

Course guide

Year 2025/2026 281105 - Sport Psychology

Information about the subject

Degree: Bachelor of Sciences of Physical Activity and Sport

Faculty: Faculty of Physical Activity and Sport Sciences

Code: 281105 Name: Sport Psychology

Credits: 6,00 ECTS Year: 1 Semester: 2

Module: 1) Basic Training Module

Subject Matter: Behavioral and social foundations of human motor skills. Type: Basic Formation

Field of knowledge: Health Sciences

Department: Basic Sciences and Cross-disciplinary Subjects

Type of learning: Classroom-based learning

Languages in which it is taught: Spanish

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Module organization

1) Basic Training Module

Subject Matter	ECTS	Subject	ECTS	Year/semester
Biological and Mechanical Foundations of Human Motor Skills	36,00	Biochemistry and Human Physiology	9,00	1/2
		Biomechanics of Physical Activity	6,00	2/1
		Human Anatomy	9,00	1/2
		Kinesiology	6,00	2/1
		Physiology of Exercise	6,00	2/1
Behavioral and social foundations of human motor skills.	24,00	History and Sociology of Physical Activity and Sport	6,00	1/2
		Sport Psychology	6,00	1/2
		Statitics and Data Processing	6,00	2/2
		Technology Applied to Physical Activity and Sport	6,00	1/1





_earning outcomes

At the end of the course, the student must be able to prove that he/she has acquired the following learning outcomes:

- R1 Identify determinants of self-confidence and motivation in the context of physical education, exercise, and sports, as well as their impact on adherence to physical activity and/or sports and overall athletic performance.
- R2 Recognize motivational variables that enhance adherence to physical exercise and sports practice, as well as optimal psychosocial development for practitioners.
- R3 Identify strategies for creating group dynamics that promote cohesion, conflict resolution, and the transmission of educational and performance-related values in the context of physical education, exercise, and sports.
- R4 Understand attentional processes involved in learning and practicing exercise and sports, and apply them to provide effective instructions and utilize teaching and training methodologies.
- R5 Recognize cognitive and behavioral mechanisms related to anxiety responses, acquire resources to manage such responses, and create favorable learning and performance environments.

Competencies

Depending on the learning outcomes, the competencies to which the subject contributes are (please score from 1 to 4, being 4 the highest score):

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	1 2 3 4





Assessment system for the acquisition of competencies and grading system

Assessed learning outcomes	Granted percentage	Assessment method
R1, R2, R3, R4, R5	60,00%	Written and/or practical tests.
R1, R2, R3, R4, R5	40,00%	Exercises and Practices in the Classroom.

Observations

•Students may keep the assessment instruments they have passed for 3 years after their first enrolment.

·It is necessary to obtain 40% in all the instruments to pass the subject. If this criterion is not met, the student will be graded with a maximum of 4.5 in this exam session.

•According to article 4.2. of the UCV Evaluation Guidelines, the limit of absences that may be due to eventualities (medical consultation, bureaucratic procedures...) that do not have to be justified, is 30%.

The detailed explanation (procedure of the tasks) as well as the evaluation instruments (cards or rubrics) of each section will be published on the platform of each group at the student's disposal.

Learning activities

The following methodologies will be used so that the students can achieve the learning outcomes of the subject:

- M1 Attendance at practices.
- M2 Resolution of problems and cases.
- M3 Discussion in small groups.
- M4 Practical laboratories.





- M5 Presentation of content by the teacher.
- M6 Practical lesson.
- M7 Group dynamics and activities.







IN-CLASS LEARNING ACTIVITIES

	LEARNING OUTCOMES	HOURS	ECTS
THEORETICAL CLASS: Presentation of contents by the teacher. Competency analysis. Demonstration of capabilities, skills and knowledge in the classroom. M3, M5, M7	R1, R2, R3, R4, R5	40,00	1,60
PRACTICAL CLASS / SEMINAR: Group dynamics and activities. Resolution of problems and cases. Practical laboratories. Data search, computer classroom, library, etc. Meaningful construction of knowledge through student interaction and activity	R1, R2, R3, R4, R5	14,00	0,56
activity. M2, M3, M6, M7			
EVALUATION: Set of oral and/or written tests used in the evaluation of the student, including the oral presentation of the final degree project. M2, M7	R1, R2, R3, R4, R5	4,00	0,16
TUTORING: Supervision of learning, evolution. Discussion in small groups. Resolution of problems and cases. Presentation of results before the teacher. Presentation of diagrams and indexes of the proposed works.	R1, R2, R3, R4, R5	2,00	0,08
TOTAL		60,00	2,40





LEARNING ACTIVITIES OF AUTONOMOUS WORK

	LEARNING OUTCOMES	HOURS	ECTS
GROUP WORK: Problem solving. Preparation of exercises, memoirs, to present or deliver in classes and/or in tutoring.	R1, R2, R3, R4, R5	45,00	1,80
SELF-EMPLOYED WORK: Study, Individual preparation of exercises, assignments, reports, to present or deliver in classes and/or in tutoring. Activities in platform or other virtual spaces.	R1, R2, R3, R4, R5	45,00	1,80
TOTAL		90,00	3,60





Description of the contents

Description of the necessary contents to acquire the learning outcomes.

Theoretical contents:

Content block	Contents
1. Introduction to sport psychology	Introduction to sport psychology
2. Causal attribution in the context of sport and physical activity	Causal attribution in the context of sport and physical activity
3. Self-confidence-self-efficacy in the context of physical activity and sport	Self-confidence-self-efficacy in the context of physical activity and sport
4. Motivation in the context of sport and physical activity	Motivation in the context of sport and physical activity
5. The sports group: Group performance and cohesion	The sports group: Group performance and cohesion
6. Leadership in the context of sport and physical activity	Leadership in the context of sport and physical activity
7. Attention-concentration in the context of physical and sporting activity	Attention-concentration in the context of physical and sporting activity
8. Activation, anxiety and stress in the context of sport and physical activity	Activation, anxiety and stress in the context of sport and physical activity





Temporary organization of learning:

Block of content	Number of sessions	Hours
1. Introduction to sport psychology	2,00	4,00
2. Causal attribution in the context of sport and physical activity	4,00	8,00
3. Self-confidence-self-efficacy in the context of physical activity and sport	4,00	8,00
4. Motivation in the context of sport and physical activity	5,00	10,00
5. The sports group: Group performance and cohesion	4,00	8,00
6. Leadership in the context of sport and physical activity	3,00	6,00
7. Attention-concentration in the context of physical and sporting activity	3,00	6,00
8. Activation, anxiety and stress in the context of sport and physical activity	5,00	10,00

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