COURSES FOR KINESIOLOGY

Kinesiology Courses

KIN100 Physical Conditioning Yoga
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide the student with knowledge and skills that will assist an individual in participating in safe and effective yoga practices.

KIN101 Physical Conditioning
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to introduce the student to the knowledge base underlying proper physical conditioning of the body and appropriate techniques for participation.

KIN102 Horseback Riding
Hours 1-3
The purpose of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and skills needed to participate in horseback riding.

KIN103 Soccer
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide the student with the knowledge and skills necessary for participation in the sport of soccer.

KIN104 Basketball
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide the student with the knowledge and skills necessary for participation in basketball.

KIN105 Softball
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide the student with the knowledge and skills necessary for skilled participation in the sport of softball.

KIN106 Beginning Golf
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and skills to participate in a basic game of golf.

KIN107 Intermediate Golf
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and skills necessary to participate at an intermediate level in the game of golf.

KIN108 Beginning Tennis
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide students with the necessary knowledge and skills to motivate participation in tennis.

KIN109 Physical Condition: Pilates
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide the student with knowledge and skills that will assist an individual in participating in safe and effective pilates practices.

KIN110 Indoor Rock Climbing
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to help students understand and demonstrate proper risk management and safety techniques, as well as proper technical skills, in order to safely enjoy the activity of indoor rock climbing.

KIN111 Intermediate Tennis
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and skills necessary for the development of intermediate skills with an emphasis on individual stroke analysis, playing strategy and match play, both singles and doubles.

KIN112 Pilates II
Hours 1
This course builds on the skills and knowledge covered in Pilates I to enable the student to develop a more advanced Pilates practice. Focus will be on learning upper-level mat exercises, refining skills, and furthering an understanding of Pilates principles, history and anatomy.
Prerequisite(s): KIN 109 or permission of instructor

KIN113 Introduction to Paralympic Sport
Hours 1
This course will introduce students to a variety of adapted sports. The sports covered will vary based on participants and available equipment. Example of sports which may be played or reviewed are wheelchair basketball, sitting volleyball, goalball, beep baseball, wheelchair tennis, rowing, golf, boccia, and table tennis. This class will be activity based with some lecture.

KIN114 Volleyball
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide the student with the knowledge and skills necessary for participation in volleyball.

KIN115 Water Aerobics
Hours 1
This course is designed to enhance cardio-respiratory fitness through the medium of water aerobics and physical conditioning.

KIN116 Indoor Cycling
Hours 1
This course is designed to enhance cardio-respiratory function through the medium of stationary bike group cycling.

KIN117 Aerobics
Hours 1
This course is designed to enhance cardiorespiratory fitness through the medium of aerobic dance and physical conditioning.

KIN118 Beginning Social Dance
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to introduce the student to the basic dances that are performed in a social situation.
KIN122 Aerobics
Hours 1
This course is designed to enhance cardio-respiratory fitness through the medium of aerobic dance and physical conditioning.

KIN131 Beginning Swimming
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and skills necessary for participation in basic aquatic activities.

KIN132 Intermediate Swimming
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and skills necessary for participation in more advanced aquatic activities.

KIN138 Lifeguarding
Hours 3
The purpose of this course is to prepare the student both mentally and physically to supervise, coordinate, and successfully control an aquatic emergency.

KIN140 Water Safety Instruct
Hours 3
The purpose of this course is to provide knowledge of water safety instruction so that the student will be able to instruct groups and individuals in this discipline.

KIN145 Beginning Racquetball
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and skills necessary to participate in the game of racquetball.

KIN155 Self Defense for Women
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide the student with the knowledge and skills that will enhance the student’s ability to defend herself in case of physical or sexual assault as well as to enhance her overall personal safety.

KIN157 Beg Weight Training
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and skills necessary to design and follow a basic weight-training program.

KIN167 Running
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide the student with the knowledge and skills necessary to design and follow a basic running program.

KIN170 Beginning Karate
Hours 1
The purpose of this course is to provide the student with the knowledge and skills necessary for participation in the sport of karate.

