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**The Teaching Council**

## Physical Education PE1 Form (Overseas Qualified Teachers)

This PE1 Form allows you to match your degree (and other qualifications if applicable) against the Teaching Council's curricular teaching subject requirements for PE. You must meet the requirements for at least one curricular subject in order to be eligible for registration under Route 2 (Post Primary). Please note the information on this form must correspond with your transcripts of results, which should also be submitted with your application.

**This declaration form should be printed and signed by persons applying for assessment for PE. It must also be signed and stamped by the relevant college/university. The requirements for the curricular subject Physical Education are set out on page 2.**

Please also submit evidence of all teaching experience in PE to date. You may include the duration, location, age-range and level of qualified teaching practice etc.

## Physical Education

*In order to meet the registration requirements set down in the Teaching Council [Registration] Regulations in respect of the curricular subject of Physical Education, an applicant must meet all of the following criteria:*

- 1.**
  - (a) Applicants must hold a degree-level qualification, with Physical Education studied up to and including third-year level or higher (or modular equivalent).
  - (b) The qualifying degree must be equivalent to at least Level 8 on the National Framework of Qualifications (NFQ) and with a minimum pass result in all examinations pertinent to the subject of Physical Education.
  - (c) The qualifying degree must carry at least 180 ECTS (European Credit Transfer System) credits (or equivalent) with the specific study of Physical Education comprising at least 90 ECTS credits (or equivalent) and with not less than 10 ECTS credits (or equivalent) studied at third-year level or higher (or modular equivalent).
  
- 2.** The study of Physical Education during the degree must show that the holder has acquired sufficient knowledge, skills and understanding to teach the Physical Education syllabus<sup>1</sup> to the highest level in post-primary education (see [www.curriculumonline.ie](http://www.curriculumonline.ie)).
  - (a) To meet this requirement the degree must include the study of all of the following to a minimum of 60 ECTS credits (or equivalent):**
    - i. Adventure Activities
    - ii. Aquatics
    - iii. Athletics
    - iv. Dance
    - v. Games
    - vi. Gymnastics
    - vii. Health-Related Activity.
  - (b) The degree course must also include the study of all of the following to a minimum of 30 ECTS credits (or equivalent):**
    - i. Anatomical, Physiological and Biomechanical aspects of Movement
    - ii. Factors which inhibit and promote (Personal, Biological, Psychological, Sociological, Environmental) participation in Physical Activity and Sport
    - iii. Disability and Movement
    - iv. Historical, Sociological and Philosophical aspects of Physical Education
    - v. Growth, Motor Skill Learning and Development of the Child and Adolescent
    - vi. Physical Activity/Sport Promotion and Health across the Lifespan
    - vii. Artistic and Creative Studies.
  
- 3.** Applicants must also have completed a programme of post-primary initial teacher education (age range 12-18 years) in which the theory, methodology and practice of teaching Physical Education forms the central aspect. This course must be equivalent to a minimum of 120 ECTS credits (or equivalent.)

<sup>1</sup> as approved by the Minister for Education & Skills, and published by the National Council for Curriculum and Assessment (NCCA).

Name:  Date:

Name of Applicant:

Applicant's Qualifications: 1.   
2.

Application being made under EU Directive 2005/36/EC?

### Curricular Subject Requirements Physical Education

1. Is the degree equivalent to a least a Level 8 on the Irish National Framework of Qualifications (NFQ)?  Yes  No
2. Does the degree carry a minimum of 180 ECTS credits (or equivalent)?  Yes  No
3. Do the studies in Physical Education carry a minimum of 90 ECTS credits (or equivalent)?  Yes  No
4. Do the studies in Physical Education include the study of not less than 10 ECTS credits (or Equivalent) at third-year or higher (modular equivalent)?  Yes  No
5. Do the studies in Physical Education include the study of all of the following areas (i) to (vii) to a minimum of 60 ECTS credits?  Yes  No
  - i) Adventure Activities  Yes  No
  - ii) Aquatics  Yes  No
  - iii) Athletics  Yes  No
  - iv) Dance  Yes  No
  - v) Games  Yes  No
  - vi) Gymnastics  Yes  No
  - vii) Health-Related Activity  Yes  No
6. Do the studies in Physical Education include the study of all the following areas (i)-vii) to a minimum of 30 ECTS credits:  Yes  No
  - i) Anatomical, Physiological and Biomechanical aspects of Movement  Yes  No
  - ii) Factors which inhibit and promote (Personal, Biological, Physiological, Sociological, Environmental) participation in Physical Activity and Sport  Yes  No
  - iii) Disability and Movement  Yes  No
  - iv) Historical, Sociological and Philosophical aspects of Physical Education  Yes  No
  - v) Growth, Motor Skill Learning and Development of the child and Adolescent  Yes  No
  - vi) Physical Activity/Sport Promotion and Health across the Lifespan  Yes  No
  - vii) Artistic and Creative Studies  Yes  No
7. Do you hold a programme of post-primary initial teacher education (age range 12-18 years) in which the theory, methodology and practice of teaching Physical Education forms the central aspect.  Yes  No

## Physical Education Credit Breakdown

Please indicate below where the above areas have been studied.

Essential Areas of Study – the degree must include the study of all of the following areas- 5(i) to (vii) to a minimum of 60 ECTS credits (or equivalent)

<b>(i) Adventure Activities</b>		
Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

<b>(ii) Aquatics</b>		
Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

<b>(iii) Athletics</b>		
Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

<b>(iv) Dance</b>		
Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

<b>(v) Games</b>		
Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

<b>(vi) Gymnastics</b>		
Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

<b>(vii) Health-Related Activity</b>		
Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits
<b>TOTAL of ECTS for Essential Areas 5. (i)-(vii)</b>		

Essential Areas of Study- the degree course must include the study of all of the following areas 6 (i) – (vii) to a minimum of 30 ECTS credits (or equivalent)

**(i) Anatomical, Physiological and Biomechanical aspects of Movement**

Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

**(ii) Factors which inhibit and promote (Personal, Biological, Psychological, Sociological, Environmental) participation in Physical Activity and Sport**

Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

**(iii) Disability and Movement**

Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

**(iv) Historical, Sociological and Philosophical aspects of Physical Education**

Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

**(v) Growth, Motor Skill Learning and Development of the Child and Adolescent**

Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

**vi) Physical Activity/Sport Promotion and Health across the Lifespan**

Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

**(vii) Artistic and Creative Studies**

Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits

**TOTAL of ECTS for Essential Areas 6 (i)-(vii)**


Other		
Module Code	Module Title	Relevant ECTS credits
<b>Overall Total number of credits relevant to the study of Physical Education</b>		

### Relevant Teaching Experience and Lifelong Learning

In addition to relevant study of Physical Education, please advise of any relevant teaching experience and/or lifelong learning that may be taken into consideration for any of the areas above:

Applicant Signature:  Date:

### College Authority

Head of Department Signature:  Date:

College Authority Stamp/Seal:

