

SYLLABUS
PE GOLF 1 PHED 1520
Auburn University- 2 credit hours – LECTURE/LAB

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Semester: Spring 2014
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Class Fees: **\$90** class fees are non-refundable after the 2nd class day.
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Course Description and Student Learning Outcomes:

A beginning golf class designed to promote the game of golf. We will provide insight about rules, terms, etiquette, equipment and basic golf fundamentals. In completing this course, each student should have a basic overall understanding of the game of golf.

Videos will be watched on rules, terms, etiquette and equipment. Q and A sessions will follow each video. Basic golf fundamentals will consist of short game and full swing. All fundamentals will be given by authorized instructors and will be conducted on the range and practice greens.

Grading Grid:

100 pts Two (2) Page Paper

100 pts Final

100 pts Participation

100 pts Skills Evaluation

400 Total Points (1% for each tardy, and 3% for each unexcused absences...To be deducted off your final grade)

Week 1/6-Sign in, Class fees due
Week 1/20- MLK Day/Instructional Videos
Week 2/3-Putting/Chipping Fundamentals
Week 2/17---Week 3/3-Range
Week 3/17 ---Week 4/1-Range
Week 4/14-Masters Paper Due/Range

Week 1/13-Sign in new/Syllabus Review
Week 1/27-Instructional Videos/Rules Assignment
Week 2/10-Instruction Swing Fundamentals, Range
Week 3/10-Spring Break
Week 4/7-Range/ Masters Tournament Paper
Week 4/21- Study Guide & Finals

Attendance/Tardiness:

PHYSICAL ACTIVITY AND WELLNESS PROGRAM ATTENDANCE POLICY...The material and experience in this class are important and if you are not in class, you cannot take an active role as a student. Class attendance and appropriate participation is paramount to your success as a student. Participation is defined as, but not limited to, “fully engaging in the course content and activities at a level that is deemed appropriate by the instructor.” Failure to appropriately participate in the course content and activities can result in a deduction of points from a student’s overall course grade at the discretion of the instructor. **Moreover, students arriving tardy to class will lose 1% of their final grade per offense. Unexcused absences cannot be made up and will result in a 3% deduction from the student’s final grade. Once a student has accrued five (5) unexcused absences he/she will not be permitted to take the final examination and will receive a grade of FA. Students who accrue eight (8) absences, (excused, unexcused or a combination of the two types) will not be permitted to take the final examination and will receive a grade of FA.** If an unusual condition such as a serious illness results in this situation (8 total absences) students are encouraged to consult the AU Bulletin and/or an academic advisor in their college to determine if they meet university guidelines for requesting withdrawal from the course.

- No excuse will be taken that is ten (10) calendar days old (**inclusive of Weekends, Canceled Class Days, Breaks & Holidays**). If a student is absent, there must be a legitimate excuse to “back up” your absence.
- All original excuses (no copies) must be given to the Instructor within the ten (10) day window. If you need the original excuse...the Instructor will run a copy after class.
- Attendance will be taken at the end of class. Each student will be responsible for signing their name on the attendance roll provided by the instructor. Class may be split up on some days using different areas of the Auburn Links practice facility...if this is the case, make sure you find the instructor first, then sign the attendance sheet **BEFORE** you leave!
- Class will begin 15 minutes after the official start time (warm up and stretch time). If you arrive 16 minutes late, you will be counted tardy for this day. This includes when class moves to the back of the range. 1% will be deducted from final grade for each tardy.
- Any student arriving twenty one (21) minutes late will be counted absent for that day.
- Students must decide if their schedule conflicts with the time parameters set forth in this class.
- Obviously this is an "off" campus class, students taking this class need to have a backup plan for transportation. Car problems, red lights, tickets or wrecks will not be valid excuses for absences or tardiness.

January 12th, 2014

Out of class assignment: 100 points

- A two (2) page paper will be due on your first class day after Apr. 13th. This paper will be a synopsis on the 2014 Masters Tournament, held April 10th-13th.
- Assignment must be **hand written...not typed**, and must be in your normal writing font on 8 ½ x 11 notebook paper. **Please use the front/back of one piece of notebook paper.** The Masters Tournament is a Four (4) day Event. Write a summary after each day to complete the two page assignment.
- A question on the final exam will come from this tournament.

Final Exam: 100 points

- Final exam scores will be worth 100 points in the grading grid.

Participation: 100 points

As stated in the **PHYSICAL ACTIVITY AND WELLNESS PROGRAM ATTENDANCE POLICY**, participation is paramount to your success as a student. Each student will be graded accordingly.

Skills Evaluation: 100 points

Skill Evaluation will be given during semester by lead instructor.

Attire:

- Tennis shoes or golf shoes must be worn when Golf Class is held outside.
- No flip flops or open ended shoes are allowed...first instance, students with these type shoes on will not be able to participate during class. Second instance, he/she will be sent home and counted absent.
- Shirts with collars are preferred.

Statement of Accommodation:

"Students who need accommodations are asked to electronically submit their approved accommodations through AU Access and to arrange a meeting during office hours the first week of classes, or as soon as possible if accommodations are needed immediately. If you have a conflict with my office hours, an alternate time can be arranged. To set up this meeting, please contact me by e-mail. If you have not established accommodations through the Office of Accessibility, but need accommodations, make an appointment with the Office of Accessibility, 1228 Haley Center, 844-2096 (V/TT)."

"Course Contingency Statement" - If normal class and/or lab activities are disrupted due to illness, emergency, or crisis situation (such as an N1H1 flu outbreak), the syllabus and other course plans and assignments may be modified to allow completion of the course. If this occurs, an addendum to your syllabus and/or course assignments will replace the original materials.

- **Professionalism:** As faculty, staff, and students interact in professional settings, they are expected to demonstrate professional behaviors as defined in the College's conceptual framework. These professional commitments or dispositions are listed below:
 - Engage in responsible and ethical professional practices
 - Contribute to collaborative learning communities
 - Demonstrate a commitment to diversity
 - Model and nurture intellectual vitality