KIN199 Ecol Appr Hlth & Fitness
Hours 3
This introductory course examines the basis for and interrelationships among the six aspects of wellness: social, physical, emotional, intellectual, spiritual, and environmental. The course addresses issues of physical fitness, wellness, and personal safety applicable to the college age group.

KIN200 Weight Mgt Principles
Hours 3
This course is designed around successful weight management concepts and pitfalls. Topics include physical activity, behavior, and lifestyle modification. Hands-on activities include measures of daily energy expenditure, personal fitness, target body weight, and development of a personalized exercise plan.

KIN300 Intro to Kinesiology
Hours 3
A critical analysis of socio-cultural issues of the body throughout history and an in-depth study of physical education, fitness, and sport programs and professions.

KIN303 Physiology of Exercise
Hours 3
This course examines the human physiological response to exercise.
Prerequisite(s): BSC 215 or BSC 216

KIN305 Dance & Gymnastics
Hours 3
The purpose of this course is to improve students’ performance and knowledge of skills and strategies in gymnastics and dance and to acquaint them with effective teaching behaviors appropriate for these activities.
Prerequisite(s): None. Corequisites: KIN 350 and KIN 351

KIN306 Analysis & Teaching Movement I: Teaching Invasion, Striking/Fielding, and Target Games
Hours 3
The purpose of this course is to improve students’ performance and knowledge of skills and strategies in invasion, striking/fielding and target games, and acquaint them with effective teaching behaviors appropriate for these same types.

KIN307 Teach Trk & Fld/Net Game
Hours 3
The purpose of this course is to improve students’ performance and knowledge of skills and strategies in track and field and net/wall games, and acquaint them with effective teaching behaviors appropriate for these activities.

KIN310 Teaching Swimming
Hours 3
The purpose of this course is to improve students’ swimming skills and knowledge of water safety and to acquaint them with effective teaching behaviors appropriate for this activity.

KIN311 Tch Hlth Related Fitness
Hours 3
The purpose of this course is to improve students’ knowledge of the basic principles of health-related fitness and acquaint them with effective teaching behaviors appropriate for fitness instruction.
KIN330 Introduction to Horses in the Equine Industry
Hours 3
The purpose of this course is to provide students with a basic background knowledge in horses, to include: history, breeds, basic care and health, use, management, selection and behavior. Students in equine management related fields will require this knowledge in their professional fields to be knowledgeable caretakers and successful in business.

KIN335 Professional Development & Career Preparation for the Equine Industry
Hours 3
In addition to supervised professional experience in the equine industry through observation/participation under the direction of a professional within the community, students will learn valuable professional development tools such as writing a resume, cover letter, and thank you letter, as well as preparing for a professional interview.

KIN350 Secondary Curriculum
Hours 3
The purpose of this course is to provide students with knowledge of current curricular and instructional practices for secondary physical education programming.
Prerequisite(s): None. Corequisites: KIN 305 and KIN 351

KIN351 Secondary Clinical Experience
Hours 3
The purpose of this clinical experience is to provide students with the opportunity to teach secondary students in a public school setting.
Prerequisite(s): None. Corequisites: KIN 305 and KIN 350.

KIN352 Psychology of Coaching
Hours 3
This course is designed to introduce students to the psychology of coaching.

KIN360 Subj Matter Elem Physical Educ
Hours 3
Provides knowledge of subject matter for elementary physical education and a comprehensive K-5 curriculum. Concurrent enrollment in KIN 361 is required.
Prerequisite(s): KIN 305, KIN 350, KIN 351
Prerequisite(s) with concurrency: KIN 361

KIN361 Elem Phys Ed Curr Phil Theory
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Hours 3
This course is designed to help students improve their abilities to teach elementary physical education and to plan and reflect on lessons, units and a comprehensive K-5 curriculum. This course must be taken concurrently with KIN 360. Writing proficiency is required for a passing grade in this course. A student who does not write with the skill normally required of an upper-division student will not earn a passing grade, no matter how well the student performs in other areas of the course.
Prerequisite(s): KIN 305, KIN 350, KIN 351
Prerequisite(s) with concurrency: KIN 360

KIN362 Motor Development
Hours 3
Study of growth in phylogenetic and ontogenetic sequence, and the motor development sequence across the lifespan; integration of movement skill and knowledge development. A field experience is required.

