

SPRING GROVE AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT



PLANNED COURSE OVERVIEW

Course Title: Adventure Curriculum

Length of Course: 15 cycles

Grade Level(s): 10 - 12

Periods Per Cycle: 6

Units of Credit: .50

Length of Period: 43 minutes

Classification: Elective

Total Instructional Time: 64.5 hours

Course Description

This coeducational course is designed to offer a variety of lifelong activities and to form strong relationships and bonds in the process. Students first learn how to work as a team and develop group dynamics. An essential part of all physical education is monitoring cardiovascular fitness. In this course students will use Heart Rate technology to monitor and assess student performance. Students learn about and participate in other lifetime outdoor activities including, but not limited to hiking, backpacking, archery, repelling, climbing, safe boating/kayaking, orienteering/geocaching, and mountain biking, that will help them to make healthy decisions and be healthy for life.

Instructional Strategies, Learning Practices, Activities, and Experiences

Bell Ringer

Check For Understanding

Closure

Cooperative Learning

Experiential Learning

Fitness Technology

Assessments

Practical Written Assessments

Materials/Resources

Project Adventure - Adventure Curriculum

Books

Videos

for Physical Education

Internet

Adopted:

Revised: 8/16/00; 8/21/06; 6/20/11; 5/16/16

Departmental Review: 10/2017

Team Building	
CONTENT/KEY CONCEPTS	OBJECTIVES/STANDARDS
Ice Breaker Games	10.2.10.D - Examine and apply a decision-making process to the development of short and long-term health goals.
Name Games	10.2.10.E - Analyze the interrelationship between environmental factors and community health.
Initiative/Team Building Activities	10.3.10.C - Analyze the impact of violence on the victim and surrounding community.
Related Vocabulary communicate verbal non verbal teamwork safety - physical and emotional	10.4.10.F - Assess and use strategies for enhancing adult group interaction in physical activities. 10.5.10.F - Analyze the application of game strategies for different categories of physical activities.

Leave No Trace	
CONTENT/KEY CONCEPTS	OBJECTIVES/STANDARDS
Principle 1: Plan Ahead and Prepare	10.2.10.A - Evaluate health care products and services that impact adult health practices.
Principle 2: Hike and Camp on Durable Surfaces	10.2.10.B - Assess factors that impact adult health consumer choices.
Principle 3: Dispose of Waste Properly	10.3.10.A - Assess the personal and legal consequences of unsafe practices in the home, school or community.
Principle 4: Leave What you Find	
Principle 5: Minimize Campfire Impacts	
Principle 6: Respect Wildlife	
Principle 7: Be Considerate of Other Visitors	
Related Vocabulary leave no trace (LNT) durable surface waste non-native species layering wildlife trail etiquette	

Hiking/Backpacking	
CONTENT/KEY CONCEPTS	OBJECTIVES/STANDARDS
Planning For a Hike	10.3.10.B - Analyze and apply strategies for the management of injuries.
Determining What Gear to Bring	10.3.10.D - Evaluate the benefits, risks and safety factors associated with self-selected life-long physical activities.
Proper Layering Trail Identification	10.4.10.A - Evaluate and engage in an individualized physical activity plan that supports achievement of personal fitness and activity goals and promotes life-long participation.
Proper Attire for Different Weather Situations	10.4.10.B - Analyze the effects of regular participation in a self-selected program of moderate to vigorous physical activities.
Related Vocabulary trekking pole	10.4.10.C - Evaluate how changes in adult health status may affect the responses of the body systems during moderate to vigorous physical activity.
backpack hiking boots	10.4.10.D - Evaluate factors that affect physical activity and exercise preferences of adults.
layering internal frame daypack trail blaze group gear stove	10.5.10.A - Apply knowledge of movement skills, skill-related fitness and movement concepts to identify and evaluate physical activities that promote personal lifelong participation.

Reading and Using a GPS 10.4.10 activities Finding a Geocache Using Given Coordinates Create Your Own Geocaching 10.5.10	0.D - Evaluate the benefits, risks and safety factors associated with self-selected life-long physical activities. 0.B - Analyze the effects of regular participation in a self-selected program of moderate to vigorous physical es. 0.F - Assess and use strategies for enhancing adult group interaction in physical activities.
Finding a Geocache Using Given Coordinates Create Your Own Geocaching activities 10.4.10 10.5.10	es.
Related Vocabulary compass geocache global positioning system (GPS) magnetic north	0.A - Apply knowledge of movement skills, skill-related fitness and movement concepts to identify and evaluate all activities that promote personal lifelong participation.

