

# Sports Leadership

Changes to our Qualifications in Scotland for 2020/21



**Sports  
Leaders**

# Sports Leadership

Changes to our Qualifications in Scotland for 2020/21

The skills that learners build through taking on and completing a Leadership Qualification are more valuable now than ever before, helping them to develop the resilience and confidence to thrive in the future.

To enable Centres to continue delivering Leadership Qualifications throughout the Covid-19 crisis and beyond, we've made some changes to the specifications of our courses to adapt them to the current situation.

In addition, we've created additional resources and guidance around the ways to keep Leadership Qualifications working within the latest guidelines from the Government.

In this document you'll see the main changes that we've put in place around our Sports Leadership Qualifications at Levels 4, 5 and 6.



**Sports  
Leaders**

# The Pathway to Delivering Leadership Qualifications in 2020/21



We have amended our Qualifications to be Covid-19 friendly to ensure that they are safe and easily deliverable for Centres, Tutors and Learners in 2020/21.

## *What has changed?*



Extraordinary amended specifications are in place for 2020/21



Tutor resources have been amended



Assessment requirements have been adapted

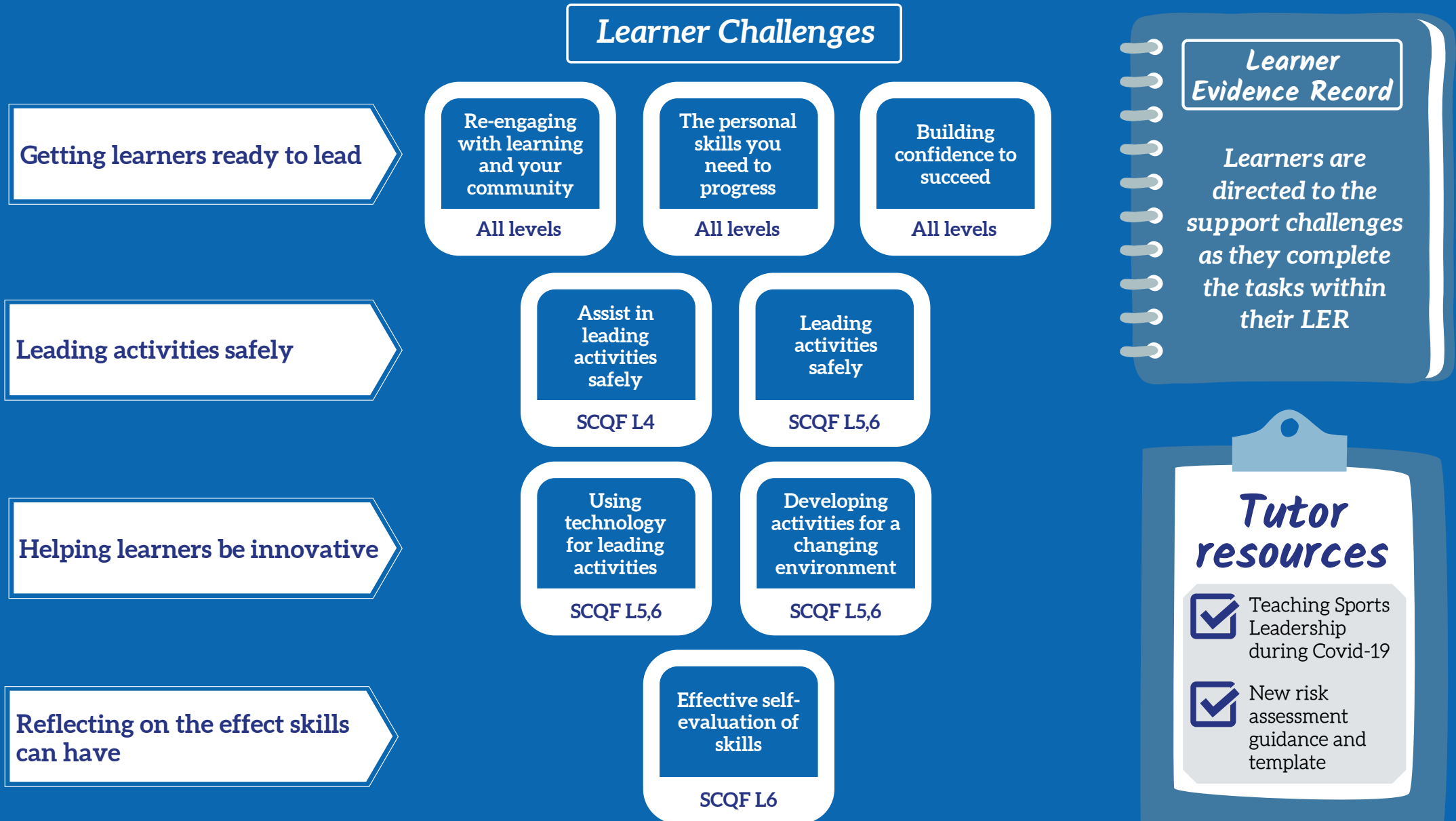


Demonstration of leadership hours requirements have been reduced for 2020/21



A new quality assurance process is in place for 2020/21

# To support Qualification delivery, we have introduced new Covid-19 support challenges for learners plus adapted resources for Tutors



