

COURSE IMPLEMENTATION DATE:	January 2001
COURSE REVISED IMPLEMENTATION DATE:	January 2008
COURSE TO BE REVIEWED:	November 2011
(Four years after UPAC final approval date)	(MONTH YEAR)

OFFICIAL COURSE OUTLINE INFORMATION

Students are advised to keep course outlines in personal files for future use.

Shaded headings are subject to change at the discretion of the department and the material will vary - see course syllabus available from instructor

FACULTY/DEPARTMENT:	Kinesiology & Physical Education	
KPE 133B		1.5
COURSE NAME/NUMBER	FORMER COURSE NUMBER	UCFV CREDITS
	Water-Based Recreation: Introduction to Ocean Kayaking	
COURSE DESCRIPTIVE TITLE		

CALENDAR DESCRIPTION:

This course will introduce students to ocean kayaking through a combination of theoretical and practical applications. Students will learn the basic skills necessary to travel safely in a marine environment. Topics will include paddling skills, navigation, safety procedures, environmental ethics and trip preparation skills.

PREREQUISITES: None
COREQUISITES: None

SYNONYMOUS COURSE(S)	SERVICE COURSE TO:
(a) Replaces: N/A (Course #)	(Department/Program)
(b) Cannot take: N/A for further credit. (Course #)	(Department/Program)

TOTAL HOURS PER TERM:	22.5	TRAINING DAY-BASED INSTRUCTION
STRUCTURE OF HOURS:		LENGTH OF COURSE:
Lectures: 6 Hrs		HOURS PER DAY:
Seminar: Hrs		
Laboratory: Hrs		
Field Experience: 12.5 Hrs		
Student Directed Learning: 4 Hrs		
Other (Specify): Hrs		

MAXIMUM ENROLLMENT:	18
EXPECTED FREQUENCY OF COURSE OFFERINGS:	
WILL TRANSFER CREDIT BE REQUESTED? (lower-level courses only)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
WILL TRANSFER CREDIT BE REQUESTED? (upper-level requested by department)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
TRANSFER CREDIT EXISTS IN BCCAT TRANSFER GUIDE:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

AUTHORIZATION SIGNATURES:

Course Designer(s): _____ Nicole Bellay	Chairperson: _____
Department Head: _____ Gregory Anderson	Dean: _____ Wanda Gordon
UPAC Approval in Principle Date: _____	UPAC Final Approval Date: Nov. 23, 2007

LEARNING OBJECTIVES / GOALS / OUTCOMES / LEARNING OUTCOMES:

Upon successful completion of this course, students will:

1. Have learned basic paddling skills
2. Understand terms and definitions
3. Have learned safety skills and rescue techniques
4. Understand all aspects of ocean travel using kayaks
5. Have developed skills in trip planning and preparation
6. Understand basic navigation in a coastal environment

METHODS:

Lecture, discussion, audio-visual presentation, skill/technique demonstration.

PRIOR LEARNING ASSESSMENT RECOGNITION (PLAR):

Credit can be awarded for this course through PLAR (Please check:)

Yes

No

METHODS OF OBTAINING PLAR:

Challenge exams or portfolio assessment.

TEXTBOOKS, REFERENCES, MATERIALS:

[Textbook selection varies by instructor. An example of texts for this course might be:]

Reserve readings.

SUPPLIES / MATERIALS:

STUDENT EVALUATION:

[An example of student evaluation for this course might be:]

Written test	50%
Full participation in each module and successful demonstration of skills	50%

COURSE CONTENT:

[Course content varies by instructor. An example of course content might be:]

1. Basic to intermediate paddling skills
2. Terms and definitions
3. Personal equipment
4. Kayak history, design evolution and hull theory
5. Safety procedures
6. Crisis avoidance and management
7. Group and self rescues
8. Visual and compass navigation
9. Reading tidal and current charts
10. Back country cooking
11. Trip preparation
12. Weather sensibilities