

Course Acronym:	PE
Course Number:	208A
Descriptive Title:	Beginning Bowling
Division:	Health Sciences and Athletics
Department:	Physical Education
Course Disciplines:	Physical Education
Catalog Description:	This course examines the fundamental skills, rules, and etiquette for the activity of bowling. Students will be introduced to the dimensions and markings of the bowling lane. Topics will include bowling ball selection, grip, stance, and the body mechanics of releasing the ball in a four-to-five step delivery. Students will be introduced to scoring and participate in league play during the semester. Note: Students will pay a user fee for each class meeting for bowling lanes, shoes, and bowling ball. Students must furnish their own transportation to and from the bowling alley.
Prerequisite:	
Co-requisite:	
Recommended Preparation:	
Enrollment Limitation:	
Hours Lecture (per week):	0
Hours Laboratory (per week):	3
Outside Study Hours:	0
Total Course Hours:	54
Course Units:	1
Grading Method:	Letter Grade only
Credit Status:	Credit, degree applicable
Transfer CSU:	Yes
Effective Date:	Prior to July 1992
Transfer UC:	Yes
Effective Date:	Fall 1992
General Education: ECC	Area 5 - Health and Physical Education
Term:	
Other:	

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Student Learning Outcomes:	SLO #1 Keeping Score Students will demonstrate the process of keeping score. SLO #2 Spare Strategies
	Students will identify the appropriate strategies for executing various spare shots. SLO #3 Terminology and Etiquette
	Students will explain proper bowling terminology and lane etiquette.
Course Objectives:	 Describe the lane, pin arrangment, equipment, and safety issues in bowling. Utilze common bowling terminology duirng league play. Analyze the components and skill progressions necessary for one's bowling approach and delivery methods. Interpret the rules and scoring for bowling. Discuss different strategies for making spares and strikes.
Major Topics:	 I. Introduction to Bowling (4 hours, lab) A. Stretching and warm-up exercises B. Etiquette during league play C. Rules and terminology D. Pin location and alley dimensions E. Equipment and attire F. Safety II. Bowling Ball and Grip (2 hours, lab) A. Conventional grip B. Hand / wrist positioning C. Plastic and resin balls D. Weight of ball III. Bowling Stance, Approach, and Delivery (12 hours, lab) A. Posture and stance at starting position B. Four-step and five-step approach Determine distance of approach Determine distance of approach Footwork and ball position with each step C. Delivery

	 4. Ball speed D. Target pins arrow or board
	IV. Bowling and Scoring (4 hours, lab)
	 A. Strike B. Spare C. Open Frame D. 10th Frame E. Handicap system VI. Strategies for Bowling (6 hours, lab)
	A. "Spot" and "pin" bowlingB. Hitting "strikes" and picking up "spares"
	 VII. League Bowling (26 hours, lab) A. Etiquette B. Handicap Scoring C. Application of bowling skills D. Application of bowling knowledge
Total Lecture Hours:	0
Total Laboratory Hours:	54
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Primary Method of Evaluation:	3) Skills demonstration
Typical Assignment Using Primary Method of Evaluation:	Demonstrate to instructor the proper techniques and timing associated with a four-step approach when delivering a bowling ball for a "strike".
Critical Thinking Assignment 1:	Demonstrate with a verbal explanation to instructor your bowling strategies used when attempting a single-pin (#10) for a "spare". Starting position, target, and type of delivery are elements of sound strategies in achieving this score of a "spare".
Critical Thinking Assignment 2:	
	Class Performance, Completion, Matching Items, Multiple Choice, Performance Exams, True/False
Instructional Methods:	Demonstration, Discussion, Multimedia presentations
If other:	
	Course is lab only - minimum required hours satisfied by scheduled lab time
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Up-To-Date Representative Texts:	
Alternative Texts:	
Required Supplementary Readings:	
Other Required Materials:	
Requisite:	
Category:	
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Enrollment Limitations and Category:	
Enrollment Limitations Impact:	
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