## CREDIT COURSE OUTLINE

## I. COVER PAGE

(1) PE 2

## (2) AEROBICS (DANCE, STEP OR WATER)

(3) 1

Number
Title

## Units


(12) Catalog Description:

This course is designed to improve cardiorespiratory endurance, muscular endurance and flexibility using a variety of aerobic activities. Exercises include dance, step, or water aerobics. (Swimming skills not required).

## II. COURSE OUTCOMES:

(Specify the learning skills the student demonstrates through completing the course and link critical thinking skills to specific course content and objectives.)

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:
I. analyze and record their personal fitness level and determine their target heart rate zone.
II. design and demonstrate a 10 minute Aerobic exercise routine.
III. demonstrate the proper body mechanics in various movements while performing a self-designed 10 minute aerobic routine.
IV. use appropriate terminology and vocabulary when evaluating and discussing aerobic exercise programs

## III. COURSE OBJECTIVES:

## (Specify major objectives in terms of the observable knowledge and/or skills to be attained.)

In the process of completing this course, students will:
I. perform low intensity Aerobic workouts for up to 40 minutes, using major muscle groups in the process to improve cardiovascular endurance, flexibility, and strength.
II. demonstrate the proper body mechanics in various movements while performing a self-designed 10 minute aerobic routine.
III. evaluate cardiovascular improvements.
IV. list the reasons for a warm-up and cool-down exercise routine and assess the benefits of each routine.
IV. COURSE OUTLINE:

## Lab Content:

A. Varied Exercise Programs

1. Low impact aerobics
2. Weight training/muscle toning/muscle strengthening
3. Benefits of warm-up and cool-down
4. Pre/post stretch
5. Dance Aerobic routines
6. Step Aerobic routines
7. Water Aerobic routines
8. Pre-Test vs. Post-Test

## V. APPROPRIATE READINGS

## Reading assignments may include but are not limited to the following:

I. Sample Text Title

1. Recommended - Baun Fantastic Water Workouts, ed. 2nd Baun, 2007,
2. Recommended - Mazzeo Fitness through Aerobics, Step Training, Walking, ed. 4th Thomson \& Wadsworth, 2007,
3. Recommended - Casten / Jordan Aerobics Today, ed. 2nd Thomson \& Wadsworth, 2002,

## II. Other Readings

Global or international materials or concepts are appropriately included in this course
Multicultural materials and concepts are appropriately included in this course

If either line is checked, write a paragraph indicating specifically how global/international and/or multicultural materials and concepts relate to content outline and/or readings.

## VI. METHODS TO MEASURE STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AND DETERMINE GRADES:

Students in this course will be graded in at least one of the following four categories. Please check those appropriate. A degree applicable course must have a minimum of one response in category $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}$, or C .
A. Writing

Check either 1 or 2 below

1. Substantial writing assignments are required. Check the appropriate boxes below and provide a written description in the space provided.

X
2. Substantial writing assignments are NOT required. If this box is checked leave this section blank. For degree applicable courses you must complete category $B$ and/or $C$.

| a) essay exam(s) |  | d) written homework |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| b) term or other paper(s) |  | e) reading reports |
| c) laboratory report(s) |  | f) other (specify) |

Required assignments may include but are not limited to the following:

## B. Problem Solving

Computational or non-computational problem-solving demonstrations, including:

|  | a) exam(s) |  | d) laboratory reports |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | b) quizzes |  | e) field work |
|  | c) homework problems |  | f) other (specify): |

Required assignments may include but are not limited to the following:
C. Skill demonstrations, including:

| X | a) class performance(s) | X | c) performance exams(s) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | b) field work |  | d) other (specify) |

## Required assignments may include but are not limited to the following:

1. Students are required to design a 10 minute aerobics exercise routine to music.
2. Completion of at least two cardiovascular fitness evaluation tests, with demonstrated improvement.
D. Objective examinations including:

| X | a) multiple choice |  | d) completion |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| X | b) true/false | X | e) other (specify): |
| X | c) matching items |  |  |

## COURSE GRADE DETERMINATION:

Description/Explanation: Based on the categories checked in A-D, it is the recommendation of the department that the instructor's grading methods fall within the following departmental guidelines; however, the final method of grading is still at the discretion of the individual instructor. The instructor's syllabus must reflect the criteria by which the student's grade has been determined. (A minimum of five (5) grades must be recorded on the final roster.)

