

## **PE 13 Tennis**

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**Course Description:** A course that includes instruction and practice in beginning-level skills, techniques, and strategies in Tennis.

**Course Outcomes:** Students will have the ability to execute the fundamental techniques and scoring utilized in the sport of Tennis, while incorporating various strategies. Students will have a better understanding of stroke production and ethics. Students will be able to use official scoring when playing the game. Students will be familiar with the various court surfaces and the four Grand Slam events. Students will assess Tennis as a possible life long activity

**Required Materials:** Locks and lockers are not required, but recommended. You will provide your own lock. Appropriate attire and footwear must be worn for each class. Water bottle or Sports drink is highly recommended. I suggest you bring a towel, wear sunblock, a hat, and light colored clothing. If class is online, no required materials.

**Injury/Disclosure:** Report all pre-existing medical conditions to the instructor before exercising. Report all injuries to the instructor.

**Attendance Policy:** Participation and applying the knowledge/skills for each class meeting is required (making mastery attempts). Attendance is very important. If online, students need to complete weekly assignments to fulfill their participation.

**Written Tests:** There will be two written tests. Dates will be given after the start of class.

**How your final grade will be calculated:** Participation 60% Written Tests 40%

90% and above-A, 80-89%-B, 70-79%-C, 60-69%-D, 59% and below-F

**Accommodations for Students with Disabilities:** If you have special verified needs as addressed by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), or section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, please contact me as soon as possible

**Drop Policy:** Students must inform instructor of absence prior to missed class. After 3 unexcused absences, student will be dropped from class.