



Southern Lehigh School District

High School Syllabus

Competitive Individual and Team Sports 2014-2015

Course Description:

This course is designed for students to participate in competitive activities while demonstrating specific skills. The curriculum includes a variety of competitive sports and physical fitness tests that are team and individually centered. Students are expected to participate at a high level with the goal of maintaining a heart rate within an aerobic zone.

Course Content:

Team Sports: Volleyball, Tennis, Table Tennis, Badminton, Pickle Ball, Basketball, Football, Lacrosse, Floor Hockey, Field Hockey, Soccer, Handball, Softball, Speedball, Ultimate Frisbee

Physical Fitness: Beep test, Push-ups, Shuttle Run, Sit & Reach, Sit-ups

Required Textbooks and/or Other Reading/Research Materials

none

Course Requirements:

Students are expected follow the below guidelines.

Attire:

T-Shirt that is school appropriate: no buttons, zippers, snaps, cutoff sleeves, or tank tops.
Shorts/ sweatpants: School appropriate length, no buttons, zippers, and snaps.

Jewelry:

Jewelry of any kind is not permitted in PE class.

Doctor excuses:

Doctors must state SPECIFIC limitations on activity along with a TIME FRAME.
If no activity is permitted, students will be given an alternative assignment.

Class Make-ups

Students may make up classes if they go beyond the four excused absences allowed for quarter, or if they did not come prepared for class.

Make-ups must be completed within five school days of the fifth absence or an unexcused for class. Students are only allowed are only allowed to make up 3 unexcused absences. Four unexcused absences result in failure for the quarter.

Grade Components/Assessments:

Grades will be based on

Physical Fitness Component 15%

This consists of 5 fitness tests including;

- Beep Test (Cardiovascular Endurance),
- Shuttle Run (Agility),
- Sit and Reach (Flexibility),
- Modified Crunches (Muscular Endurance & Strength),
- Push-ups (Muscular Endurance and Strength).

Knowledge 15%

Students will be evaluated by written tests given by the teacher based on information taught in class. Students are responsible for making up any missed tests on EXCUSED absences only.

Preparation/ Participation/Sportsmanship 70%

Students must pass this section in order to pass for the marking period. This component is evaluated by the teacher and based on: students ability to work cooperatively with other students, level of participation in activity. No make-ups are required for the first 4 excused absences.

Letter grade deduction apply for the following:

- Not making up required class
- Unprepared for class
- Unexcused absences

Each marking period is worth 20% of a student's overall grade. The final is worth 20% of a student's overall average:

Quarter 1	40%
Quarter 2	40%
Final	20%

Required Summer Reading/Assignments:

none