



Physical Activity Inventory

This Physical Activity Inventory is intended to assist students in identifying activities that they would like to include in their physical activity practicum. Students may choose physical activities based on the type of activity, the health-related fitness component(s) to which the activity contributes, the level of risk involved in the activity, or a combination of these factors.

A Physical Activity Safety Checklist is available for each of the activities listed. These checklists contain information about managing risk, under the following risk factors: level of instruction, level of supervision, facilities/environment, equipment, clothing/footwear, and personal and other considerations.

The following codes are used in the Physical Activity Inventory.

Code for Type of Activity

AL - Active Living
AP - Alternative Pursuits
CO - Combative Activities
FIT - Fitness Activities
IT - Invasion/Territory-Type Sports/Games
NW - Net/Wall-Type Sports/Games
RG - Rhythmic Gymnastic-Type Activities
SF - Striking/Fielding-Type Sports/Games
TG - Target-Type Sports/Games

Code for Health-Related Fitness Component

Cardio - Cardiorespiratory Endurance
M. Str. - Muscular Strength
M. End. - Muscular Endurance
Flex - Flexibility



Indicates that the activity contributes to the health-related fitness component.

Code for Risk Factor Rating (RFR)

RFR Level of safety concerns; recommended instruction and supervision.

- 1 There are few safety concerns for this physical activity; little or no qualified instruction or adult supervision are required.
- 2 There are some safety concerns for this physical activity; quality instruction is recommended, and little or no adult supervision is required.
- 3 There are several safety concerns for this physical activity; qualified instruction is required, and adult supervision is recommended.
- 4 There is a high level of safety concern for this physical activity; qualified instruction and adult supervision are required.

Interest	All Activities	Type	Health-Related Fitness Components				Risk
			Cardio	M. Str.	M. End.	Flex.	
	Aerobics - Dance	FIT	✓		✓	✓	2
	Aerobics - Step	FIT	✓		✓	✓	2
	Aerobics - Water/Aqua	FIT	✓		✓	✓	4
	Aikido	CO	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Archery	TG		✓			4
	Athletics - Jumps	FIT		✓		✓	3
	Athletics - Long-Distance Running	FIT	✓		✓	✓	2
	Athletics - Middle-Distance Running	FIT	✓		✓	✓	2
	Athletics - Sprints, Relays, Hurdles	FIT	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Athletics - Throws	FIT		✓		✓	4
	Backpacking	AP	✓	✓	✓		3
	Badminton	NW	✓		✓	✓	2
	Bandy	IT	✓		✓		3
	Baseball	SF		✓	✓	✓	2
	Basketball	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Biathlon	AP	✓	✓	✓		4
	Bocce	TG				✓	1
	Bowling - 5-Pin, 10-Pin	TG			✓	✓	1
	Boxing	CO	✓	✓	✓		4
	Broomball	IT	✓		✓	✓	3
	Calisthenics	FIT		✓	✓	✓	1
	Canoeing/Kayaking/Rowing	AP	✓	✓	✓		4
	Canoe/Kayak Tripping (Wilderness/Whitewater)	AP	✓	✓	✓		4
	Catch (For safety, see Low-Organized Games)	AL			✓	✓	1
	Cheerleading	RG	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Circuit Training	FIT	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Climbing - Wall, Rock, Bouldering, Ice Tower	AP		✓	✓	✓	4
	Cricket	SF		✓	✓	✓	2
	Croquet (For safety, see Low-Organized Games)	TG			✓		1
	Cross-Country Running	FIT	✓		✓	✓	2
	Curling	TG			✓	✓	2
	Cycling - BMX, Cyclocross, Mountain Bike, Road Racing, Track Racing	AP	✓	✓	✓		3

