

PHYSICAL EDUCATION TEACHING MINOR

Description

The minor in Physical Education Teaching is for students interested in potentially teaching physical education through a Master's Degree program after completing their undergraduate degree at UNH. The coursework and practicum experiences lay the foundation for the understanding of teaching via best practices in the physical education field. The two "Pedagogy" courses address the methods and effective teaching strategies to be incorporated when instructing elementary and secondary school-aged pupils, while the inclusion course focuses on teaching pupils with disabilities. The Team Sports course addresses seven sports with the goal of students being able to not only be competent players, but also confident teachers of the sports, via a "tactical games approach". The culminating course/field-based experience will involve observing and teaching in a local school (Elementary or Middle/Secondary PE Practicum), to give students a true sense for what teaching physical education is all about. Upon completion of this minor, students will have the knowledge and experience to feel comfortable teaching physical education if they choose to pursue teaching certification at the graduate school level.

Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
HPE 610	Elementary Physical Education Pedagogy	4
HPE 655	Middle School and Secondary Physical Education Pedagogy	4
HPE 781	Inclusion in Physical Education	4
HPE 603	Team Sports	3
KIN 501	First Aid: Responding to Emergencies	1
HPE 570	Elementary Physical Education Practicum	4
or HPE 666	Middle School and Secondary Physical Education Practicum	
Total Credits		20