Intro to Knot Tying and Climbing Equipment/Ra CONTENT/KEY CONCEPTS	
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Knots	10.2.10.D - Examine and apply a decision-making process to the development of short and long-term health goals.
Harness Use	10.4.10.D - Evaluate factors that affect physical activity and exercise preferences of adults.
Belay Devices and Commands	10.4.10.E - Analyze the interrelationships among regular participation in physical activity, motor skill improvement and the selection and engagement in lifetime physical activities.
Different Types of Rope	
Rappel Setup	10.5.10.A - Apply knowledge of movement skills, skill-related fitness and movement concepts to identify and evaluate physical activities that promote personal lifelong participation.
Rappelling Down a Hillside	10.5.10.B - Incorporate and synthesize knowledge of motor skill development concepts to improve the quality of motor skills.
Rappelling Down a Vertical	10.5.10.C - Evaluate the impact of practice strategies on skill development and improvement.
Belaying Another Person While They Climb	
	10.5.10.E - Evaluate movement forms for appropriate application of scientific and biomechanical principles.
Related Vocabulary	
dynamic rope	
static rope	
harness helmet	
figure eight	
anchors	
bow line on a bite super eight	
backup knot	

Mountain Biking	
CONTENT/KEY CONCEPTS	OBJECTIVES/STANDARDS
Safety Equipment	10.3.10.A - Assess the personal and legal consequences of unsafe practices in the home, school or community.
Sizing a Bike	10.3.10.B - Analyze and apply strategies for the management of injuries.
Bike Maintenance	10.3.10.D - Evaluate the benefits, risks and safety factors associated with self-selected life-long physical activities.
Riding Hills, Flats, Trails and Obstacles	10.4.10.A - Evaluate and engage in an individualized physical activity plan that supports achievement of personal fitness and activity goals and promotes life-long participation.
Related Vocabulary helmet brakes	10.4.10.B - Analyze the effects of regular participation in a self-selected program of moderate to vigorous physical activities.
gear shift	10.4.10.C - Evaluate how changes in adult health status may affect the responses of the body systems during moderate to vigorous physical activity.
tire	10.4.10.D - Evaluate factors that affect physical activity and exercise preferences of adults.
	10.4.10.E - Analyze the interrelationships among regular participation in physical activity, motor skill improvement and the selection and engagement in lifetime physical activities.
	10.5.10.B - Incorporate and synthesize knowledge of motor skill development concepts to improve the quality of motor skills.
	10.5.10.C - Evaluate the impact of practice strategies on skill development and improvement.
	10.5.10.D - Incorporate and synthesize knowledge of exercise principles, training principles and health and skill-related fitness components to create a fitness program for personal use.
	10.5.10.E - Evaluate movement forms for appropriate application of scientific and biomechanical principles.

Snowshoeing	
CONTENT/KEY CONCEPTS	OBJECTIVES/STANDARDS
History of Snowshoes Locomotion with Snowshoes Identification of Parts of a Snowshoe Hiking With Snowshoes Trip Planning	10.4.10.C - Evaluate how changes in adult health status may affect the responses of the body systems during moderate to vigorous physical activity. 10.4.10.D - Evaluate factors that affect physical activity and exercise preferences of adults. 10.5.10.A - Apply knowledge of movement skills, skill-related fitness and movement concepts to identify and evaluate physical activities that promote personal lifelong participation. 10.5.10.B - Incorporate and synthesize knowledge of motor skill development concepts to improve the quality of motor skills.
Group/Trip Safety Cardiovascular and Metabolic Rate While Snowshoeing Related Vocabulary binding decking flotation tail layering	 10.5.10.C - Evaluate the impact of practice strategies on skill development and improvement. 10.5.10.D - Incorporate and synthesize knowledge of exercise principles, training principles and health and skill-related fitness components to create a fitness program for personal use. 10.5.10.E - Evaluate movement forms for appropriate application of scientific and biomechanical principles.