	Cycling - Indoor/Stationary	FIT	✓	✓	✓		1
	Cycling - Recreational	AL	✓	✓	✓		2
	Cycling - Trips	AP	✓	✓	✓		3
	Dance - Ballet	RG	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Dancing - Ballroom	RG	✓		✓		2
	Dancing - Folk	RG	✓		✓		2
	Dancing - Hip Hop	RG	✓		✓		2
	Dancing - Hoop	RG	✓		✓		2
	Dancing - Line	RG	✓		✓		2
	Dancing - Square	RG	✓		✓		2
	Dancing - Tap	RG	✓		✓		2
	Diving - Springboard, Platform	RG				✓	4
	Dodging Games (For safety, see Low-Organized Games)	FIT	✓	✓	✓		1-4
	Fencing	CO	✓		✓	✓	4
	Field Hockey	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	3
	Fitness Training (Exercise Machines)	FIT	✓	✓	✓		3
	Fitness Training (Small Equipment) (e.g., Stretch Bands, Physio Balls, Jump Ropes, Agility Ladders, Medicine Balls)	FIT	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Football - Flag	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Football - Tackle	IT		✓	✓	✓	4
	Frisbee (For safety, see Low-Organized Games)	AL			✓		1
	Geocaching	AP	✓	✓	✓		4
	Goal Ball	IT			✓	✓	4
	Golf	TG		✓	✓	✓	2
	Gymnastics - General, Tumbling, Artistic	RG		✓	✓	✓	4
	Hacky Sack (For safety, see Low-Organized Games)	AL			✓	✓	1
	Handball - 1-Wall, 4-Wall	NW	✓	✓	✓	✓	1
	Hiking	AP	✓		✓		2
	Hockey - Ice	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Hockey - Roller/Inline	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Hockey-Type Games - Ball, Floor, Road, Floorball, Gym Ringette, Shinny	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	3

	Horseback Riding - Western, English Saddle	AP		✓	✓		4
	House and Yard Work	AL		✓	✓	✓	1
	Jogging	FIT	✓	✓	✓		1
	Judo	CO	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Jump Rope (For safety, see Fitness Training)	FIT	✓		✓		1
	Karate	CO	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Kickball (Soccer-Baseball)	AL			✓		1
	Kickboxing	CO	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Lacrosse - Box, Field	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Lacrosse - Soft	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	3
	Lawn Bowling	TG			✓	✓	1
	Lawn Mowing	AL	✓	✓	✓		3
	Low-Organized Games	AL	Effect on health-related fitness will vary from one game/activity to another.				1-4
	Martial Arts	CO	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Orienteering	AP	✓		✓		2
	Paddleball	NW	✓		✓		2
	Pilates (For safety, see Fitness Training)	FIT		✓	✓	✓	2
	Qigong	FIT		✓	✓		2
	Racquetball	NW	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Rhythmic Gymnastics	RG	✓		✓	✓	2
	Ringette	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Rock Climbing (For safety, see Climbling)	AP		✓	✓	✓	4
	Rowing - Ergometer (For safety, see Fitness Training [Exercise Machines])	FIT	✓	✓	✓		3
	Rowing - Sport (For safety, see Canoeing/Kayaking/Rowing)	AP	✓	✓	✓		4
	Rugby - Flag	IT	✓		✓	✓	3
	Rugby - Tackle	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Sailing/Yachting	AP		✓	✓		4
	Scuba Diving	AP			✓		4
	Sepak Takraw	NW	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Skateboarding	AL	✓		✓		2
	Skating - Figure	RG	✓		✓	✓	2
	Skating - Ice	AL	✓	✓	✓		2

	Skating - Inline/Roller (Indoor, Outdoor)	AL	✓	✓	✓		2
	Skiing - Alpine	AP	✓	✓	✓		4
	Skiing - Cross-Country	AP	✓		✓		2
	Skiing - Water	AP		✓	✓		4
	Snorkelling	AP			✓		4
	Snowboarding	AP	✓	✓	✓		3
	Snowshoeing	AP	✓		✓		2
	Soccer	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Softball - Slo Pitch, Modified, Fast Pitch	SF		✓	✓	✓	2
	Speed Skating	AP	✓	✓	✓	✓	3
	Spinning (For safety, see Cycling - Indoor/Stationary)	FIT	✓	✓	✓		1
	Squash	NW	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Stretch Banding (For safety, see Fitness Training)	FIT		✓	✓	✓	1
	Stretching (For safety, see Fitness Training [Small Equipment])	FIT				✓	1
	Swimming - Open Water	FIT	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Swimming - Pool	FIT	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Table Tennis	NW	✓		✓		2
	Tae Bo	FIT	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Tae Kwon Do	CO	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Tai Chi	FIT			✓	✓	1
	Tchoukball	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Team Handball	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Tennis	NW	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Tobogganing, Sledding, Tubing	AP	✓		✓		3
	Triathlon	FIT	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Tumbling (For safety, see Gymnastics)	RG		✓	✓	✓	4
	Ultimate	IT	✓	✓	✓	✓	2
	Volleyball	NW		✓	✓	✓	2
	Walking	AL	✓		✓		1
	Water Polo	IT	✓		✓		4
	Weightlifting	FIT		✓	✓	✓	3
	Weight (Strength/Resistance) Training	FIT	✓	✓	✓	✓	3

	Windsurfing/Sailboarding	AP		✓	✓		4
	Wrestling - Freestyle, Greco-Roman	CO	✓	✓	✓	✓	4
	Yoga	FIT		✓	✓	✓	2