

FACULTY OF SCIENCE AND HEALTH

Programme Regulations 2017-2018

Programme Title BSc in Physical Education with Biology

Programme Code PEB

Offered on a full-time or part-time basis Full-time

Note: Programme Regulations should be read in conjunction with Marks and Standards which can be found at <http://www.dcu.ie/registry/examinations/index.shtml>

1. Programme Specific Rules and Requirements

1.1 Calculation for the Award Classification

The calculation of the final year award classification includes contributions from previous years' results as follows:

Year/Subject contribution	Contribution to the award classification
Year 1	5%
Year 2	10%
Year 3	35%
Year 4	50%

Students who transfer into the programme in 2nd or 3rd year will have their degree classification based on the contribution precision marks that were achieved at DCU as per the weightings outlined above in the relevant years.

1.2 Monitored Attendance

An attendance of 80% is mandatory for successful completion of the following modules:

Module Code	Module Title
SS107	Motor Control and Learning
SS113	Applied Studies in Athletics 1
SS119	Applied Studies in Games 1
SS123	Applied Studies in Aesthetic Activities
SS128	Introduction to Teaching HRA in PE

SS222	Applied studies in Games 2
SS223	Applied Studies in Aquatics
SS228	Applied Studies in Gymnastics 2
SS234	Athletics 2 and Health Related Fitness
SS235	Programme Decisions and Policy in PE and Sport
SS321	Inclusion and Adaptation in PE and Physical Activity
SS323	Applied Studies in Dance 2
SS417	Adventure Activities

Compulsory attendance applies to the following modules:

Code	Module
BE151	Practical Biology
ES114A/ES143	Microteaching and teaching preparation
ES228	Microteaching and School Placement
CS216	Physics and Chemistry for Science Education 1
PS227	Teaching and Assessing Junior Cycle Science and Maths
PS219	Physics for Science Teachers 2
PS220	Physics for Science Teachers 1
ES338	School Placement and Reflection
BE312	Plant Science
ES478	School Placement
ES479	School Placement Preparation and Professional Development

PEB modules will occasionally run outside of the current academic year to allow for school-based placement to be completed in alignment with the post primary education system.

Due to the modification of the PEB programme in line with recent Teaching Council requirements for teacher accreditation status, the total number of credits covered by PEB may increase from previous years.

2. Derogations from Marks and Standards

Professional/External Body: Teaching Council of Ireland

A minimum of 40% must be achieved in both the examination and continuous assessment elements for an overall pass in the following modules:

Code	Module
SS113	Applied Studies in Athletics 1
SS123	Applied Studies in Aesthetic Activities
SS228	Applied Studies in Gymnastics 2
SS417	Adventure Activities

The Teaching Council of Ireland requires pre-service Physical Education teachers to be competent in the performance of a number of practical areas for academic accreditation (M&S 6.2.2).

A total of 277.5 ECTS credits are attached to the workload of the BSc in PE with Biology (M&S 1.1.3 Table 1).

3. Progression

3.1 Credits for progression

Students must have successfully completed, as indicated below, the minimum number of credits in a study period in order to progress to the next study period.

Year 1	67.5 credits
Year 2	70 credits
Year 3	70 credits
Year 4	70 credits

3.2 Carrying of modules

Students will not be permitted to 'carry' modules under any circumstances.

4. Compensation

Compensation may apply, within the regulations specified in Marks and Standards, to all modules except the following:

Module Code	Module Title
SS113	Applied Studies in Athletics 1
SS119	Applied Studies in Games I
SS123	Applied Studies in Aesthetic Activities
SS128	Introduction to Teaching HRA in PE
BE151	Practical Biology
ES123	Foundation Teaching and Placement Preparation
ES143	Microteaching and Teach Prep
PS227	Teaching and Assessing Junior Cycle Science
SS222	Applied Studies in Games 2
SS223	Applied Studies in Aquatics
ES215	Irish Education: History, Structure and Development
ES228	Microteaching and School Placement
SS228	Applied Studies in Gymnastics 2
SS241	HRA&Athletics: Applying Motor Development Theories
SS321	Inclusion and Adaptation, PE and Physical

	Activity
SS323	Applied Study in Dance 2
ES330	ICT, Teaching Strategies and Professional Preparation
ES336	Development Psychology and Individual Differences
ES338	School Placement and Reflection
ES341	Philosophical Perspectives on Education
ES476	Curriculum Development and Evaluation
ES477	Access, Disadvantage, Equality in Education
ES478	School Placement
ES479	School Placement Preparation and Professional Development
SS417	Adventure Activities

5. Resit Categories

The resits offered for the August examinations diet vary depending on the module to be re-taken. The following is an explanation of the resit categories.

Resit category 1: A resit is available for all components of the module.

Resit category 2: No resit is available where the module is 100% assessed by Continuous Assessment.

Resit category 3: No resit is available for the continuous assessment component and the examination must be re-taken.

6. Repeat Arrangements

Year 1 Repeat Students

Where a student enrolled in Year 1 of the programme in the academic year 2012/13 is required to repeat Year 1, they will sit (a) the module (s) which they did not pass in the initial academic session if it is still offered on the new structure or (b) a replacement module as indicated below.

SS118 - students must take SS128 with the credits increased from 5 – 7.5

Year 2 Repeat Students

Where a student enrolled in Year 2 of the programme in the academic year 2013/14 is required to repeat Year 2, they will sit (a) the module (s) which they did not pass in the initial academic session if it is still offered on the new structure or (b) a replacement module as indicated below.

CS214 students must take CS216

ES216 students must take ES228 with the credits increased from 5 – 10

PS226 students must take PS227 with the credits increased from 5 – 7.5

PS216 students must take PS219 with the credits decreased from 7.5 to 5

Students will also be required to take module PS220 to complete Year 2.

Year 3 Repeat Students

Where a student enrolled in Year 3 of the programme in the academic year 2014/15 is required to repeat Year 3, they will sit (a) the module (s) which they did not pass in the initial academic session if it is still offered on the new structure or (b) a replacement module as indicated below.

ES401 students must take ES336

ES402 students must take ES341

Year 4 Repeat Students

Where a student enrolled in Year 4 of the programme in the academic year 2015/16 is required to repeat Year 4, they will sit (a) the module (s) which they did not pass in the initial academic session if it is still offered on the new structure or (b) a replacement module as indicated below.

ES303 students must take ES476

ES304 students must take ES477

ES305 students must take ES478 with the credits increased from 20 to 25

Students will also be required to take ES479 to complete Year 4.