



Oxford Cambridge and RSA

Cambridge Nationals and Cambridge Technicals Sports activity list

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List of activities

OCR has issued the following lists based upon the suitability of activities as a means of assessing students' as part of:

1. The Cambridge Nationals Unit R052 and Unit R056
2. The Cambridge Technicals Level 2, unit 7 and Level 3, Unit 18.

These lists are full and final and your students must pick sports from these lists for inclusion within their qualifications.

Section 1 – Unit R052, Unit 7 and Unit 18 (LO1, 2 and 4 only)

The list of activities below is a full and complete list of all available activities which can be used within:

- Unit R052, Cambridge National (all Learning Objectives)
- Unit 7, Level 2 Cambridge Technical (All LO's)
- Unit 18, Level 3 Cambridge Technical (LO1, LO2 & LO4)

Please see [section 2](#) for the list for unit R056 and Unit 18 (LO3)

Team Activity	Comments
Acrobatic Gymnastics	Cannot be assessed with Gymnastics
Association football	Cannot be five-a-side or futsal
Badminton	Cannot be assessed with singles
Basketball	
Camogie	Cannot be assessed with hurling
Cricket	
Dance	
Figure skating	This can only be used for one activity. Cannot be assessed with dance
Futsal	Cannot be assessed with Football

Gaelic football	
Handball	
Hockey	Must be field hockey, not ice hockey or roller hockey
Hurling	Cannot be assessed with camogie
Ice Hockey	Cannot be assessed with Inline roller Hockey
Inline roller Hockey	Cannot be assessed with Ice Hockey
Lacrosse	
Netball	
Rowing	Cannot be assessed with sculling canoeing or kayaking
Rugby league	Cannot be assessed with rugby union or rugby sevens – cannot be tag rugby
Rugby union	Can be assessed as sevens or fifteen a side. Cannot be assessed with rugby league, cannot be tag rugby. Only one form
Sailing	Royal Yachting Association recognised sailing boat classes only. The list can be found online at: https://www.rya.org.uk/racing/youthjunior/info/Pages/recognised-classes.aspx . This can only be used for one activity
Sculling	Cannot be assessed with rowing, canoeing or kayaking. Cannot be assessed with individual sculling
Squash	Cannot be assessed with singles
Table tennis	Cannot be assessed with singles
Tennis	Cannot be assessed with singles
Volleyball	
Water Polo	
Specialist Team Activities	Candidates must meet the classification criteria for these sports in order to participate in them
Blind cricket	
Goal ball	
Powerchair football	Cannot be assessed with Wheelchair basketball
Table cricket	
Wheelchair basketball	
Wheelchair rugby	

Individual Activity	Comments
Amateur boxing	
Athletics	
Badminton	Cannot be assessed with doubles
Canoeing	Cannot be assessed with kayaking, rowing or sculling
Cross Country Running	
Cycling	Track, Road and BMX (racing, not tricks)
Dance	
Diving	Platform diving
Golf	
Gymnastics	Floor routines and apparatus only
Equestrian	
Figure skating	This can only be used for one activity. Cannot be assessed with dance
Kayaking	Cannot be assessed with canoeing, rowing or sculling
Rock climbing	Can be indoor or outdoor
Sailing	Royal Yachting Association recognised sailing boat classes only. The list can be found online at: https://www.rya.org.uk/racing/youthjunior/info/Pages/recognised-classes.aspx . This can only be used for one activity
Sculling	Cannot be assessed with rowing, canoeing or kayaking. Cannot be assessed with team sculling
Skiing	Outdoor/indoor on snow; cannot be assessed with snowboarding. Must not be dry slopes
Snowboarding	
Squash	Cannot be assessed with doubles
Swimming	Not synchronised swimming
Table tennis	Cannot be assessed with doubles
Tennis	Cannot be assessed with doubles
Trampolining	
Windsurfing	
Specialist Individual Activities	Candidates must meet the classification criteria for these sports in order to participate in them
Boccia	
Polybat	

The inclusion or non-inclusion of an activity in this list does not represent a view on the legitimacy or value of the activity.

The list has been revised to reflect Ofqual's principles that non-exam assessment should ensure sound assessment practice, be manageable, and ensure the qualification is not easily distorted.

Learners can be assessed in different sports for each of the Learning Outcomes (LOs) and the team sport in LO2 cannot be a team derivative of the individual sport assessed in LO1 e.g. You may not take both Tennis and Tennis doubles or team dance and individual dance.

R052

Learners may use an activity from either LO1 or LO2 in the assessments of LO3 and LO4 or they can use different activities for either or both LO3 and LO4.

Learners need only be assessed in one discipline/position for their chosen sports. For example, Long jump in Athletics, or Scrum Half in Rugby or Goal Keeper in Football.

Unit 7, level 2 Cambridge Technicals

Learners may use an activity from either LO1 or LO2 in the assessments of LO3.

Unit 18, level 3 Cambridge Technicals

Learners may use an activity from either LO1 or LO2 in the assessments of LO4.

Section 2; Unit R056 and Unit 18 (LO3) Outdoor and Adventurous Activities

The list of activities below is a full and complete list of all available activities which can be used within unit R056 (all Learning Objectives) of the National and unit 18 (LO3) of the Cambridge Technical.

Please note that whilst there is no issue with you introducing some of these activities to students through indoor facilities you must ensure that they do complete the activity in its full outdoor setting e.g. just doing indoor climbing is not permitted.

Activity area	Details
Water sports	Canoeing / Kayaking Sailing Windsurfing
Trekking	Hill Walking Orienteering Mountaineering
Camping	Wild Camping
Climbing	Single pitch Abseiling
Caving	Potholing Mine Exploration
Cycling	Mountain Trail BMX
Snow Sports	Snow boarding Skiing Snow Shoeing
Gliding	Hang Gliding Paragliding
Other	Gorge Walking Sea Level traversing High Ropes Courses Canyoning Coasteering

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