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### **Course Outline for KIN HHA**

### **HIP HOP AEROBICS**

Effective: Fall 2015

## I. CATALOG DESCRIPTION:

KIN HHA — HIP HOP AEROBICS — 1.00 - 2.00 units

This course is designed to give a vigorous full-body workout with choreographed dance moves to hip hop/club music. Hip hop dance is an alternate form of exercise that helps improve and maintain the shape of one's body, burn calories, and strengthen immune system in a low pressure, safe, and fun environment. Will include low and high impact aerobics.

1.00 - 2.00 Units Lab

## **Grading Methods:**

Letter or P/NP

### Discipline:

	MIN	MAX
Lab Hours:	54.00	108.00
Total Hours:	54.00	108.00

- II. NUMBER OF TIMES COURSE MAY BE TAKEN FOR CREDIT: 1
- III. PREREQUISITE AND/OR ADVISORY SKILLS:
- IV. MEASURABLE OBJECTIVES:

# Upon completion of this course, the student should be able to:

- A. List the benefits of exercise and its importance to a healthy lifestyle
- B. Demonstrate a safe and effective class format including proper stretching techniques and warm-up for basic hip hop steps which form the base of mini routines
- Successfully complete a cardiovascular exercise routine
- D. Use correct form while increasing muscular strength, endurance, balance, and flexibility

# V. CONTENT:

- A. Benefits of exercise to a healthy life style
   B. WARM-UP The warm-up exercises including simple body movements to increase tissue temperature and prepare the body for the remainder of the work-out.
- C. STRETCH Stretching techniques involving a long sustained static stretch of muscles involved in the workout activity.

  D. PRE-AEROBIC WORKOUT The pre-aerobic workout phase utilizing the rehearsal effect. The pre-aerobic, low impact workout offering the opportunity to rehearse moves that may be encountered in the aerobic workout.

  E. AEROBIC WORKOUT The aerobic segment for at least 20 minutes
  - - 1. Cardio fitness comprised of choreographed hip hop and club dance step routines.
    - 2. Dance movements that target the core area, which includes the gluteals, abdominal, and hip areas.
- F. COOL-DOWN The cool-down exercises preparing the body for rest performed at a lower intensity, allowing the body to gradually return to its pre-activity state.

  G. STRETCH AND RELAXATION - In the stretch phase, static stretching is utilized concentrating on stretching the same areas that
- were exercised previously.

- VI. METHODS OF INSTRUCTION:

  A. **Demonstration** Visual and Physical Demonstration

  B. **Classroom Activity** Individual, small group, and entire class participation in work-outs
  - C. **Directed Study** Practice of hip hop steps and cardio dance movements with student participation D. **Lecture** Verbal explanation

## VII. TYPICAL ASSIGNMENTS:

- A. Follow instructor through choreographed movement routines
  B. Practice challenging hip hop style dance movements individually and in small groups
  C. Demonstrate knowledge of what muscular areas are being targeted

# VIII. EVALUATION:

- 1. Exams/Tests
  2. Class Participation
  3. Class Performance
  4. Final Performance
  B. **Frequency**

- Mid term & Final Exam
   Daily evaluation of student's progress/participation by instructor

- IX. TYPICAL TEXTS:
  1. Bishop, J. G Fitness Through Aerobics. 9th Revised ed., Pearson Academic Computing, 2013.
  2. Kjelie, M.M.. Trends in Hip-Hop Dance., Mitchell Lane Pub. Inc., 2014.

- X. OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED OF STUDENTS:
   A. Students are to provide their own work-out apparel, appropriate exercise shoes, and towels.
   B. Personal water bottle is optional (water fountain is available).