

COURSE OUTLINE - FALL 2020

PE2040 (A2): Leisure and Sport in Canadian Society: Historical Perspectives – 3 (3-0-0) UT 45 Hours 15 Weeks

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CALENDAR DESCRIPTION: An examination of the significant changes which have occurred in leisure and sport specifically over the last century and with particular reference to Canadian society.

PREREQUISITE(S)/COREQUISITE: PE1040 or consent of department

REQUIRED TEXT/RESOURCE MATERIALS:

Morrow, Don, and Kevin B. Wamsley. *Sport in Canada: A History*. 4th ed. Don Mills, ON: Oxford University Press, 2017.

Additional Resources as assigned by the instructor

DELIVERY MODE(S): The course will be taught using various methods of delivery such as lecture, experiential learning opportunities, small group discussion, case study explorations, and other modes of delivery (i.e., video).

FALL 2020 DELIVERY: Remote Delivery. This course is delivered remotely. There are no face-to-face or onsite requirements. Students must have a computer with a webcam and reliable internet connection. Technological support is available through helpdesk@gprc.ab.ca.

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

The objectives are to place emphasis on:

- 1. Providing knowledge of Canada's history of leisure, sport, physical education, and health.
- 2. Integrating the importance and/or significance of historical events to cultural, political, economic, religious, physical, and environmental landscapes today.
- 3. The development of academic skills for research and communication.

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

By the end of the course, students will be able to:

- 1. Develop an extensive research project on an assigned topic in the discipline of history in Canadian sport and leisure.
- 2. Identify key persons, organizations, and events in the history of leisure and sport in Canada.
- 3. Demonstrate skills for library research, reading, writing, speaking, analyzing, and critical thinking.
- 4. Explain ways of interpreting the past from multiple perspectives.

TRANSFERABILITY:

This course is considered a University Transferrable course. Please consult the Alberta Transfer Guide for more information at http://transferalberta.ca

** Grade of D or D+ may not be acceptable for transfer to other post-secondary institutions. Students are cautioned that it is their responsibility to contact the receiving institutions to ensure transferability.

EVALUATIONS:

Tests, Quizzes	20%
Coursework	30%
Major Assignment	20%
Final Exam	30%

GRADING CRITERIA:

Please note that most universities will not accept your course for transfer credit IF your grade is less than C-. This means DO NOT GET LESS THAN "C-" IF YOU ARE PLANNING TO TRANSFER TO A UNIVERSITY.

Alpha Grade	4-point Equivalent	Percentage Guidelines	Alpha Grade	4-point Equivalent	Percentage Guidelines
A+	4.0	90-100	C+	2.3	67-69
A	4.0	85-89	С	2.0	63-66
A-	3.7	80-84	C-	1.7	60-62
B+	3.3	77-79	D+	1.3	55-59
В	3.0	73-76	D	1.0	50-54
B-	2.7	70-72	F	0.0	00-49

COURSE SCHEDULE/TENTATIVE TIMELINE: note that schedule changes are possible

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		S4	Introduction to Course		
S7	Labour Day	S11	V: Baseball Origins (Canada)		
S14	Ch1 Intro Canadian Sport History	S18	V: Hockey: A People's History Pt 1		
S21	Ch2 Games, Contests in Early Canada	S25	V: Hockey: A People's History Pt 2		
S28	Ch3 Sporting Life in BNA	O2	Ch4 Organized Sport in 19th Century		
O5	TEST 1	O9	Reading Assign		
O12	Fall Break	O16	Fall Break		
O18	Ch5 Growth and Professionalization	O23	V: Too colourful for the league		
O26	Ch6 Stars and Heroes	O30	Reading Assign (Indigenous Experience)		
N2	Ch7 Sports Journalism and the Media	N6	Reading Assign ((Indigenous Experience))		
N9	Ch8 Gender, Body, and Sport	N13	TEST 2		
N16	Ch9 PE, School Sports, Fitness	N20	V: Edm Grads (x2)		
N23	Ch10 Sport and the National	N27	V: NHL Documentary		
N30	Ch11 The Olympic Games	D4	TBA		
D7	TBA & Project Due	D11			
	Dec 11 - Dec 19 EXAMS				

Additional readings/viewings were primarily selected from Academic Journals and sources such as the National Film Board, CBC and other credible sources.

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:

• Part of the grade for this course is in-class and online activities. There will be online discussions throughout the semester that students will need to participate in and small homework or in-class assignments, as well as regular class attendance. Students will get one "free pass" for a class absence (cannot be used for an assignment extension or during a presentation day) and any additional classes missed will result in a 1% deduction in grade. Any materials or content missed from not attending class (even if it is a free pass day) is the student's responsibility to acquire, knowing that some materials or content may not be able to be made up if absent. Excused absences require documentation (doctor's note, athletics note, family emergency) and no points will be deducted from the grade.

STATEMENT ON PLAGIARISM AND CHEATING:

Cheating and plagiarism will not be tolerated and there will be penalties. For a more precise definition of plagiarism and its consequences, refer to the Student Conduct section of the College Admission Guide at http://www.gprc.ab.ca/programs/calendar/ or the College Policy on Student Misconduct: Plagiarism and Cheating at www.gprc.ab.ca/about/administration/policies/**

**Note: all Academic and Administrative policies are available on the same page.

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