

PEDB 1020 Badminton

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Course Objective:

This class is intended to introduce students to the essential knowledge skills that enable them to...

1. demonstrate beginning level of badminton skills.
2. understand and utilize correct badminton terminology and rules.
3. learn how a badminton tournament is run, by participation in a tournament during class.
4. demonstrate their understanding and knowledge of badminton through quizzes and a final test.
5. find some physical activity that is enjoyed in order to participate for a lifetime.

Class Safety:

Students should warm-up and stretch properly to avoid muscle injury. Always have a good grip on the racket when someone else is near.

Equipment required:

Please wear comfortable clothing that allows you to move freely (shorts and T-shirts are recommended). For safety reasons you will NOT be allowed to participate in class if you are wearing anything but tennis shoes and will be marked absent.

Textbook: Hoeger, W.W. and S.A. Hoeger. (2007). Fitness and Wellness. UGA edition. Thomson/Waldsworth, Belmont, CA.

Grading:

Grades will be assigned as a function of student performance on attendance, class effort/attitude, WebCT, and a final test.

Attendance- 40 points defined as bodily presence, appropriate dress, and promptness. Attendance is defined as bodily presence, appropriate dress, and promptness (tardiness [more than 5 minutes late] three times results in one absence). You may miss up to three class periods. On the each absence, the student's final grade will be docked by 10 points. Attendance is crucial for full benefits of the class to be enjoyed.

Written test – 20 points

WebCT- 40 points; Refer to the course content page on the WebCT program for a description of the assignments. Regular attendance/participation in class activities and completion of online assignments are important factors in your grade. Notebooks are due Wednesday, October 10 (assignments 1-4) and Wednesday, November 14 (assignments 5-8).

In order to receive a satisfactory grade you must have at least 70 points.

Class policies and procedures:

1. Students desiring to withdraw from this class must do so in accordance to the University of Georgia policy.
2. Students **MUST** carefully read the “Clearance for Safe Exercise Participation” form provided by the instructor. The instructor will determine whether medical conditions require a waiver or physician clearance.
3. “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”.
4. The course syllabus is a general plan for the course; deviations announced to the class by the instructor may be necessary.