superb links with the sport development sector locally, nationally, and overseas and the quality of our graduates is well recognised both locally and nationally.

*"I thoroughly enjoy working with disabled young people. The lecturers put a lot of emphasis on the importance of volunteering, without this, I don't think I would have volunteered. The lecturers had various contacts in many organisations and helped make that important first link. Having this experience definitely helped me get my job. **Stacey, a Youth and Inclusion Manager at YMCA Plymouth.***

Scan the QR code to hear more from our graduates and the exciting things they are up to!



HOW ARE YOU ASSESSED?

You'll write essays, give presentations, produce reports and there is the odd exam. As you'd expect you'll be assessed on your delivery skills, in coaching, at events, and on placement. Lecturers will support you in tutorials and there are regular opportunities to meet with your personal development tutor who will guide you through studies.

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