

**427: Physical Education Studies A A S Degree Requirements Table**

FALL 2026 to CURRENT

ITEM	REQUIREMENT	CREDITS	SEMESTER
<b>1 – KNOWLEDGE &amp; SKILL AREA</b>	<b>MET BY</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>As Listed</b>
1.01 - COMMUNICATION W 1	ENG 101 College Composition	3	1
1.02 - COMMUNICATION ORAL	SPE 108 Public Speaking	3	2
1.03 - MATHEMATICS	MAT 129 Statistics	3	3
1.04 - NATURAL SCIENCE	BIO 150 (Fall Only) or BIO 152 (per Note 1)	4	3
1.05 - SOCIAL SCIENCE	PSY 104 Intro to Psychology or SOC 101 Intro to Sociology	3	3
1.06 - HISTORY, ENGAGEMENT, AWARENESS	HIS 217 History of Sport (Spring Only) (per Note 1)	3	2
1.07 - HUMANITIES, ARTS, LANG	<a href="#">Select one SUNY approved Humanities or Arts course</a>	3	1
1.08 - DIVERSITY (DEISJ)	Met by Social Science requirement	0	N/A
1.09 - HEALTH/PE/ATH	PED 117 Outdoor Education (Fall Only)	1	3
<b>2 - PROGRAM REQUIREMENT</b>	<b>MET BY</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>As Listed</b>
2.01 - Program Requirement	PED 104 Teaching Methods n Sport Skills Studies (Fall Only)	3	1
2.02 - Program Requirement	HED 205 Responding to Emergencies or PED109 Lifeguarding	3	4
2.03 - Program Requirement	PED 250 Introduction to Physical Education	3	1
2.04 - Program Requirement	HED 209 Health Sciences Related to Coaching	3	2
2.05 - Program Requirement	PED 180 Rhythmic Movement and Dance (Spring Only)	1	4
2.06 - Program Requirement	PED 255 Athletic Training	3	2
2.07 - Program Requirement	PED 138 Team Sports 1 (Spring Only)	1	2
2.08 - Program Requirement	PED 139 Team Sports 2 (Spring Only)	1	2
2.09 - General Elective	General Elective	3	2
2.10 - Program Requirement	<a href="#">Select one SUNY approved World Language course</a> (per Note 2)	3	4

2.11 - Program Requirement	PED 271 Principles of Coaching	3	1
2.12 - Program Requirement	PED 272 Theory and Techniques of Coaching	3	4
2.13 - Program Requirement	PED 285 Exercise Physiology (Spring Only)	4	4
2.14 - Program Requirement	PED 181 Lifetime Activities 1 (Spring Only)	1	4
2.15 - Program Requirement	PED 182 Lifetime Activities 2 (Spring Only)	1	4
2.16 - Program Requirement	PED 273 Principles of Personal Training (Fall Only)	3	3
2.17 - Program Requirement	PED 129 Aquatics (Fall Only)	1	3
<b>3 - SEMESTER</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED FOR DEGREE</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>Upon Completion</b>
3.1 - Semester 1	Semester 1 Total Credits	15	1
3.2 - Semester 2	Semester 2 Total Credits	17	2
3.3 - Semester 3	Semester 3 Total Credits	15	3
3.4 - Semester 4	Semester 4 Total Credits	16	4
<b>4 - INFORMATIONAL NOTES</b>	<b>GENERAL CURRICULUM INFORMATION</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>As Appropriate</b>
<b>4.01 - Infused Competencies</b>	Information Literacy: ENG 101 Critical Thinking: PED 271 Technological Competency: PED 285 Values & Ethics: PED 250, PED 271 Civic Discourse: SPE 108 Public Speaking	0	Prior to Completion
<b>4.02 - Proficiency Requirements</b>	As outlined in Procedure 321- Placement and Proficiency Requirements (click to see <a href="#">GCC Placement and Proficiency Guide</a> for details), all students are required to demonstrate proficiency in reading, math, and writing skills prior to earning a college degree or certificate from Genesee Community College.	0	Prior to Completion
<b>4.03 - Note 1</b>	This course meets Local General Education Requirement and Program Requirement	0	Informational Note
<b>4.04 - Note 2</b>	Students having obtained an 85 or higher on the Regents B exam or an 85 or higher on a regional exam aligned with the former regents at Checkpoint B have met the foreign language requirement and <a href="#">may select a language or an additional 3 credit SUNY General Education Elective.</a>	0	Informational Note
<b>4.05 - Electives</b>	Electives for this program should be selected with the transfer institution and program of interest in mind. For additional	0	Prior to Completion

	assistance with course selection, see Transfer Services in the Student Success Center.		
<b>4.06 - GPA Requirement</b>	<b>GPA of 2.0 Required for graduation</b>	0	Prior to Completion