

Minnesota State University Moorhead

PE 191: Activities Course: Dance

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 2

Lecture Hours/Week: 1

Lab Hours/Week: 1

OJT Hours/Week: *.*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

Designed for physical education majors, this course develops skills and knowledge in folk, square, and ballroom dance.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 03/19/1997 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. Complete one small group, one duo, and one individual teaching exercise.
2. Build and submit lesson plans for basic dances.
3. Complete written exams and skills testing.
4. Fulfill bulletin board assignment.
5. Attend and participate in each class meeting.
6. Demonstrate proper dance and personal etiquette.

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. To develop instructional strategies and materials for the teaching of recreational forms of folk, square, and social dance demonstrated by peer teaching.
2. To develop an insight to the history, significance, and multicultural values of dance demonstrated by a written exam.
3. To develop the ability to comprehend written dance direction and make the appropriate application to music demonstrated by peer teaching.
4. To develop skill in demonstrating dance steps and movements shown by peer teaching.
5. To develop an understanding of the significance and value dance plays in a physical education curriculum by demonstrating knowledge on a written exam.

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted