

COURSE SYLLABUS ADAPTED PHYSICAL EDUCATION PEDB 1010

Course Description: The Adapted Physical Education course is designed to accommodate students who because of temporary or permanent disability or medical conditions cannot participate in the mainstream physical education program. This class is a POD class. Students who would like to register for this class should contact the coordinator of the basic physical education program. The coordinator of the basic physical education program will approve students for this course based on their physical disability. Students given permission to sign up for adapted PE will then be referred to Dr. Michael Horvat and an adapted teaching assistant to schedule an appointment to create an exercise program that meets their individual needs. Students must schedule an appointment with a TA by the first week of classes

Course Objectives:

1. To accommodate students with either a permanent or permanent medical disability.
2. To create an exercise program that meets the individual needs of students with physical disabilities.

Class Policies and Procedures:

1. The course syllabus is a general plan for the course; deviations announced to the class by the instructor may be necessary
2. Students should read the "Clearance for Safe Exercise Participation" form. Students with existing medical conditions should discuss those conditions with the instructor. Students with medical conditions for which they do not have medical clearance will need to see a physician prior to starting the class.
3. I encourage you to read the policy on academic honesty in the College Catalog. All academic work must meet the standards contained in "A Culture of Honesty." Students are responsible for informing themselves about those standards before performing any academic work. More information at <http://www.uga.edu/ovpi/honesty/acadhon.htm>
4. Athletic clothing and shoes are required.

Textbook: Hoeger, W.W., S.A. Hoeger & Hales, D., (2007). Fitness and Wellness. UGA Edition. Thomson/Waldsworth, Belmont, CA. (If taking course for graduation)

Attendance: Regular attendance and class participation are required and are important factors in your final grade. Ten points are deducted for each absence after the first two. More than four absences will result in a grade of unsatisfactory. Absences due to illness must be verified by a Physician, the Student Health Service, or by talking with the instructor and getting approval in advance.

Course Evaluation: The following criteria will be used to evaluate and grade the student's performance in this class. A combined score of 70 is required to receive a grade of satisfactory. Participation is worth 40 points; the Fitness Knowledge Component is worth 40 points (only if you are taking this course as a graduation requirement); and 20

points will be decided by the course instructor. There are 100 possible points in this class. *For those of you who have already met your PE graduation requirement* 42 out of 60 points are required to receive a grade of satisfactory. **Those who have met the PE graduation requirement will provide the instructor oasis documentation.**