

**Eastern Illinois University**  
**Kinesiology & Sport Studies – KSS 1830**

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Course Description: Learn and practice the basic skills and rules of the game of racquetball. Develop an understanding and appreciation of the the game and its strategies.

Grading: Grades are based on attendance, quizzes, demonstration of skills and daily competitions and workouts. Occasional outside reading will be assigned as well.

Absences will have a negative effect on your grade. 2 unexcused absences will be allowed. Your grade will be lowered by one letter grade for a third unexcused absence and lowered again for every further 2 absences.

Excused absences must be made up in order to not count against your grade. Your instructor will offer several makeup options depending on the absence situation.

A = 90-100% B=80-89% C=70-79% D=60-69% F=0-59%

Equipment: You must supply your own goggles and racquetballs. Goggles must have impact resistant frames and lenses.

Text: None  
Rules can be found at [www.usracquetball.com](http://www.usracquetball.com) or a google search of racquetball rules will yield multiple sources of rule books.