

**Department of Kinesiology and Sport Studies**  
**KSS 1720: Basketball**  
Fall 2009

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Course Objectives:

- 1) To help students learn/refine fundamental basketball skills and techniques
- 2) To provide students with enjoyable educational/recreational basketball playing experiences
- 3) To promote physical fitness benefits available through weekly basketball participation
- 4) To promote knowledge and understanding of basic basketball rules and strategies
- 5) To promote sportsmanship while participating in basketball practice activities and games

Course Requirements: This is an activity course that required consistent attendance and proper workout clothes. Examples: shorts, t-shirts, sweats, and tennis shoes. Jeans, dress shirts, and boots are unacceptable and will result in points off for attendance.

<u>Evaluation:</u>	Attendance	5 pts per day
	Syllabus Sheet	20 pts
	ATP Lab assessment	10 pts
	2 article reviews	15 pts each
	2 Tests (Midterm and Final)	25 pts each

Article Review: Find an article pertaining to basketball, read it, and give me a one page summery and response. Double spaced, 12 point font, and 1 inch margins.

Final Exam: A 20 question final exam will be given on the last day of class covering rules of the National Basketball Association (NBA). Final exam will be given Monday, December 14<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m. NBA rules can be found at:  
[http://www.nba.com/analysis/rules\\_index.html](http://www.nba.com/analysis/rules_index.html)

<u>Scale:</u>	A = >90%
	B = 80-89%
	C = 70-79%
	D = 60-69%
	F = <60%

Attendance Policy: You are expected to attend each class, arrive on time, and be appropriately dresses to actively participate. Attendance will be taken regularly. You are permitted three unexcused absences after which each additional absence will result in a full letter grade reduction in your final course grade.

\* Lockers - EIU Issue - Towel: Available to students enrolled in Physical Education activity classes. Inquire at the Equipment Room desk in Lantz. For a small fee this service provides a daily exchange of clean laundered items.

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