KIN364 P E Elem Sch Elem Ed Maj
Hours 3
This course is designed to provide students with knowledge of current curricular and instructional practices in elementary physical education and to provide them with opportunities to practice-teach in a public-school setting.
Prerequisite(s): CEE 491 with a minimum passing grade of C-
Prerequisite(s) with concurrency: CEE 365 and CEE 370 and CEE 380 and CEE 401 and CEE 495

KIN365 Applied Biomechanics
Hours 3
Review of basic anatomy, especially the muscular system, and examination of the relationship of fundamental laws of physics to human movement. Includes mechanical principles of skill instruction and analysis.
Prerequisite(s): BSC 215 or BSC 216

KIN366 Evaluation and Measurement
Hours 3
Study of the administration and evaluation of test batteries in physical education, fitness management, and personal training.

KIN367 Exercise is Medicine
Hours 3
Public health guidelines, epidemiological evidence, and biological mechanisms related to physical activity and exercise-induced enhancement of physical and mental health (e.g. obesity, cardiovascular disease, diabetes, anxiety, depression) are covered. Personal exercise and health data are collected to engage in scientific inquiry and communication.
Prerequisite(s): KIN 303

KIN370 Coaching Soccer
Hours 3
This course is designed to provide students with the skills and knowledge to coach the game of soccer.

KIN371 Coaching Basketball
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Hours 3
This course is designed to provide students with the skills and knowledge to coach basketball.
KIN383 Coaching Baseball
Hours 3
This course is designed to provide students with the skills and knowledge to coach the game of baseball.

KIN386 Coaching Volleyball
Hours 3
This course is designed to provide students with the skills and knowledge to coach the game of volleyball.

KIN387 Adapted Sports Professional Development
Hours 1-3
Supervised professional experience in a fitness or related setting; observation and participation under the direction of a professional at the site.
Prerequisite(s) with concurrency: KIN 113

KIN388 Professional Development in Fitness
Hours 3
In addition to supervised professional experience in fitness through observation/participation under the direction of a professional within the community, students will learn valuable professional development tools such as writing a resume, cover letter, and thank you letter, as well as preparing for a professional interview.

KIN392 Clinical Exercise Physiology
Hours 3
This course explores recent advances in exercise physiology for "clinical" populations. Particular emphasis is placed on the acute and chronic responses to exercise in patients at risk for or having cardiac, pulmonary, and metabolic diseases.
Prerequisite(s): KIN 303

KIN401 Sport Administration: Principles and Practice
Hours 3
This course provides an overview of the sport industry, and helps orient students to the field of sport administration. Sport administration content areas discussed in detail include the history of sport administration, and how management principles relating to organizational behavior, leadership styles, finance, facility and event management, media relations, and sports broadcasting are applied. Contemporary trends in professional, intercollegiate, interscholastic, and international athletics will be discussed.

KIN402 Sport Marketing
Hours 3
This course examines sport marketing and sport consumer behavior. All aspects of a sound sport marketing plan will be addressed in addition to contemporary trends that effect sport marketing efforts.

KIN403 Legal Issues in Sport
Hours 3
An analysis of legal issues affecting the delivery of sport services focusing on liability in sport activities and the recognition of social problems in American sport.

KIN404 Financial Issues in Sport
Hours 3
This course is designed to provide students with an introduction to financial analysis and budgeting techniques essential for tracking an organization's revenues and expenses.

KIN405 Sports Management: Trends and Issues
Hours 3
This course is designed to provide students with an opportunity to engage with, explore, and immerse themselves in the extant contemporary literature relating to trends and issues in interscholastic and intercollegiate athletics, as well as youth, professional sports and recreation.

KIN420 Issues in Athletics Coaching
Hours 3
This course is designed to examine current issues, controversies, trends, and problems in the field of coaching.

