# **Byford Secondary College**

# **HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION POLICY**

The following aspects will be required of participants involved in Health and Physical Education classes

### **ASSESSMENT**

#### **Lower School**

- Health and Physical Education are compulsory in Years 7-10: Two individual grades will be given 1. Physical Education 2. Health Education.
- Students completing elective subjects in Years 8-10 will be given an additional grade for each elective.
- All courses are based on the Australian and Western Australian Curriculum syllabus.

Strand	Personal, Social and Community Health	Movement and Physical Activity
Sub	Being healthy, safe and active	Moving our body
Strands	Communicating and interacting for health and wellbeing	Understanding movement
	Contributing to healthy and active	Learning through movement
	communities	

In lower school the following content is assessed in selected courses:

Health	Physical Education	Electives
<ul> <li>Selected in class tasks/tests/classwork.</li> <li>Attitudes and values</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Skills (sending and receiving)</li> <li>Maintaining Possession</li> <li>Positioning</li> <li>Team Play</li> <li>Sport Understanding</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Skills</li> <li>Communication/Attitudes/Values.</li> <li>Selected in class tasks/tests/classwork.</li> </ul>

Further information can be found on Connect or by contacting your students classroom teacher.

## Senior School - Years 11-12

- Upper school subjects are subject to Senior School requirements and Post Compulsory outcomes relevant to their course of study aligned to the School's Curriculum and Standards Authority (SCSA)
- Course assessments and policies are supplied on enrolment to the course and are available on Connect

## **NON PARTICIPANTS**

Students are considered to be non-participants when they fail to be actively involved, have inappropriate attire for the activity, come without resources required for activities in a classroom or outside, or fail to bring medical exemption notes.

 Non-participants will be asked to help in class participation, organisation, as officials in game environments or complete supplied theory work. By being involved, these students can still achieve some stated outcomes and acquire knowledge of the current content being covered. The use of electronic devices or completion of tasks not related to the Health and Physical Education course content are not permitted.

At the teacher's discretion, as a result of non-participation, one or more of the following consequences may apply;

- Community Cleanliness tasks (outdoor or indoor)
- Detention
- Departmental needs tasks
- General warning
- Direct contact with parents via letters or phone
- Suspension from selected forms of activities within the school community

### **ILLNESS/INJURIES**

- Notes are required from parents ON THE DAY if students are unable to participate.
- Parents/ guardians are required to supply a note or a medical certificate from a doctor for ongoing injury/illness that spans three weeks or more.
- Parents/ guardians may be asked for a medical note from a doctor/parent stating that students are capable to return to activity or sport after a prolonged absence or ongoing injury/illness.
- Injured students will be asked to help in class participation, organisation, as officials in game environments or complete supplied theory work. By being involved, these students can still achieve stated outcomes and acquire knowledge of the current content being covered.
- Failure to bring a note asking for exemption will result in students being considered as non-participants and are subject to the above consequences.

### PE UNIFORM

#### PE Uniform consists of the following only

- o BSC PE Shorts
- o BSC PE Shirt
- o BSC Tracksuit
- BSC Black uniform jacket/ pants (Jackets are to be worn over PE shirts).
- Parents will be contacted on the 3rd time any student is unchanged without a note.
- Teachers may exclude any student from all forms of activities if not suitably attired, equipped for participation or have not been able to reach agreement about behaviour standards.
- At the conclusion of all lessons it is a College requirement that all students change out of their PE uniform back into College uniform.
- Parents will be contacted on the 3rd time any student is unchanged without a note and students may receive a consequence.

#### **Footwear**

Suitable enclosed footwear must be worn at all times in PE

#### Hats and Sunscreen

- o Hats are highly recommended to be worn in outdoor activities but is not a compulsory item.
- Sunscreen will be provided to students in term 1 and term 4 upon request
- Bringing a water bottle and personal supplies of sunscreen is highly recommended.

## **INCOMPLETE WORK**

- Students who have not completed expected work in Health Education may be required to complete this work at Lunchtime in order to ensure they are best placed to achieve at their full potential.
- In order to ensure they stay up to date arrangements may also be made for students to complete this work in Physical Education time or in an alternative room.
- In the event of ongoing incompletion of work parent contact may be made.
- Students who don't complete work in the allocated lesson time will be required to complete their work in a 'catch up' room held at Lunchtimes to ensure they remain up to date with the assessed work.