Tamanawis Secondary

Mr. Bains 2013/2014

**PE Leadership 11/12 Course Outline**

The PE leadership program at Tamanawis Secondary is a course designed to give grade 11 and 12 students an opportunity to pursue leadership experiences in the school and community. Every student will demonstrate their individual and cooperative leadership capabilities, as well as their organizational planning and public speaking skills through participation in a variety of activities. This course will empower students to understand themselves and the role they play in society, develop communication skills that will facilitate decision-making for themselves and others, and accomplish goals they will organize and develop.

**Course Goals:**

**Students in PE Leadership 11/12 will:**

* Gain an understanding of and develop a positive attitude for student leadership roles
* Work effectively with others in a leadership group in order to have a positive influence in their school and community
* Be given opportunities to develop individual and co-operative leadership skills in school and community environments
* Learn to plan, organize, and implement school programs, athletic activities, special events, intramurals, and community services with increasing autonomy and leadership
* Organize and experience a variety of lifetime recreational activities

**Course Activities:**

* Teach games, lessons, and instructional units to other students
* Supervise the organizing and running of events in the school and community
* Promotion and reporting on various activities in the school
* Fundraising and overseeing our class budget
* Learn about various leadership models and styles
* Goal setting/time management
* Organization and communication skills
* Problem solving and conflict resolution

**PE Leadership Events:**

* Intramural leagues (5-6 throughout the year)
* Parent/teacher conferences
* Spirit week
* Pep rally/school spirit assembly
* Grade 7 school visits (May/June)
* Athletic banquet

**Other possible activities we will be involved with:**

* Fundraising for local charities
* Terry Fox Run (second week of October)
* Elementary school sports days
* Volleyball/Basketball Officiating Clinics
* Ropes course, self defense class, sledge hockey etc.



**Volunteer activities**

* Minor officials (Volleyball, basketball, and soccer)
* Scorekeeping
* Intramural refs
* Managing sports teams
* Tournament volunteer
* PE club at lunch (organize/run)
* Athletic team news (needed for spirit assembly and athletic banquet-videos/photos)

**Expectations:**

This class has been developed for students who:

* Are available for lunch and after school for meetings and volunteer work
* Have a flexible schedule and help out when needed
* Demonstrate a positive and mature conduct in their interactions with teachers, other students, parents, and the public
* Show initiative and stay focused on goals

 **Unexcused Absences:**

Students missing class without giving Mr. Bains a signed note and having a valid reason will receive a reduced mark for that day.

**Verified Absences**:

Students are required to bring a note on the first day back to school. This note should explain reason for absence, date, home phone number and be signed by a guardian or physician. Notes not received will result in a loss of daily participation marks. If you have 3 or more verified absences in a month, you will have to complete a make-up assignment. Once you have completed the make-up assignment, your participation mark for that unit(s) will be an average of your participation marks from previous units.

**Course evaluation:**

Students will be evaluated on their ability to plan, organize, and facilitate activities and special events. You will be marked by Mr. Bains and your peers. Your own personal reflection/evaluation on projects and assignments will also be used to determine your final mark.

Participation..…..… **50**

Projects, assignments, and journals……**20**

Community service…….. **30**

**Participation:** Daily mark, PE leadership sponsored activities, self assessment, field trips

**Projects:** Teacher evaluation, peer evaluation, self reflection (intramural leagues, teaching activities, spirit assemblies, athletic awards etc.)

**Community Service:** Student must complete 30 hours of volunteer service each semester. You may carry up to 15 hours into the second semester from the 1st.

**Late Assignments**

*Please see me if you need an extension on a project/assignment and you have a legitimate reason. Talk to me at least a day prior to the due date.*

I am available most days at lunch and after school if you have any problems or questions with the work assigned in class (look for me in the PE office).

Penalties for late assignments: Discuss as a class.

**Course Materials:**

The materials needed for this class are as follows:

* Proper PE strip
* A binder with dividers and lined paper
* Pens, pencils, erasers, etc.
* On days students need additional materials they will be told in advance

**Drinks**

****Bring all the water you want to PE! We will likely be in the library for classroom days so follow the library rules. Remember to clean up after class.

**Food**

No food, gum, or candy permitted in class since we will be in the gym during most classes.