

EDUCATION 479 -4

DESIGNS FOR LEARNING: PHYSICAL EDUCATION

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(Elementary)

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Course Description

Emphasis in this course will be devoted to the teaching strategies that are used to teach physical activities to children in the primary and intermediate grades. The course will include such topics as curriculum design, unit and theme preparation, teaching strategies and techniques. This course will also include practical sessions in a wide variety of activities that are taught in the elementary school physical education program.

Topics (Tentative)

1. Curriculum Design
2. Teaching Strategies
3. Fitness and Posture
4. Active Health
5. Integrating Physical Education with Other Subjects
6. Intramural and Extra Class Programs
7. Teaching Game Activities :
8. Teaching Dance Activities
9. Teaching Gymnastics Activities

Text Books

Kirchner, Physical Education for Elementary School Children
5th Edition, W.M.C. Brown, 1981.

Optional

Kirchner, Sequential Unit, Theme and Lesson Plans, W.M.C.
Brown, 1981