

Liverpool John Moores University

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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: FHEQ6 **Credit Value:** 36 **Total Delivered Hours:** 60

Total Learning Hours: 360 **Private Study:** 300

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	20
Seminar	30
Tutorial	10

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Dissertation	Ass 1	Dissertation (8-10,000 words)	85	
Report	Ass 2	Research proposal and ethics form	15	

Aims

To rigorously investigate an issue from a sport coaching-related field.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Conduct independent research in an area of Sport or Coaching Development.
- 2 Present answers to relevant research aims and objectives using an appropriate and rigorous methodological approach.
- 3 Demonstrate the ability to manipulate and present data in a suitable format.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

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

Dissertation	1	3
Proposal and Ethics Form	2	

Outline Syllabus

Generating research aims and objectives

Deconstructing the dissertation

Critiquing research evidence

Ethical considerations in research

Designing valid and reliable methodological approaches

Refinement of data collection tools

Data analysis

Presentation of results

Discussing and concluding research

Learning Activities

Many of the elements of this module will be explored in Lectures, Seminars and ICT software demonstrations. Students will be offered individual consultations and tutorials.

Notes

This module will enable students to discover issues surrounding the conducting of research in sport coaching-related fields. The module will demand that students design and conduct a substantial piece of research in an appropriate topic area. Students will present both a written thesis and also a written ethical approval form.