

Summary of Proposed Curriculum Revisions

Ouachita Baptist University
January 2015

The faculty **approved** these curriculum revisions at a Faculty/Staff Assembly on January 12, 2015.

Education

The **short form** notation indicates informational level curriculum revisions submitted on the Curriculum and Academic Standards Committee's short form, which addresses course title changes, course time offering changes, and non-substantive changes to course content and/or descriptions. These short form revisions will NOT be brought to the faculty for discussion or a vote, unless questions are raised before the faculty meeting.

Education

Kinesiology	<p>Delete the following courses from the catalog:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. KIN 1022. Driver Education I.2. KIN 2003. Lead Up Games for Children.3. KIN 2021. Advanced First Aid and Safety.4. KIN 2042. Track and Field.5. KIN 2072. Sports Officiating.6. KIN 3012. Driver Education II.7. PEAC 1001. Team Sports.8. PEAC 2051. Water Safety Instructor. <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Due to costs, limited staffing, and few students requesting certification in Driver Education, the department requests the deletion of this course.2. This course has not been offered in more than ten years and is not required for current programs.3. This course is no longer needed. KIN 3013 Care and Prevention of Athletic Injuries is more applicable to current degree programs.4. The department does not have adequate facilities or staffing to offer this course.5. The department does not have adequate staffing to offer this course, and it is not required for current degree programs.6. Due to costs, limited staffing, and few students requesting certification in Driver Education, the department requests the deletion of this course.7. Departmental request.8. Departmental request.
Kinesiology	<p>Add new course KIN 2XX2 Methods of Rhythmic Games, Gymnastics, and Playground Activities.</p> <p>The Arkansas Department of Education is expanding certification in Physical Education, Wellness, and Leisure to grades K-12. To meet these new requirements, two new courses (4 hours) must be added to the Department of Kinesiology and Leisure Studies degree requirements for the teaching emphasis in Kinesiology and Leisure Studies.</p> <p>Catalog Description KIN 2xx2. Methods of Rhythmic Games, Gymnastics, and Playground Activities. An activity class to give prospective elementary teachers a broad range of developmentally appropriate activities for the different developmental skill levels of elementary age children. Spring</p>

<p>Kinesiology</p>	<p>Add new course KIN 3xx2 Health and Fitness for Children.</p> <p>The Arkansas Department of Education is expanding certification in Physical Education, Wellness, and Leisure to grades K-12. To meet these new requirements, two new courses (4 hours) must be added to the Department of Kinesiology and Leisure Studies degree requirements for the teaching emphasis in Kinesiology and Leisure Studies.</p> <p>Catalog Description KIN 3xx2 Health and Fitness for Children. A study of the characteristics of the elementary school child with implications for physical education: program content, teaching techniques, and materials. Fall, Spring</p>
<p>Kinesiology Short form</p>	<p>Change times of offering for the following courses: KIN 2063. Drug Education. From Fall of even years to On Demand. LST 3033. Backcountry Skills and Techniques. From Spring to Spring of even years. LST 3023. Outdoor Adventure. From Spring to Spring of odd years. PEAC 2021. Lifeguard Training. From Spring to On Demand.</p> <p>These changes in time of offering will balance instructor loads and better reflect the needs of departmental programs.</p> <p>Catalog Descriptions KIN 2063. Drug Education. An exploration of the physical, mental, emotional, and social aspects of drug use and abuse. Special attention will be focused on proper use of drugs in contemporary society. On Demand.</p> <p>LST 3033. Backcountry Skills and Techniques. A course designed to provide basic information, knowledge and skills necessary to plan and survive in the backcountry. The WEA 18-point curriculum will be followed that will provide the student with the necessary knowledge for a safe and fun outdoor experience. Prerequisites: KIN 1003; LST 3083. Spring of even years.</p> <p>LST 3023. Outdoor Adventure. This course is designed to explore the foundations of adventure theory and wilderness leadership. Students learn how to teach outdoor leisure activities. Concepts of judgment, decision making, leadership, and environmentally sensitive practices are introduced. Required field trips include indoor climbing, hiking, and canoeing. Prerequisites: KIN 1003 or consent of instructor, and a demonstrated ability to swim. Spring of odd years.</p> <p>PEAC 2021. Lifeguard Training. On Demand.</p>
<p>Kinesiology Short form</p>	<p>Make the following title and course description changes:</p> <p>A. KIN 2073. Health and Safety. Delete the following phrase from the course description: “as it relates to elementary and secondary schools.”</p> <p>B. KIN 3073. Adapted Physical Education Methods. Change the title to Adapted Kinesiology and Leisure Studies Methods.</p> <p>C. KIN 4013. Organization and Administration of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation (K-12). Change the title to Organization and Administration of Kinesiology and Leisure Studies Programs and delete LST 2083 from the list of prerequisites. NOTE: The title change will also need to be made in the list of requirements for the Sport Management Emphasis in the Department of Business Administration (p. 62).</p> <p>D. KIN 4073. Methods and Materials in Physical Education, Wellness, and Leisure (K-12). Add the following statement to the list of prerequisites: “and admission to Teacher Education.”</p>

E. Change Outdoor Adventure from **LST 3083** to **LST 3023**.

F. LST 3033. Backcountry Skills and Techniques. Change **LST 3083** to **LST 3023** in list of prerequisites.

Rationale

A. The course is no longer geared specifically toward teacher preparation.

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C. The course is no longer geared specifically toward teacher preparation. LST 2083 is no longer offered.

D. Addition of this statement makes it clear that this course is designed for students seeking a teaching endorsement.

E. Sequencing of prerequisites.

F. Correction of an error in the course number.

Catalog Description

KIN 2073. Health and Safety.

A course that deals with the principles of personal health, personality, and interpersonal relationships. Issues in nutrition, exercise, mental health and mental illness, stress, domestic violence, and prevention of chronic disease. Fall, Spring.

KIN 3073. Adapted Kinesiology and Leisure Studies Methods.

A course designed to help prepare the exercise-related professional to meet the needs of the disabled in schools and society. Prerequisites: KIN 1003, 1113, 2093. Spring.

KIN 4013. Organization and Administration of Kinesiology and Leisure Studies Programs.

A study of issues facing administrators in exercise-related professions. Special emphasis is placed on programs, policies, procedures, and problems influencing leaders in the areas of health, physical education, recreation and sports. Prerequisites: KIN 1003, 1113, and 2093 for KIN/LST Majors; Junior standing for Business Administration Major with Sport Management Emphasis. Fall.

KIN 4073. Methods and Materials in Physical Education, Wellness, and Leisure (K-12).

A course in program planning and techniques of teaching physical education, wellness, and leisure in kindergarten, elementary, middle, and secondary school settings. Prerequisites: KIN 1003, 1113, 2093 and admission to Teacher Education. Fall of odd-numbered years.

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