

# PUBLIC SERVICES KEY STAGE 5 SCHEDULE

## MODULES/UNITS

### **3 Units - Year 12 - Certificate equivalent to 1 AS level**

Unit 1 Government and Policies for Public services (10 credits)

This unit enables learners to develop knowledge and understanding of the UK government policies and the democratic election process. It also enables them to demonstrate the process of developing government policies.

Unit 5 Physical preparation, health and lifestyle for public services (10 credits)

The aim of this unit is to enable learners to be able to provide advice on lifestyle improvement and plan a health-related fitness programme based on an understanding of the fitness requirements and major body systems in preparation for entry to public services

Unit 9 Outdoor and adventurous activities (10 credits)

To enable learners to plan, participate in and reflect on outdoor and adventurous expeditions.

### **Year 13 - subsidiary diploma (60 credits) equivalent to 1 A level**

Unit 2 leadership and teamwork (15 credits)

The aim of this unit is to enable learners to develop knowledge of leadership style and understanding of teams and teamwork activities within the public s service context.

Unit 3 Citizenship, Diversity and the Public Services (15 credits).

The aim of this unit is to provide learners with knowledge, skills, attitudes and values to become thoughtful and informed citizens and public service employees. The unit is designed to develop an awareness of rights and responsibilities and respect for different religious, ethnic and national groups within UK society.

## COURSEWORK DEADLINES/EXAMS

## WHEN

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DATE OF EXAMS

UNIT 1 - 4 ASSIGNMENTS

COMPLETE JUNE

UNIT 5 - 4 ASSIGNMENTS

COMPLETE MAY

UNIT 9 - 3 ASSIGNMENTS AND EVIDENCE  
GATHERED ON EXPEDITION

COMPLETE JULY

UNIT 2 - ASSIGNMENTS

MAY

UNIT 3 - ASSIGNMENTS

MAY

## PROJECTS/SCHEME OF WORK/TOPICS

## DURING

UNIT 1 - LEVELS OF GOVERNMENT, TASK 1 AO1

AUTUMN TERM

UNIT 5 - FITNESS TESTING/LIFESTYLE FACTORS A01/AO2-

AUTUMN TERM

HOUSE OF PARLIAMENT WORKSHOP - HOW LAW IS MADE  
DEMOCRACY - TASK 2 AO2 AND 3

AUTUMN TERM

SKILLS FOR OUTDOOR AND EXPEDITION ASSIGNMENT AO1

SUMMER TERM

SKILLS FOR EXPEDITIONS TASK 2 AND 3 AO2/3

SUMMER TERM

ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY AND PERSONAL PLANNING TASK 4

SPRING TERM

POLICIES AND PUBLIC SERVICES TASK 3 AND 4

SUMMER TERM

UNIT 2 LEADERSHIP AND TEAMWORK IN THE PUBLIC SERVICES

AUTUMN TERM

UNIT 3 CITIZENSHIP, DIVERSITY AND THE PUBLIC SERVICES

SPRING TERM

Awarding body - Pearson (Edexcel) SPECIFICATION

<http://www.edexcel.com/migrationdocuments/BTEC%20Nationals%20from%202010/BA033410-BTEC-Nationals-60Credit-PS-Iss3.pdf>

Lead IV OSCA - Kelly Tharby

Head of subject: K Tharby

Teachers: K Tharby and D Humphrey

Learners undertake expeditions. Learners will be required to camp and have basic equipment such as sleeping bag.

Visits from outside organisations e.g. prison service, fire service and police officer.