

PEDB 1040 RAMSEY 230
T, R 9:10-9:50--FALL 2005
Basketball
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Objectives:

To gain a basic understanding and knowledge of basketball that will enable you to participate in class and successfully play in a recreational setting.

Attendance: (60 points): Each student will be allowed 4 absences during the semester, no questions asked. Consideration will be taken for students with unusual circumstances. **Any student that misses more than 4 classes will receive an unsatisfactory grade.** Absences due to illness **MUST** be verified and may be made up. I will have an attendance log for each student to sign. If the log is not signed by the student with the last 4 digits of their social, then they are considered absent. Any student caught falsifying a signature will automatically have 30 points deducted from their total number of points.

Dress: Appropriate dress is required. **Towel**, shorts / sweats, T-shirts, and tennis shoes are recommended. No street shoes, i.e. boots, open-toed shoes, heels, or dress shoes are not to be worn. **Jeans or casual dress clothes are not allowed. Black soled shoes are not allowed.**

Participation: (40 points): This is an activity course and you are expected to participate in all classes. To participate you must be on time and actively involved in class.

Skill Test (20 points): Dribbling, passing, free throw shooting, & lay-ups.

To receive a satisfactory grade you must have at least 120 points at the end of the semester.

Exam: (30 Points)- 30 questions derived from rules, strategies, and skills presented in class.

Brief Course Outline:

Basic Rules

Strategies of play: Offense & Defense

Skill development: Games

Dribbling, Passing, Shooting, Lay-Ups, Rebounding, & Movement

Academic Honesty- “All academic work must meet the standards contained in ‘A Culture of Honesty’. Each student is responsible to inform themselves about these standards before performing any academic work”.

This course syllabus is a general plan for the course. Deviations announced to the class by the instructor may be necessary.

First Week-Dribbling

Second Week-Passing and Shooting

Third Week-Free Throws and Lay-ups

Fourth Week-Basketball Games

Ninth Week-Tournament

Written Exam-December 8

Midpoint Withdrawal Deadline-October 18

Fall Break-October 27-28

Thanksgiving Holidays-November 23-25