SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY

Summer Session 1999

EDUC 459 - 4
Instructional Activities in Elementary
School Physical Education

Office: TBA Tel: 291-3395

Steve Blackett

Catalogue #78490 Tuesdays & Thursdays 13:00 - 16:50 in mpx 7540

D03.00

PREREQUISITE Educ 401/402

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course will be both theoretical and practical in its content, and will incorporate a wide range of practical activities for use by teachers in an elementary school setting. This extensive practical component will engage students in the curricular areas of modified, creative and traditional games; cultural, ethnic and creative dance; traditional and educational gymnastics. In addition, the course will meet the individual needs of students, and may include other topics as requested. The theoretical aspects of child growth and development patterns as they pertain to implementation of the Ministry's current integrated resource package will be discussed. Participants in this course will be exposed to a wide variety of teaching techniques, unit and lesson plans.

EVALUATION

The students and the instructor will collaboratively develop the criteria in regard to assessment and evaluation, as this reflects current Ministry practice within the public schools of British Columbia. Topics may include the development of a yearly plan for a specific grade, lesson planning, course participation, and/or a variety of other topics. Decisions in this regard will be at the first class.

REQUIRED TEXT

Kirchner, G., <u>Physical Education for Elementary School Children</u> (10th ed.) Madison, WI: Brown & Benchmark, 1998. ISBN 0697294862.