A.A.S. PHYSICAL EDUCATION, RECREATION AND RECREATION THERAPY
Department: Health, Physical Education and Recreation
Total credits: 60

COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS
Successful completion of CUNY Tests in Reading and Writing and the COMPASS Math Skills Test with passing examination scores or developmental courses may be required.

One (1) Writing Intensive course in any discipline from any category below is required. Participation in a Learning Community that includes ENG 1200 or 2400 also satisfies this requirement.

• Two (2) Civic Engagement experiences—satisfied by CE-Certified or CE-Component courses or approved outside activity. Refer to the Degree Requirements section of this catalog.

CUNY CORE
Approved Required and Flexible Core courses are listed in the General Education: CUNY Pathways section of this catalog. When possible it is recommended you fulfill your Required and/or Flexible Core requirements with courses also required for the major.

REQUIRED CORE:
ENG 1200 3
ENG 2400 3
± Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning 3
± Life and Physical Sciences 3

FLEXIBLE CORE:
Nine (9) credits with one (1) course from three (3) groups A-E. Each course from a different discipline. Courses taken should be carefully selected for transfer to the B.S. or B.A. in Physical Education, Recreation and Recreation Therapy.

A. World Cultures & Global Issues
B. U.S. Experience In Its Diversity
C. Creative Expression
D. Individual & Society
± E. Scientific World

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS §
All majors must take:
Wellness, Health, & Fitness (HPE 1200) 3
Introduction to Recreation (RPE 1100) 3
Leadership in Recreation and Physical Education (RPE 1200) 3
Organization and Administration of Recreation Programs (RPE 3200) 3
Field Experience in Physical Education, Recreation and Recreation Therapy (RPE 9152)* 3

PLUS, select one of the following concentrations

RECREATION AND RECREATION THERAPY
Social Recreation (RPE 1300) 3
Methods and Materials for Teaching Folk and Square Dance (RPE 1600) 2
Therapeutic Recreation for Individuals with Disabilities I (RPE 3100) 3
Methods and Materials in Arts and Crafts (RPE 3400)  
Therapeutic Recreation for Individuals with Disabilities II (RPE 3500)  
The Assessment Process in Therapeutic Recreation (RPE 3600)  
Field Experience in Recreation and Recreation Therapy (RPE 9253)*  
First Aid and Personal Safety (HE 3500)  

**TRANSFER TO BACCALAUREATE PROGRAMS IN TEACHING PHYSICAL EDUCATION K-12**

- Fitness Assessment and Prescription (HPE 1500)  
- Methods and Materials for Teaching Folk and Square Dance (RPE 1600)  
- Therapeutic Recreation for Individuals with Disabilities I (RPE 3100)  
- Outdoor Recreation (RPE 1400)  
- Sport and American Society (RPE 4000)  
- Methods of Teaching Fitness and Recreation Activities (RPE 7000)  
- First Aid and Personal Safety (HE 3500)  
- Physical Education courses in team or individual sports and skills (Please select from approved list available from the program office, E-115.)  

**TRANSFER TO BACCALAUREATE PROGRAMS IN SPORT MANAGEMENT**

- Introduction to Sports Management (RPE 700)  
- Facilities Planning in Sports (RPE 4600)  
- Fundamentals of Business (BA 1100)  
- Principles of Marketing (BA 1400)  
- Organizational Behavior & Management (BA 3100)  
- Sport and American Society (RPE 4000)  
- Fundamentals of Accounting (ACC 1100)  

**ELECTIVES:** 2 credits sufficient to meet required total of 60

§ Consultation with the Department Advisor is required.

*Requires approval of Program Director

± **Note:** You may elect to take a math or science course that is 4 credits or more. TAP counts 3 credits towards the requirement and the 4th credit as elective.

**STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES**

To provide students with a foundation in leadership, group work skills, and opportunities for practice

- REP 1100  
- RPE 1200  
- RPE 1300  
- RPE 3100  
- RPE 3200  
- RPE 700  
- RPE 7000  
- RPE 9152

To assist students in identifying their personal values and ethical standards of practice

- REP 1100  
- HPE 1200  
- RPE 1200  
- RPE 1300  
- RPE 3100  
- RPE 3200  
- RPE 4000  
- RPE 700  
- RPE 7000  
- RPE 9152

To provide students with technological and communication skills (reading, writing, and speaking)

- REP 1100  
- HPE 1200  
- RPE 1200  
- RPE 1300  
- RPE 3100  
- RPE 3200  
- RPE 4000  
- RPE 700  
- RPE 7000  
- RPE 9152

To introduce students to management strategies in recreation, physical education and facilities

- RPE 1200  
- RPE 1300  
- RPE 3100  
- RPE 3200  
- RPE 4000  
- RPE 7000  
- RPE 9152
To provide students with knowledge of risk management and safety
  REP 1100  RPE 1200  RPE 1300  RPE 3100  RPE 3200  RPE 4000  RPE 700  RPE 7000  RPE 9152

To prepare students for careers in physical education, recreation and recreation therapy, and sports
management
  REP 1100  RPE 1200  RPE 1300  RPE 3100  RPE 3200  RPE 4000  RPE 700  RPE 7000  RPE 9152

To assist students in identifying issues of accessibility, services and adaptations for people of all ages and
abilities
  REP 1100  RPE 1200  RPE 1300  RPE 3100  RPE 3200  RPE 700  RPE 7000  RPE 9152

To introduce students to professional organization, provide opportunities to engage in workshops and
conferences
  REP 1100  RPE 1200  RPE 1300  RPE 3100  RPE 3200  RPE 4000  RPE 700  RPE 7000  RPE 9152