RC PHYSICAL EDUCATON SYLLABUS

Department Philosophy: Our department will use a "concepts" approach to health and physical education, answering three (3) questions: <u>Why</u> is health and physical education important to every person? <u>How</u> to practice healthful activities given individual abilities and interests? <u>What</u> are the individual's real needs for lifetime fitness?

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Course #: PE 37A Course Title: Softball Theory

<u>Course Description</u>: Instruction in the theory, strategy and fundamentals of collegiate softball competitive play. Students may take any activity course at all levels (a or b) in any combination a total of 4 times.

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<u>Course Objectives</u>: To learn the basic rules and strategies of Softball and how they apply to performance on the field. Apply video analysis of skill to improve performance.

<u>Required material(s)</u>: Appropriate softball attire and footwear must be worn for each activity class when applicable.

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

<u>Attendance Policy</u>: You must <u>participate</u> and <u>apply</u> the knowledge/skills each class meeting, making "mastery attempts." 90% participation = A, 80% participation = B, 70% participation = C, 60% participation = D, 50% participation = F. (% of total possible student contact hours per semester.)

<u>NOTE</u>: If a student athlete quits the Reedley College Competitive Softball Team after the drop date, the instructor reserves the right to assign an "F" grade to the student.

Written Tests: There will be a minimum of two (2) written tests.

<u>Skills Tests</u>: There will be a minimum of two (2) skills tests (analysis)

How Your Final Grade Will Be Calculated:

Participation.....50% Written Tests....25%

Skills Tests.....25% =100%

Drop Policy: 18-week courses have a drop deadline of the 9th week. Short-term classes have a drop deadline of 4.5 weeks. However, the instructor may drop you at any time after four (4) consecutive unexcused absences, within the first 9 weeks of instruction.

Student Learning Outcomes:

Students will:

Develop an understanding of basic rules and strategy as it relates to performance

Utilize video analysis to critique fundamental skills and apply towards improving performance

Demonstrate a working knowledge of softball strategies in game situations