

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: WOMEN AND SPORT  
Status: Definitive  
Code: **5210SPODEV** (104373)  
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Owning School/Faculty: Sports Studies, Leisure and Nutrition  
Teaching School/Faculty: Sports Studies, Leisure and Nutrition

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**Academic Level:** FHEQ5  
**Credit Value:** 12  
**Total Delivered Hours:** 25  
**Total Learning Hours:** 120  
**Private Study:** 95

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	12
Seminar	12
Tutorial	1

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Essay	AS1	Assignment, based on a critical evaluation of the issues affecting women in sport. (3000 words)	100	

### Aims

*To enable students to gain an understanding of the diverse issues in developing provision for women in sport.*

### Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Analyse the historical development of women and sport
- 2 Evaluate the historical development of women and sport
- 3 Analyse the organisational issues of women in sport
- 4 Analyse and debate the treatment of women's sport in the media

### **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

The assessment item list is assessed via the learning outcomes listed:

Assignment	1	2	3	4
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### **Outline Syllabus**

*Women & sport: An historical perspective*

*Womens sport and the media*

*Social and cultural influences on women's participation*

*Coaching and Womens participation*

*Organisational issues for women and sport*

### **Learning Activities**

Many of the elements of this module will be explored in class based lectures, seminars and tutorials. However there will be an element of action based learning as students will be required to undertake group discussion tasks related to the issue of women and sport.

### **Notes**

This module aims to introduce students to the issues and principles of developing sporting opportunities for women. The module will provide students with an opportunity to discuss and debate the role of sports providers in the provision of the opportunities and initiatives for the development of women and sport. The module will draw on examples from the field of media, sport development, sponsorship and elite sport.