

Course Code	Course Title	ECTS Credits			
SPSC-281	Resistance Training	3			
Department	Semester	Prerequisites			
Sports Science	Spring or Fall	SPSC-105, SPSC-106			
Type of Course	Field	Language of Instruction			
Elective	Health & Performance	Greek			
Level of Course	Year of Study	Lecturer			
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Mode of Delivery	Work Placement	Co-requisites			
face-to-face	N/A	None			
Recommended Optional Programme Components: N/A					

Objectives of the Course:

This course is designed to teach students the proper techniques in muscular strength and endurance. Students will be taught the proper principles of training and how these principles relate to conditioning. Student learning will include designing and participating in a variety of resistance exercise training routines. The course is specifically designed to provide the students with the knowledge and practice of weight training principles. The emphasis is given on design and implementation of personal weight training program.

Learning Outcomes:

- 1. An understanding of weight training principles and its benefits.
- 2. To design and implement a personal program that meets his/her goals.
- 3. To perform variety of exercises for each muscle group correctly.
- 4. To be aware of safety factors in the weight room.

Course Contents:

- 1. The Group Exercise Class
- 2. Intensity
- 3. Components of Fitness
- 4. Exercise Benefits
- 5. Functional Training
- 6. Circuit Training
- 7. Bands
- 8. Balance Training
- 9. Bodyweight Training
- 10. Stability ball
- 11. Medicine Ball
- 12. Posture
- 13. Abdominal Workout
- 14. Maintaining a resistance exercise program for life

- 15. Techniques of using resistance training (for each particular muscle group)
- 16. Circuit weight and aerobic training (and other approaches to aerobic fitness).

Learning Activities and Teaching Methods:

Lectures and practical application from the students

Assessment Methods:

Midterm examination, Final practical examination, Practical demonstration, Attendance and Participation

Required Textbooks/Reading:

Authors	Title	Publisher	Year	ISBN
Baechle, T.R. &	Essentials of Strength	Human	2000	0736000895
Roger W. Earle,	Training and	Kinetics.		
eds.	Conditioning.			