

Portland Public Schools Middle Level Wellness 2016-17



Teacher: Patricia Trump		School: Hosford Middle School	
Subject: Wellness	Course Title Wellness	:	Grade Level(s): 6,7, and 8

Is high school credit an option for this course? No

Prerequisites: None

Course description:

The goal of this class is to understand and practice what it means to be a physically educated person. The focus is on the total education of all students in the areas of physical development, social/emotional and intellectual growth.

Priority Standards:

Standard 1Demonstrate competency in motor skills and movement patterns needed to perform a variety of physical activities.

Standard 2 Demonstrates understanding of movement concepts, principles, strategies, and tactics as they apply to the learning and performances of physical activities.

Standard 3 Participates regularly in physical activities.

Standard 4 Achieves and maintains a health-enhancing level of physical fitness.

Standard 5 Exhibits responsible personal and social behavior that respects self and others in physical activity setting.

Standard 6 Values physical activity for health, enjoyment, challenge, self-expression, and/or social interaction.

Common Core Standards:

We will be implementing the ELA Common Core Standards in Wellness in the following ways:

Common Core Standard	How standard will be addressed in Wellness	How students will demonstrate proficiency
CC ELA Reading	Responding & Analyzing	Students will analyze health
		texts and think critically about
		the deeper meaning relevant
		to the topic being studied.
CC ELA Writing	Creating	Students will use a fitness
		journal to log and reflect on
		their own wellness progress.
CC ELA Speaking	Performing, Presenting &	Students will create a lesson
	Producing	that is relevant to the class and
		present it to their peers.

CC ELA Listening	Collaborating & Connecting	Students will collaborate effectively by meeting in community circles at the end of each class period in order to reflect on how the class did as a whole throughout the period and engage in active listening.
Developing a Positive Outlook (Ms. Trump's personal Standard)	Flexibility	Students will keep an open mind about new activities that may take them outside of their personal comfort zone.

Schedule of topics/units covered and Academic Vocabulary:

Proper stretching, cooperative games, fitness testing: flexibility, muscular strength and endurance, cardio- respiratory endurance. Team games/sports.

District adopted materials:

SPARK folio Middle School

Supplemental resources:

none

Differentiation/ accessibility strategies and support (TAG, ELL, SpEd, other):

Flexible grouping

Depth and complexity extensions

Rate and level curricular adjustments

Tiered lessons

Diverse questioning strategies

Final proficiencies:

- Demonstrate competency in some movement forms and proficiency in a few movement forms
- Apply movement concepts to the learning and development of motor skills
- Exhibit a physically active lifestyle and healthy diet choices
- Demonstrate responsible personal and social behavior
- Demonstrate respect for differences
- Understand that physical activity provides an opportunity for enjoyment, challenge, selfexpression and social interaction
- Awareness of dangers of drugs and alcohol.

Essential skills to be taught or assessed:

- Critical thinking
- Time management
- Leadership
- Sportsmanship/ teamwork
- Responsibility
- Self-motivation

Assessment/evaluation/grading policy:

Students will earn a grade based on their mastery of the 6 priority standards and the ELA Common Core Standards. Students will be assessed using the following rubric:

- Highly Proficient
- Proficient
- Close to Proficient
- Developing Proficient

Behavioral expectations:

ATTENDANCE: It is expected that students will be present in class every day unless a note from a parent or guardian is provided and the absence is excused.

TARDINESS: When students are tardy they miss the instructions and set up for the whole day's work. If you are tardy please come in quietly, and wait to get the information you missed, so as not to disturb the class any more than necessary.

HALL PASSES: Hall passes will be issued only in emergencies and not within the 10 minute periods at the beginning and end of a class.

RULES: Be safe, responsible and respectful

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