

Academic Learning Compact

Degree Program: Health, Physical Education/Fitness (BS) (CIP Code 31.0501) (Physical Education K-12)

Intended Program Student Learning Outcomes	Direct and Indirect Measures	
	Direct Method of Assessment	Indirect Method of Assessment
<p>Outcome 1: [Communication Skills] Graduates will demonstrate proficiency in written and oral communication skills by synthesizing and summarizing information related to health, physical education pedagogy, physical activity, and sport skills. Graduates will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establish positive interactions that use incentives and consequences for students to promote excellence in health and activity participation; • Establish positive interactions between stakeholders; • Communicate (verbal & nonverbal) participation procedures effectively with all stakeholders, including those with disabilities and those of varying cultural and linguistic backgrounds; and • Communicate with colleagues, community specialists, administrators, and families consistently and appropriately regarding health, leisure and fitness issues. 	<p><u>Direct Measure(s)</u> Course-embedded assessment</p>	<p><u>Indirect Measure(s)</u> Departmental survey</p>

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<p>Outcome 2: [Critical Thinking Skills] Students will demonstrate appropriate use of strategies and techniques related to comprehending, synthesizing, summarizing, analyzing, and evaluating the thinking capabilities of students relative to health, leisure and fitness.</p> <p>Graduates will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Analyze performance to identify associated higher-order thinking skills, and design learning strategies to evoke higher-order skills; - Choose varied teaching strategies, materials, and technologies to expand students' thinking abilities; - Assist students in selecting projects and assignments that involve the need to gather information and solve problems; and - Pose problems, dilemmas, and questions in lessons that involve value knowledge and that require evaluative thinking.(<p><u>Direct Measure(s)</u> Course-embedded assessment</p>	<p><u>Indirect Measure(s)</u> Departmental survey</p>

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<p>Outcome 3: [Content/Discipline Knowledge and Skills] Graduates will have an understanding of the subjects they teach and be able to apply subject-specific theories, paradigms, concepts, practices, and principles of health and physical activity to authentic instructional settings.</p> <p>Graduate will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Communicate accurate knowledge of health and physical activity subject matter in a comprehensible manner using language and style appropriate to the learner; - Use subject matter knowledge in health and physical activity to interrelate topics from a variety of perspectives, interests, and points of view; - Demonstrate a breadth of subject matter that enables graduates to collaborate with colleagues from other subject fields in the integration of instruction; and - Use references, materials, and technologies of the subject field in a manner appropriate to the growth and developmental stage of the learner. 	<p><u>Direct Measure(s)</u> Course-embedded assessment</p>	<p><u>Indirect Measure(s)</u> Departmental survey</p>

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<p>Outcome 4: [Content/Discipline Knowledge and Skills] Graduates will demonstrate scholarship competency (memberships and affiliations, research, publication, resume writing, interviewing, presentations, workshops, seminars, etc.) by engaging in scholarly and creative activities, becoming professionally affiliated with physical education professions. Graduates will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Demonstrate involvement in scholarly activities; - Demonstrate involvement & affiliation in professional associations; - Engage in research activities that may lead to presentations and/or publications; - Engage in resume writing; and - Join professional associations and organizations and attend professional conferences, seminars, and workshops. 	<p><u>Direct Measure(s)</u> Case studies</p>	<p><u>Indirect Measure(s)</u> Scholarship Documentation</p>
<p>Outcome 5: [Content/Discipline Knowledge and Skills] Student will demonstrate competency in providing service (local, state, regional, national, and international) by working collaboratively with various stakeholders in designing, planning, conducting, and reporting activities related to health, fitness and physical education related issues. Graduates will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Demonstrate involvement in community/public service at local, state, regional and/or national levels; and - Work collaboratively with stakeholders in designing, planning, conducting and/or reporting on activities related to health related fitness and physical education in K-12 settings. 	<p><u>Direct Measure(s)</u> Course-embedded assessment</p>	<p><u>Indirect Measure(s)</u> Field Clinical Evaluation</p>