Kayak and Boat Safety	
CONTENT/KEY CONCEPTS	OBJECTIVES/STANDARDS
Boat and Canoe Entry and Exit	10.3.10.D - Evaluate the benefits, risks and safety factors associated with self-selected life-long physical activities.
Proper Boats, Personal Flotation Devices (PFDs), and Paddles for Each Situation	10.4.10.A - Evaluate and engage in an individualized physical activity plan that supports achievement of personal fitness and activity goals and promotes life-long participation.
Safe Reentry	10.5.10.A - Apply knowledge of movement skills, skill-related fitness and movement concepts to identify and evaluate physical activities that promote personal lifelong participation.
Trip Preparation Paddling Technique	10.5.10.B - Incorporate and synthesize knowledge of motor skill development concepts to improve the quality of motor skills.
Boat Emptying	10.5.10.C - Evaluate the impact of practice strategies on skill development and improvement.
Related Vocabulary bilge bulkhead capsize center of gravity cockpit coaming hatch professional flotation device (PFD) paddle skirt	10.5.10.E - Evaluate movement forms for appropriate application of scientific and biomechanical principles.

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Students work in teams to perform physical challenges that involve preplanning. Include, but not limited to:	10.2.10.D - Examine and apply a decision-making process to the development of short and long-term health goals. 10.3.10.D - Evaluate the benefits, risks and safety factors associated with self-selected life-long physical activities. 10.4.10.F - Assess and use strategies for enhancing adult group interaction in physical activities.

Archery	
CONTENT/KEY CONCEPTS	Objectives/Standards
Basic Skills of Archery	10.3.9.B - Describe and apply strategies for emergency and long-term management of injuries.
Local and National Resources Available to Students In Archery	10.3.9.C - Analyze and apply strategies to avoid or manage conflict and violence during adolescence.
Safety Procedures of Archery	10.3.9.D - Analyze the role of individual responsibility for safety during organized group activities.
Related Vocabulary	10.4.9.A - Analyze and engage in physical activities that are developmentally/ individually appropriate and support achievement of personal fitness and activity goals.
arrow bow draw	10.4.9.B - Analyze the effects of regular participation in moderate to vigorous physical activities in relation to adolescent health improvement.
aim round release	10.4.9.C - Analyze factors that affect the responses of body systems during moderate to vigorous physical activities.
nock anchor	10.4.9.D - Analyze factors that affect physical activity preferences of adolescents.
quiver	10.4.9.E - Analyze factors that impact on the relationship between regular participation in physical activity and motor skill improvement.
	10.4.9.F - Analyze the effects of positive and negative interactions of adolescent group members in physical activities.
	10.5.9.A - Describe and apply the components of skill-related fitness to movement performance.
	10.5.9.B - Describe and apply concepts of motor skill development that impact the quality of increasingly complex movement.
	10.5.9.C - Identify and apply practice strategies for skill improvement.
	10.5.9.D - Identify and describe the principles of training using appropriate vocabulary.

CONTENT/KEY CONCEPTS	OBJECTIVES/STANDARDS
	10.5.9.E - Analyze and apply scientific and biomechanical principles to complex movements.
	10.5.9.F - Describe and apply game strategies to complex games and physical activities.
	10.3.12.D - Evaluate the benefits, risks and safety factors associated with self-selected life-long physical activities.
	10.4.12.A. Evaluate and engage in an individualized physical activity plan that supports achievement of personal fitness and activity goals and promotes life-long participation.
	10.4.12.B - Analyze the effects of regular participation in a self-selected program of moderate to vigorous physical activities.
	10.4.12.C - Evaluate how changes in adult health status may affect the responses of the body systems during moderate to vigorous physical activity.
	10.4.12.D - Evaluate factors that affect physical activity and exercise preferences of adults.
	10.4.12.E - Analyze the interrelationships among regular participation in physical activity, motor skill improvement and the selection and engagement in lifetime physical activities.
	10.4.12.F - Assess and use strategies for enhancing adult group interaction in physical activities.
	10.5.12.A - Apply knowledge of movement skills, skill-related fitness and movement concepts to identify and evaluate physical activities that promote personal lifelong participation.
	10.5.12.B - Incorporate and synthesize knowledge of motor skill development concepts to improve the quality of motor skills.
	10.5.12.C - Evaluate the impact of practice strategies on skill development and improvement.

Archery (continued) CONTENT/KEY CONCEPTS	OBJECTIVES/STANDARDS
	10.5.12.D - Incorporate and synthesize knowledge of exercise principles, training principles and health and skill-related fitness components to create a fitness program for personal use.
	10.5.12.E - Evaluate movement forms for appropriate application of scientific and biomechanical principles.
	10.5.12.F - Analyze the application of game strategies for different categories of physical activities.