PHYSICAL EDUCATION CAREER PATH

MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREE
5 Years - Professional Certificate
(from the time you file for certification)
www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/certificate/relatedmasters.htm
http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/certificate/relatedmasters.htm

Physical Education
Sports Medicine
Health
Safety Education
Sports Science
Recreation
Sports Administration
Dance

Health Education
Nursing
Anatomy & Physiology
Chiropractic
Dentistry
Medicine
Health System Admin.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION TEACHER
NEW YORK STATE CERTIFIED KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 12

INITIAL CERTIFICATION

Professional Development Hours
175 Hours every 5 Years
www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/resteachers/175.htm

BOCES Health Certification
www.onboces.org
30 Credits Needed
Apply upon graduation
(OPTIONAL)
Statewide

CERTIFICATION EXAMS
1. **L.A.S.T.** *- Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (*complete after A.S.)
http://ohe32.nysed.gov/tcert/faqtests.htm
2. **A.T.S.W.** - Assessment of Teaching Skills - Written Test
3. **C.S.T.** - Content Specialty Test Physical Education
**Note - all exams must be completed and passed prior to application of initial teaching certificate.

SAFETY/SECURITY
1. **Child Abuse Identification/Reporting Workshop+**
www.nysna.org
2. **Schools Against Violence Workshop+**
www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/certificate/save.htm
3. **Fingerprint Clearance**
www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/ospra/index.html

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE PHYSICAL EDUCATION
KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 12

Brockport/Cortland/Canisus

Total Credits - 64 credits

Student Teaching

Kinesiology

Exercise Physiology

Secondary Teaching Methods

Elementary Teaching Methods

Complete Field Placement

L.A.S.T*
Liberal Arts and Science Test
Recommended to be taken after completion of Associate Degree before transfer
Based on the components of General Education Requirements

SUNY General Education Requirements
*Components needed for the L.A.S.T. Exam

(M) Math
(NS) Natural Science
(SS) Social Sciences
(AH) American History
(WC) Western Civilization
(OW) Other World Civilization
(H) Humanities
(AR) The Arts
(FL) Foreign Language
(BC) Basic Communication

HPE 136 Foundations of Physical Education
- Electronic Portfolio
- Polar Training
-TriFIT Assessment

ASSOCIATES OF SCIENCE DEGREE PHYSICAL EDUCATION STUDIES
Niagara County Community College
Total Credits - 64 credits
24 Credit Hours in the Major
Minimum GPA 2.5-2.75 for acceptance in teacher preparation programs

HPE 212 Motor Behavior
- lecture
- 30 hour field placement

HED 201 Healthful Living
- S.A.V.E.+
- Child Abuse Identification and Reporting+

COURSES
(by advisement)
-Understanding Sexuality
-Substance Abuse Prev.
-Nutrition and Health
-Consumer Health
-Community Health
-Lifeguarding and Adv. 1st Aid, CPR

PED Activity Classes
(by advisement)
-Team Sports
- Dance
- Individual Sports
-Racket Sports
-Adventure Education
-Physical Fitness

CPT NCSF Certified Personal Trainer Certification
-Anatomy Pre-requisite
-CPT course recommended to be taken in final semester

High School Graduate

Recommendations
- General Biology
- Math III (c)

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