Dear Parent/Guardian,

Your student during this year in Personal Development/ Health/ Physical Education will be graded in both theory and practical work to receive a grade for their school report.

This grade will be determined by the assessment tasks done during the year and will result in them being awarded an A, B, C, D, E or N award (Non award if they fail to complete the tasks). The grades will be awarded according to the marks that they receive for each task:

“A” will be awarded for marks over 80%
“B” will be awarded for marks between 70 & 79%
“C” will be awarded for marks between 60 & 69%
“D” will be awarded for marks between 40 & 59%
“E” will be awarded for marks below 40%

Failure to complete tasks by due date.

If your student fails to complete any of the tasks you will be notified by the faculty via a N award notification letter. The student needs to complete the task but at this stage will be awarded zero for it. NOTE: This will result in these students being placed on the School Exclusion list which will prevent them from participating in school activity outside the classroom. Students may lodge an appeal to participate in activities.

Non-serious attempts.

Any task deemed by their teacher as a non-serious attempt (Not up to acceptable standard) will result in a zero being awarded and the student having to resubmit the task.

Copying and Plagiarism of work.

If students copy work for assessments from another student both students will be awarded zero. If a student plagiarises notes from the internet or a book they will be given zero. All written work submitted must have included a bibliography of resources used.

Medical Conditions/Sick notes.

- At the start of the year the PE staff needs to be informed of any medical condition that may cause some concern to your child participating in any of the physical activities. Eg asthma
- If an ongoing condition that will prevent your child from doing PE, then a medical certificate is required. Your child will then be given an assignment to do to cover the work they are missing out on and to give them a grade.
- If your child is sick on the day of PE, a note needs to accompany your child with full details including the days date.

On all occasion’s sunscreen, hats and water bottles should also accompany your child on PE days.

The PDHPE Staff
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