

**SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY
SUMMER SESSION 2008**

**EDUC 479-4
DESIGNS FOR LEARNING: PHYSICAL EDUCATION
(D100)**

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Monday & Wednesday
8:30-12:20 in EDB 7540 (mini gym)

PREREQUISITE EDUC 401/402 and **Corequisite:** EDUC 459

DESCRIPTION

Consideration is given in this course to the pedagogical principles underlying the development of inclusive K - 12 physical education programs in British Columbia schools. These pedagogical principles, derived from a theoretically-informed reflection on students engagement in selected instructional activities, will be applied to matters of curriculum design, teaching strategy, pupil progress and program evaluation.

COURSE CONTENT

Investigations into the pedagogical foundations of physical education will be combined with practical sessions in activity settings that exhibit varying degrees of structure. Activities in alternate environments will be explored in an active, inclusive manner. Issues that affect optimal psychomotor learning will be examined as they relate to performance, achievement and acquisition of the attitude, skills and knowledge components of Physical Education. A course activity fee will be collected during the first week of class.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. Inquiry Assignment 20%
2. Research paper/presentation 40%
3. In class readings/responses 20%
4. Peer teaching 20%

There is a course activity fee (approx. 40.00).

RECOMMENDED READINGS TBA

Students in all Faculty of Education courses are encouraged to review policies pertaining to academic integrity available on the Undergraduate Programs website:

http://www.educ.sfu.ca/ugradprogs/student_resources/index.html