

University of Georgia
PEDB 1080 – Beginning Bowling

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Course Description

This course is intended to provide students with the opportunity to learn and develop the necessary skills, concepts, and rules needed to participate in bowling. Most class periods will begin with a warm-up period followed by skill acquisition and game play. Game play will be provided most class periods. In class tournaments will also be arranged as part of the class.

Course Objectives

1. The student will demonstrate knowledge of the subject matter (definitions, rules of the game, different types of games) by scoring a minimum of 70% on a written exam.
2. The student will demonstrate appropriate motor skills by successfully completing a skills test (stance, approach, release, scoring etc.) with a minimum score of 70%.
3. To help the student gain an appreciation for bowling as a lifetime activity.
4. To help the student feel comfortable in going bowling on his/her own leisure time with the ability to keep score.

Grading

Attendance/Participation

Each student is allowed 3 absences. 2 late arrivals will count as an absence.
(Choose your absences/tardies wisely) There are absolutely **NO MAKE-UPS!**
Remember this is a participation class, if you do not participate, it is an absence.

Exams

During the last few weeks of class both a written exam and a skills test will be given covering the skills and concepts covered in class. You will be given at least one week notice prior to the Exams. (NO MAKE-UP EXAMS)

Satisfactory (S) – active participation in all class activities, 3 or fewer absences, and at least a 70% on both the exam and skills test.

Unsatisfactory (U) – lack of participation and/or 3 or more absences and/or less than 70% on either the exam or skills test

Fee

A fee of \$60 must be paid to showtime Bowling Center **NO LATER** than the 2nd day of class. Each class after will count as an absence until the fee is paid. The fee covers shoe rentals

Attire

Come to class dressed and ready to play. Wear clothes and shoes that are easy to move around in. **Socks must be worn at all times while bowling!** Students who are not dressed appropriately for class will not participate and be counted absent.

Other If you experience any of the following symptoms, stop all activity and alert your instructor.

*Lightheaded/Dizziness *Chest Pain/Tightness *Nausea
*Unusual Fatigue *Trouble Breathing *Allergic Reactions

****DO NOT SEEK PRIVACY****

Notice If a student has a disability that will likely require some accommodation by the instructor, the student must contact the instructor and document the disability through the Disability Resource Center, preferably during the first week of the course. Any requests for special consideration relating to attendance, pedagogy, taking of examinations, etc. Must be discussed with and approved by the instructor. In cooperation with the Disability Resource Center, course material can be provided in alternative formats, large print, audio, diskette or Braille.

Academic Honesty

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.

Caveat: The course syllabus is a general plan for the course; deviations announced to the class by the instructor may be necessary.