

Spalding Grammar School Sixth Form

Enrichment Information

Level 2 Sports Leadership Award (SL2)

Entry Requirement:

There are no special entry requirements for this subject; however, an enthusiasm for sport would be advantageous.

About the subject: The sports leadership course is a dynamic and exciting opportunity for students to develop their confidence in skills of communication, organisation and leadership through a sporting context. The course covers three units:

- *Leadership skills*
- *Planning, leading and evaluating sessions*
- *Assisting in organising a sporting events*

The Level 2 Award in Sports Leadership (accredited by Sports Leaders UK) is followed, and students will be awarded with this qualification on successful completion of the course.

Throughout the course students will participate in theoretical and practical sessions to develop their leadership knowledge and skills. Students will gain direct experience from teaching Key Stage 3 PE classes and supporting the PE department with organising inter-house events. The course also integrates working with local primary 'feeder' schools and external visitors to help inspire potential career pathways in sport.

Students will be expected to complete a workbook throughout the course, in which their knowledge, reflections and plans are recorded.

It is advised that A Level PE students should take this course as knowledge and skills learnt can directly support the A Level PE course. All students who have an interest in teaching or sports coaching within an educational or community environment should also undertake this qualification.

Where does it lead? This course is ideal for anyone wanting to study PE in more depth or is interested in a career in leading, coaching or teaching. Further Sports Leaders UK courses can also be undertaken beyond this Level 2 qualification.