KIN430 Issues in the Equine Industry
Hours 3
The purpose of this course is to incorporate information gained in the classroom with a real-world perspective on the state of the equine industry. A wide variety of current topics will be discussed by industry leaders who will act as guest lecturers. Students in equine management related fields will require this knowledge in their professional fields to be knowledgeable caretakers and successful in business.

KIN435 Equine Business Management
Hours 3
This course examines the equine industry from a business management perspective and provides an opportunity to analyze the external environmental factors involved in opening and managing an equine business.

KIN468 Adapted Physical Education
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Hours 3
The course includes basic information on disability sport and physical education programs. It focuses on the roles of various service agencies and organizations, on state and federal legislation and on various inclusion strategies. A clinical experience is required. Writing proficiency is required for a passing grade in this course. A student who does not write with the skill normally required of an upper-division student will not earn a passing grade, no matter how well the student performs in other areas of the course.

Writing

KIN486 Internships-Disability Sport
Hours 3-12
Directed internship in an area of specialization, completed in cooperation with a community agency or business, clinical, or other appropriate organization. Observation and on-the-job experience through direct participation in ongoing programs.

KIN487 Physical Educ Teach Pract
Hours 3
This course is designed to provide students with the knowledge and skills to implement additional curricular models at both the elementary- and secondary-school levels. Admission to Teacher Education Program is required.
Prerequisite(s): KIN 305, KIN 306, KIN 307, KIN 310, KIN 350, KIN 351, KIN 360, KIN 361, KIN 366
KIN488 Internships-Fitness  
Hours 1-12  
Directed internship in an area of specialization, completed in cooperation with a community agency or business, clinical, or other appropriate organization. Observation and on-the-job experience through direct participation in ongoing programs.

KIN491 Sport Exercise & Social Scienc
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Hours 3  
This course explores the major issues that occupy social sciences involved in the study of sport and exercise. Writing proficiency is required for a passing grade in this course. A student who does not write with the skill normally required of an upper-division student will not earn a passing grade, no matter how well the student performs in other areas of the course.

Writing

KIN492 Advanced Physiology of Exercise  
Hours 4  
This course explores advanced concepts involving integrated human physiological responses to exercise. Laboratory activities expand concepts discussed in lecture. Students in KIN 492 will receive one overall grade in the course that encompasses both the lecture and the laboratory components (i.e. separate grades will not be posted for the lecture and laboratory components of the course).

Prerequisite(s): KIN 303

KIN493 Fitness Appraisal and Exercise Prescription  
Hours 3  
A study of the application of exercise testing and prescription principles as it applies to apparently healthy and alternatively diseased populations.

Prerequisite(s): KIN 303

KIN494 Scientific Principles of Strength and Conditioning  
Hours 3  
This course is designed to provide a comprehensive overview of strength and conditioning. Emphasis is placed on the exercise sciences (including anatomy, exercise physiology, and biomechanics) and nutrition, exercise technique, program design, organization and administration, and testing and evaluation. The course is designed to prepare students for the nationally accredited CSCS certification exam.

Prerequisite(s): KIN 303

KIN496 Independent Study  
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Hours 1-6  
The purpose of this course is to provide the student an opportunity to further develop their skills/knowledge/instructional techniques in the area of kinesiology.

Special Topics Course

KIN497 Internship Phys Education  
Hours 3-12  
Prerequisites: Senior standing and admission to the Teacher Education Program, KIN 350, KIN 351, KIN 360, KIN 361, KIN 487, a minimum GPA of 2.5 for all work attempted, and a minimum GPA of 2.5 in the major. Full-time supervised teaching experience in elementary and secondary schools. Includes a weekly one-hour seminar. Student teaching cannot be completed during the summer term. Application for student teaching must be made the semester prior to student teaching (excluding summer term) through the Office of Clinical Experience. Formal application meetings are held and their times will be posted in Aurtherine Lucy Hall and announced in the Crimson White prior to the meetings.

Prerequisite(s): KIN 305, KIN 306, KIN 307, KIN 311, KIN 350, KIN 360 and KIN 366 with a minimum passing grade of C-