# **Biomechanics in Physical Education**

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#### **KINESIOLOGY**

"It is a field of study based upon the anatomical and mechanical analysis of human motion".

#### - HAY & REID

#### **MECHANICS**

"It is that branch of physics concern with the effect that forces have on bodies and the motion produced by these forces".

#### - WELL

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## The term biomechanics refers to -

"Mechanical bases of biological especially to the Muscular activity and the principles and the relations involved there in".

## -WEBSTER'S INT.DICTIONARY

The application of Mechanical laws of living structures, specially to the loco motor system of human body".

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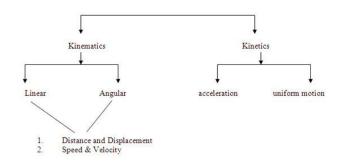
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# BIO-MECHANICS IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION, SPORTS & RESEARCH

- 1. Diagnostic technique
- 2. Diagnostic Coaching
- 3. Reference system development (as result IBM
- 4. Comparative Research (Reference system)
- 5. Applied Research (Other form of Research applied)
- 6. Experimental Research (Compute simulation technique)
- Development of basic fundamental movements
- A organization of development of motor abilities
- 9. Development of efficient sport techniques
- 10. B.M application help posture development
- Development of sport equipment and facilities (acceptance of new equipments & changes in rules)
- 12. BM application with regards to specific spent-medicine problems.
- 13. BM-contribute-body knowledge of sports-or theory of sport training.

#### **Bio-mechanics**



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