# Level 4 Qualification in Sports Leadership (SL4)

## Changes made for 2020/21

- *New guidance on Leadership hours: Learners must complete a minimum of 1 hour demonstration of leadership to peers for Unit 2*
- *New tutor training resource: Teaching Sports Leadership and Covid-19*

## New Covid-19 Learner Support Challenges

- *Re-engaging with learning and your community (Supports Unit 1)*
- *The personal skills you need to progress (Supports completion of Unit 1)*
- *Building confidence to succeed (Supports completion of Unit 2 & 3)*
- *Assist in leading activities safely (Supports completion of Unit 2 & 3)*



Three mandatory units:

1. Establishing Leadership Skills
2. Plan, assist in leading and review a sport/physical activity session
3. Lead activities that promote a healthy lifestyle



Learners must complete a minimum of 1 hour demonstration of leadership to peers for Unit 2



Sports  
Leaders



## Changes made for 2020/21

- *Re-defining of the learner's community means that there is now only Community Sports Leadership at Level 5 (Level 5 Qualification in Sports Leadership will not accept registrations during 2020/21)*
- *Unit 2: Learning Outcome 1 has been removed*
- *Unit 3: new Risk Assessment added for Covid-19 (now a 2-page risk assessment activity, one for the risk associated with the activity, one for the risk associated with Covid-19) - to be added to LER*
- *With the current restrictions to volunteering with groups of people we have adapted the demonstration of leadership requirement to consist of 2 hours demonstration of leadership to their peer group for Unit 5*
- *New tutor training resource: Teaching Sports Leadership and Covid-19*

# Level 5 Qualification in Community Sports Leadership (CSL5)



Five mandatory units:

1. Building Leadership Skills
2. Plan, lead and evaluate sport/physical activity sessions
3. Assist in planning and leading a sports/physical activity event
4. Lead activities which promote a healthy lifestyles.
5. Lead sport/physical activity sessions in your community



Learners must complete a minimum of 2 hours demonstration of leadership to peers for Unit 5



**Sports  
Leaders**



# Level 5 Qualification in Community Sports Leadership (CSL5)

## Additional Tutor Training Resources

- *Teaching Sports Leadership and Covid-19*
- *New risk assessment template*

## New Covid-19 Learner Support Challenges

- *Re-engaging with learning and your community (Supports Unit 1)*
- *The personal skills you need to progress (Supports completion of Unit 1)*
- *Building confidence to succeed (Supports completion of Unit 1)*
- *Leading activities safely (Supports completion of Unit 2, 3, 4 and 5)*
- *Developing activities for a changing environment (Supports completion of Unit 2, 3, 4 and 5)*
- *Using technology for leading activities (Supports completion of Unit 2, 3, 4 and 5)*



**Sports  
Leaders**



# Level 6 Qualification in Sports Leadership (SL6)

## Changes made for 2020/21

- *Unit 1: Learning Outcome 2 has been removed*
- *No changes to Units 2 & 3*
- *Unit 4: Previously an optional unit – changed to allow peer-to-peer leadership in the learner’s community.*
- *Units 5, 6 and 7 are now mandatory Units. They can only be completed after all learning and assessment has been completed for Unit 4.*
- *With the current restrictions to volunteering with groups of people we have adapted the demonstration of leadership requirement to consist of:*
  - *1 hour to run an event as part of Unit 2*
  - *3 hours sports leadership sessions as part of Unit 4 within their community*



Seven units, all of which are now mandatory:

1. Developing Leadership Skills
2. Plan, lead and evaluate a sports/physical activity event
3. Lead safe sport/physical activity sessions
4. Plan, lead and evaluate sport/physical activity sessions in your community
5. Plan, lead and evaluate sport/physical activity sessions for children
6. Plan, lead and evaluate sport/physical activity sessions for disabled people
7. Plan, lead and evaluate sport/physical activity sessions for older people



Learners must complete a minimum of 4 hours of demonstration of leadership as part of their qualification (Unit 2 - 1 hour, Unit 4 - 3 hours)



**Sports  
Leaders**





# Level 6 Qualification in Sports Leadership (SL6)

## Additional Tutor Training Resources

- *Teaching Sports Leadership and Covid-19*
- *New risk assessment template*
- *Guidance document: "The Definition of 'Your Community' for 2020-21"*

## New Covid-19 Learner Support Challenges

- *Re-engaging with learning and your community (Supports Unit 1)*
- *The personal skills you need to progress (Supports completion of Unit 1)*
- *Building confidence to succeed (Supports completion of Unit 1)*
- *Effective self-evaluation of skills (Supports Unit 1)*
- *Leading activities safely (Supports completion of Unit 2, 3 and 4)*
- *Developing activities for a changing environment (Supports completion of Unit 2, 3 and 4)*
- *Using technology for leading activities (Supports completion of Unit 2, 3 and 4)*



**Sports  
Leaders**