If several methods to measure student achievement are used, indicate here the approximate weight or percentage each has in determining student final grades.
$50 \%$ Participation $25 \%$ Skills Tests $25 \%$ Written Tests

## VII. EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS

For degree applicable courses, the adopted texts, as listed in the college bookstore, or instructor-prepared materials have been certified to contain college-level materials.

Validation Language Level (check where applicable):

| $\substack{\text { College-Level Criteria Met } \\ \text { YES } \\ \text { X } \\ \mathrm{X} \\ \mathrm{X} \\ \mathrm{X} \\ \mathrm{X}}$ | - |
| :---: | :---: |

Indicate Method of evaluation:
Used readability formulae (grade level 10 or higher)
Text is used in a college-level course
Used grading provided by publisher
Other: (please explain; relate to Skills Levels)
Computation Level (Eligible for MATH 101 level or higher where applicable)
 Content
Breadth of ideas covered clearly meets college-level learning objectives of this course
Presentation of content and/or exercises/projects:
Requires a variety of problem-solving strategies including inductive and deductive reasoning.
Requires independent thought and study
Applies transferring knowledge and skills appropriately and efficiently to new situations or problems.


List of Reading/Educational Materials
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## Comments:

|  | This course requires special or additional library materials (list attached). <br> X |
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| This course requires special facilities: |  |
|  | Swimming Pool \& Dance Room |

Attached Files:

BASIC SKILLS ADVISORIES PAGE The skills listed are those needed for eligibility for English 125, 126, and Math 101. These skills are listed as the outcomes from English 252, 262, and Math 250. In the right hand column, list at least three major basic skills needed at the beginning of the target course and check off the corresponding basic skills listed at the left.
(eligibility for English 125)
(as outcomes for English 252)
X__ Writing complete English sentences and avoiding errors most of the time.
X _ Using the conventions of English writing: capitalization,
punctuation, spelling, etc.
_ X_ Using verbs correctly in present, past, future, and
present perfect tenses, and using the correct
forms of
common irregular verbs.
Expanding and developing basic sentence structure with
appropriate modification.
Combining sentences using coordination,
subordination,
and phrases.
Expressing the writer's ideas in short personal papers
utilizing the writing process in their

Students must be able to complete mid-term and final examinations.
Students must be able to evaluate aerobic dance routines and use appropriate terminology when describing them.

Students must be able to recognize proper mechanics for aerobic moves and distinguish them on written exams.
(eligibility for English 126)
(as outcomes for English 262)
X __ Using phonetic, structural, contextual, and dictionary
skills to attack and understand words.
X__ Applying word analysis skills to reading in context.
X__ Using adequate basic functional vocabulary skills.
___ Using textbook study skills and outlining
skills.
Using a full range of literal comprehension
skills and
basic analytical skills such as predicting, inferring,
concluding, and evaluating.

Students must be able to read the required text.
Students must be able to apply word analysis skills to aerobic terminology
Students must be able to read the written tests that are given during the semester.

## Check the appropriate spaces. <br> Eligibility for Math 101 is advisory for the target course.

Eligibility for English 126 is advisory for the target course.
Eligibility for English 125 is advisory for the target course.
If the reviewers determine that an advisorv or advisories in Basic Skills are all that are necessarv for success in the target course, stop here, provide the required signatures, and forward this form to the department chair, the appropriate associate dean, and the curriculum committee.

## CONTENT REVIEW

## REQUISITES

No requisites

