

**PELLISSIPPI STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
MASTER SYLLABUS**

**SPECIAL TOPICS IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION
PHED 2000**

Class Hours: 2.0
Laboratory Hours: 0

Credit Hours: 1 – 3
Revised: Spring 2017

Catalog Course Description

Opportunity to learn and participate in various sport, fitness, and recreational activities. Content of the course will vary. The course might involve international travel and or contain activities that require additional fees. The student will be responsible for paying all travel related and/or activity related expenses. The class content and travel itinerary, if any travel is involved, are determined by the instructor of the course. May be repeated, maximum 6 credits.

Prerequisites

Consent of instructor

Textbook(s) and Other Course Materials

A text may be required, depending on the course. Other readings, if required, will be found in the library, on the Internet, or in class handouts.

Week/Unit/Topic Basis

Activities will vary according to course content and travel locations. The class may include lectures and discussions to enhance sport, fitness, and recreational activities. Some course offerings may also include travel and sightseeing opportunities. The students will spend many hours participating in fitness or recreational activities and/or playing sports and games.

Course Goals

NOTE: Roman numerals after course goals reference TBR's general education goals.

The course will

- A. Expand the students' understanding and appreciation of a variety of lifetime sports, fitness, and recreational activities. II.2
- B. Build the skills necessary to participate in a variety of lifetime sports, fitness, and recreational activities. I.5, II.2
- C. Increase critical thinking skills and problem solving skills to review and analyze information relating to sport, fitness, and recreation. III.2

Expected Student Learning Outcomes

NOTE: Capital letters after Expected Student Learning Outcomes reference the course goals listed above.

The student will

1. Name and describe various sports, fitness, and recreation activities. A, B, C
2. Discuss various sports, fitness, and recreation activities. A, B, C
3. Formulate their personal philosophy of lifetime sports, fitness, and recreational activities. A, B, C
4. Keep a journal of their experiences or workouts. A, B, C
5. Access the Internet and other educational resource venues for information on certain aspects of course content that might include fitness, recreational activities, and sports. A, C
6. Participate in an appropriate amount of sports, fitness, and/or recreational activities. B

Evaluation

Each course offered under this title will have its own specific means of evaluation.

Students will be required to participate in all activities.

Students will be required to keep a journal of their activities.

Students must be willing to follow college policies, procedures, and directives from the instructor(s).

Students will be expected to cooperate and collaborate on all projects.

Grading Scale

93 - 100 A

82 - 92 B

72 - 81 C

62 - 71 D

0 - 61 F

Policies

Attendance Policy

Pellissippi State expects students to attend all scheduled instructional activities. As a minimum, students in all courses (excluding distance learning courses) must be present for at least 75 percent of their scheduled class and laboratory meetings in order to receive credit for the course. Individual departments/programs/disciplines, with the approval of the vice president of Academic Affairs, may have requirements that are more stringent. In very specific circumstances, an appeal of the policy may be addressed to the head of the department in which the course was taken. If further action is warranted, the appeal may be addressed to the vice president of Academic Affairs.

Academic Dishonesty

Academic misconduct committed either directly or indirectly by an individual or group is subject to disciplinary action. Prohibited activities include but are not limited to the following practices:

- Cheating, including but not limited to unauthorized assistance from material, people, or devices when taking a test, quiz, or examination; writing papers or reports; solving problems; or completing academic assignments.

- Plagiarism, including but not limited to paraphrasing, summarizing, or directly quoting published or unpublished work of another person, including online or computerized services, without proper documentation of the original source.
- Purchasing or otherwise obtaining prewritten essays, research papers, or materials prepared by another person or agency that sells term papers or other academic materials to be presented as one's own work.
- Taking an exam for another student.
- Providing others with information and/or answers regarding exams, quizzes, homework or other classroom assignments unless explicitly authorized by the instructor.
- Any of the above occurring within the Web or distance learning environment.

Please see the Pellissippi State Policies and Procedures Manual, Policy 04:02:00 Academic/Classroom Conduct and Disciplinary Sanctions for the complete policy.

Accommodations for Disabilities

Students that need accommodations because of a disability, have emergency medical information to share, or need special arrangements in case the building must be evacuated should inform the instructor immediately, privately after class or in her or his office. Students must present a current accommodation plan from a staff member in Disability Services (DS) in order to receive accommodations in this course. [Disability Services](#) (<http://www.pstcc.edu/sswd/>) may be contacted via [Disability Services email](#) or by visiting Alexander 130.