



# WELSH BACCALAUREATE Advanced

Community Challenge  
Sports Wales, Sports Leaders and  
Youth Sports Trust  
Gold Young Ambassadors



**Available for assessment from January 2017**

## Tackling inequalities through sport – Gold Young Ambassadors

### PURPOSE

The purpose of the Community Challenge is to develop learners' skills, whilst encouraging learners to identify, develop and participate in opportunities that will benefit a community. During the Community Challenge learners will explicitly develop skills of **Planning and Organisation** and **Personal Effectiveness** and apply them in an appropriate manner.

### BRIEF

In this Challenge you will be given the opportunity as a Gold Young Ambassador to make a positive sports contribution to the local, regional, national or international community. You will take into consideration what the community requires which could include helping, supporting and developing opportunities, helping to ensure that they better fulfil their personal goals and reach their potential in a supportive and optimal environment. Where appropriate, you will be able to demonstrate independence, responsibility and an ability to work well with others.

The **Young Ambassador** programme empowers and inspires young people to become role models and leaders, whilst developing their confidence and skills to be able to make a difference in their schools and communities.

All Young Ambassadors aim to:

- Increase healthy lifestyles and participation in physical activity in their school.
- To promote the positive values of sport in and through sport
- To be an ambassador and role-model advocating PE and school sport
- To be the young person's voice on PE and school sport in our schools and communities
- To get every child hooked on sport for life



You must identify and develop sport participation or volunteer opportunities for underrepresented groups i.e. women & girls, disability, black minority ethnic groups or LGBT within your local community that will promote development and support for their needs. This will involve you and/or your team (3 – 6 members) planning, organising and implementing the activities or opportunities that will benefit the community you have chosen.

This opportunity should be developed and implemented over a minimum period of **at least 4 weeks** and include **at least 30 hours** of active engagement and participation. Consideration must be given to how you would be best placed to develop and support these opportunities along with key factors such as health and safety, needs of and benefits to the community.

### RESOURCES

**Support materials for the challenge can be found online–**

<http://sport.wales/community-sport/education/young-ambassadors/welsh-baccalaureate-ks4.aspx>

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