

Class 9 - Physical Education and Well Being

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Young Athlete

# CBSE NOTES

## Young Athlete - Revision Guide

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## 1. Swami Vivekananda on Physical Health.

Vivekananda emphasized that physical strength is vital for a strong mind and spirit.

## 2. Importance of Sports for Youth.

Participation in sports enhances fitness, teamwork, and self-confidence among young athletes.

## 3. Monitor Young Athlete's Health.

Regular health checks are crucial, especially for conditions like asthma and diabetes.

## 4. Warm-up and Rest Principles.

Proper warm-ups and rest periods prevent injuries and enhance athletic performance in youth.

## 5. Growth Changes in Childhood.

Increased height, weight, and strength vary, impacting athletic performance and training needs.

## 6. Aerobic vs. Anaerobic Capacity.

Aerobic capacity relates to endurance; anaerobic capacity pertains to short bursts of sprinting or power.



## 7. Female vs. Male Strength Development.

Boys gain muscle mass faster post-puberty, affecting their strength in sports activities.

## 8. Early vs. Late Maturity.

Early maturing athletes often outperform peers, highlighting competitive advantages at adolescence.

## 9. Weight Categories in Sports.

Weight categories ensure fair competition and reduce injury risks in sports like rugby and wrestling.

## 10. Healthy Training Regimens.

Young athletes should not train more hours than their age to prevent injuries and burnout.

## 11. Benefits of Multi-Sport Participation.

Trying various sports builds diverse skills, confidence, and overall fitness before specialization.

## 12. Drawbacks of Early Specialization.

Focusing on one sport too soon can lead to injuries, stress, and decreased enjoyment.



## **13. Role of Unstructured Play.**

Unstructured play boosts coordination and motor skills development in young athletes naturally.

## **14. Balance in Training and Rest.**

Conducting balanced training schedules is essential for maintaining youth athletes' overall well-being.

## **15. Injury Prevention Strategies.**

Implementation of warm-ups, proper technique, and adequate recovery helps in injury prevention.

## **16. Understanding Growth Spurts.**

Growth spurts can cause temporary changes in strength and coordination, affecting sport performance.

## **17. Mental Fatigue in Training.**

Excessive training can lead to mental burnout; adequate rest is critical for young competitors.

## **18. Parental and Coach Support.**

Support from parents and coaches must prioritize the athlete's mental health and confidence.



## 19. Fair Competition Concepts.

Fair sports competition must consider age, size, and physical maturity to ensure safety.

## 20. Social Benefits of Sports.

Engaging in sports nurtures teamwork, friendships, and social skills among young athletes.

## 21. Age-Appropriate Training.

Young athletes' training should align with their developmental stage to optimize performance safely.



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