

REQUIRED COURSE MATERIALS

There is not a required course text for this class/activity. The use of OWL for posting class information and material will be common practice in this course.

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT

For the activity portion of the course, students are required to wear soccer, rugby, or baseball cleats for safety purposes under wet conditions. Students must also come dressed appropriately; clothing may rip or be torn and stained. Outdoor classes will take place rain or shine (exceptions will be made in case of thunder/lightning). **DO NOT WEAR ANY JEWELRY DURING PRACTICAL/ON FIELD SESSIONS.**

COURSE EVALUATION

Practical	Skills Assessment	30%
Practical	Game Play Assessment	30%
Written	Law/Theory Exam	40%

ATTENDANCE

The School of Kinesiology requires active participation in all activity courses. Therefore, a student will receive a 1% deduction from his or her final grade for each unexcused absence.

COURSE SCHEDULE

- Week 1: Course Overview, Basic Rugby, Basic Passing & Offense, Laws
- Week 2: Creating Space: Run, Pass, Kick, Restarts: Scrums & Lineouts, Laws
- Week 3: Tackling, Restarts: Kick-off & 22m Drop-out, Basic Defense, Penalties
- Week 4: Ball in Contact: Ruck, Maul, Game Play Evaluation
- Week 5: Game Play Evaluation
- Week 6: Game Play, FINAL EXAM

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B) Computer marked multiple-choice tests and/or exams may be subject to submission for similarity review by software that will check for unusual coincidences in answer patterns that may indicate cheating.

5. **Formatting** (*as recommended by the course instructor*): example- APA style is the approved style of writing for all assignments produced for this course. Please refer to Western University Library webpage for information on citation style and format or consult the APA publication manual: Publication manual of the American Psychological Association (6th ed.). (2009). Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.

6. According to the **Examination Conflict policy** more than two examinations in any 24-hour period may request alternative **This policy does NOT apply to mid-term examinations.* There will be no make-up for the mid-term exam. Students who miss this exam with a valid reason will have the final re-weighted accordingly.

7. **Classroom Behaviour**: Class will begin promptly at the time specified at the top of page one of this syllabus. In the event that you must arrive late, please enter the classroom with a minimal disturbance to the class. I reserve the right to lock the classroom door and deny entrance if lateness becomes a common occurrence. Excessive talking during class time is disruptive, disrespectful, and will not be tolerated. Students engaging in such behaviour may be asked to leave the room. Cellular phones, pagers, and text-messaging devices are disruptive when they ring in class. If you must bring these with you, please place them on silent mode or turn them off during class. Failure to do so may result in your being asked to leave.

8. Laptops for the **purpose of typing lecture notes** are permitted in class, but please

STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT

The purpose of the Code of Student Conduct is to define the general standard of conduct expected of students registered at Western University, provide examples of behaviour that constitutes a breach of this standard of conduct, provide examples of sanctions that may be imposed, and set out the disciplinary procedures that the University will follow. For more information, visit

<http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/board/code.pdf>

ENGLISH PROFICIENCY FOR THE ASSIGNMENT OF GRADES

Visit the website <http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/handbook/exam/english.pdf>

SUPPORT SERVICES

There are various support services around campus and these include, but are not limited to:

1. Student Development Centre -- <http://www.sdc.uwo.ca/ssd/>
2. Student Health -- <http://www.shs.uwo.ca/student/studenthealthservices.html>
3. -- <http://www.registrar.uwo.ca/>
4. Ombuds Office -- <http://www.uwo.ca/ombuds/>