

BINDURA UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE EDUCATION
FACULTY OF SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING
DEPARTMENT: SPORTS SCIENCE
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE HONOURS DEGREE IN SPORTS SCIENCE AND MANAGEMENT
SSM 422: TALENT IDENTIFICATION AND DEVELOPMENT

DURATION: 3 HOURS

TOTAL MARKS: 100

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

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Answer **two** questions from Section A and **two** questions from Section B.

Section A

- 1- Explain four methodological bases that must be taken into account in strength training. (20 marks)
- 2- Outline four characteristics of the body of the children between 11 and 14 years. (20 marks)
- 3- Explain the characteristics of the pedagogic criteria used in the identification of sports talents. (20 marks)

Section B.

- 4- Sometimes a lot of pressure is put on children during competitions in order to win. Discuss the positive and negative effects of this practice. (30 marks)
- 5- A coach came to rural areas to identify talents for sports practice. Explain which method you would use if you were that coach. (30 marks)
- 6- A scout came to a provincial tournament of basketball to check for talents for his academy. Explain which criteria would take into account if you were that coach. (30 marks)

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